



TANZANIA BUREAU OF STANDARDS

APPLICABLE PENALTY FOR UNINSPECTED REGULATED PRODUCTS UNDER THE PVOC PROGRAMME

The importation of PVoC regulated products/commodities without a Certificate of Conformity (CoC) shall be subjected to Destination Inspection (DI) with Penalty. The penalty is calculated as 15% of the total invoice value of the PVoC-regulated commodities or products as assessed by Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA).

Costs of Destination Inspection for general goods are as follows:

- Inspection fee - TZS 100,000
- Testing fee - Varies depending on product
- Batch certification fee for sugar - 2.5 Tsh/kg
- Batch certification fee for other products/commodities – 6 Tsh/kg

NB: IF THE CONSIGNMENT INSPECTED AT THE DESTINATION DOES NOT MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE RELEVANT STANDARDS, THE GOODS WILL EITHER BE RETURNED TO THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN/EXPORT OR DESTROYED AT THE IMPORTER'S EXPENSE.