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All relevant Ministries/Institutions/Companies  
All National Standards Bodies  
All manufacturers and traders of paints and related products and,  
All other interested groups

Dear Sir /Madam

**RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS FOR STAKEHOLDERS' COMMENTS**

Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of developing standards in accordance with the procedure laid down for the preparation of national standards. The drafts were prepared by *Paint and Varnishes Products Technical Committee (CDC 13)* and approved by Chemical Standards Division Committee for stakeholders' comments. The following enclosed draft Tanzania Standards have been released to all interested parties for stakeholder's comments:

1. TBS/CDC 13 (5668) P<sub>3</sub>, Aluminium finishing paint – Specification.
2. TBS/CDC 13 (5667) P<sub>3</sub>, Water based undercoat – Specification.
3. TBS/CDC 13 (5666) P<sub>3</sub>, Paints and varnishes — Daylight 45°, 0° luminous directional reflectance of surface coatings and pigments.
4. TBS/CDC 13 (5665) P<sub>3</sub>, Paints and varnishes — Determination of viscosity by means of a Stormer viscometer
5. TBS/CDC 13 (5664) P<sub>3</sub>, Paints and varnishes — Determination of brush and roller application properties

Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly requesting you to go through the draft standards and send your comments regarding its technical contents. Suggestion which entails revision of text should indicate preferred wording and the relevant clause should be quoted against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly. I would like to inform you that I have handed over the secretariatship to new Secretary, thus for future communication, I feel pleased to inform you the new Secretary for the Technical Committee is **Mr. Joseph Nziku** ([joseph.nziku@tbs.go.tz](mailto:joseph.nziku@tbs.go.tz)).

Please accept my deepest thanks for all your support and cooperation during my tenure as the Secretary. It has been a great pleasure working with you all.

Your comment can be submitted in electronic format or hard copy as per attached form.

We will appreciate receiving your comments before **2019 – 03 – 10**.

Thanks very much for your kind cooperation in standardization.

Yours sincerely,

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