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Member of the International Organization for Standardization (ISO), Codex Alimentarius Commission (WHO/FAO), Agent for ISO and other National Standards Bodies.

**To all stakeholders,**

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

Please refer to the heading above.

Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of developing eleven standards on;

1. **BCDC 6 (51) CD3 Plywood** — Vocabulary.
2. **BCDC 6 (49) CD3 Plywood** — Classification.
3. **BCDC 6 (57) CD3 Plywood**— Classification by surface appearance —Part 1: General.
4. **BCDC 6 (58) CD3 Plywood**— Classification by surface appearance — Part 2: Hardwood.
5. **BCDC 6 (59) CD3 Plywood**— Classification by surface appearance —Part 3: Softwood.
6. **BCDC 6 (53) CD3 Plywood** — Tolerances on dimensions.
7. **BCDC 6 (60) CD3 Plywood** — Specifications.
8. **BCDC 6 (67) CD3 Plywood** — Bonding quality —Part 2: Requirements.
9. **BCDC 6 (61) CD3 Plywood** — Decorative veneered plywood.
10. **BCDC 6 (62) CD3 Wood-based panels** — Plywood — Blockboards and battenboards.
11. **BCDC 9 (15) CD3 Glass in building** — Glass blocks — Specification and test method.

According to procedures for preparation of Tanzania Standards, the draft standards are to be circulated for stakeholders' comments.


Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly request you to go through the draft standards and send your comments regarding its technical contents. Suggestion which entails revision of text should indicate the preferred wording and the relevant clause should be quoted against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.

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

We will appreciate receiving your comments before **2021-02-09**.

Thanking you in advance for your kindly and continued cooperation.

Sincerely Yours,

  
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