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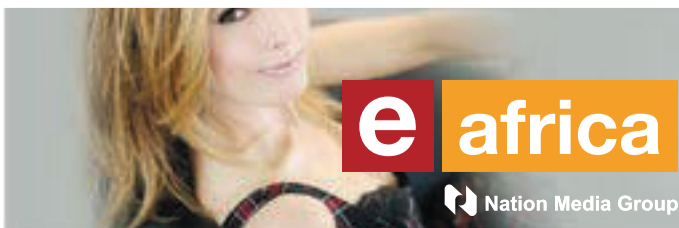
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Traffic flows near Safari Park Hotel on a section of the expanded Thika Road, one of the showpiece infrastructure projects expected to be completed in 2011. STEPHEN MUDIARI | NATION

Kenyans usher in the New Year with optimism that reforms and the economic gains realised last year will lead to better times in 2011. This is a view shared by President Kibaki and Prime Minister Odinga in their messages to Kenyans and by a cross-section of business, NGO, religious and union leaders interviewed by the Saturday Nation this week. **SPECIAL REPORT: Pages 8, 9, 10 & 11**



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