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To: All stakeholders of cosmetics and related products; and
All interested parties.

RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARD FOR STAKEHOLDERS' COMMENTS

Please refer to the subject above.

2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is currently in the process of developing the following draft Tanzania Standards;

- i. CDC 3 (4526) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 1: Samples and test methods – General (Revision of TZS 1199-1:2015).
- ii. CDC 3 (4527) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 2: Methods of sampling (Revision of TZS 1199-2:2015).
- iii. CDC 3 (4528) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 3: Determination of glycerol content (Revision of TZS 1199-3:2015)
- iv. CDC 3 (4529) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 4: Determination of density and relative density (Withdrawal of TZS 1199-19:2015)
- v. CDC 3 (4530) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 5: Determination of alkalinity and acidity - Volumetric method (Revision of TZS 1199-5:2015)
- vi. CDC 3 (4531) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 7: Determination of sulphated ash - Gravimetric method (Revision of TZS 1199-7:2015)

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- vii. CDC 3 (4532) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 13: Limit test for chloride (Revision of TZS 1199-13:2015)
- viii. CDC 3 (4533) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 14: Limit test for organic chloride (Revision of TZS 1199-14:2015).
- ix. CDC 3 (4536) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 18: Detection of sugars (Revision of TZS 1199-18:2015).
- x. CDC 3 (4537) DTZS Methods of sampling and test for crude and refined glycerine Part 19: Assessment of odour (Revision of TZS 1199-19:2015)

3. In accordance with the procedures for the preparation of the National Standards, the draft standards are hereby circulated to stakeholders for comments. Please note that, for international standards, only the scope has been provided due to copyright restrictions. Copies of the full international standards are available at the Bureau's Library.

4. As a key stakeholder in standards development, we kindly request you to review the draft standard(s) and submit your comments on their technical contents. Where a comment requires revision of the text, please indicate the preferred wording, and the relevant clause should be quoted against each comment. Likewise, if you find the draft standard suitable and have no comments, please notify accordingly.

5. Comments may be submitted either electronically or in hard copy using the attached comment submission form.

6. Kindly submit your comments on or before **10th October 2026**.

7. We appreciate your continued cooperation and valuable contribution to the development of National Standards.

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For: **DIRECTOR GENERAL**

Attach.

- Draft Standards
- Commenting sheet



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