



**TANZANIA BUREAU OF STANDARDS (TBS)**

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## INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS

Dear Sir/Madam,

### RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS CIRCULATED FOR STAKEHOLDER'S COMMENTS

Please refer to the heading above.

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

- i) BCDC 5 (693) CD 2 - Standard Specification for Viscosity-Graded Asphalt Binder for use in pavement Construction
- ii) BCDC 6 (671) CD2: 2021/ISO 9424:2003 - Wood-based panels - Determination of dimensions of test pieces
- iii) BCDC 6 (672) CD2: 2021/ISO 9426:2003 - Wood-based panels - Determination of dimensions of panels
- iv) BCDC 6 (673) CD2: 2021/ISO 9427:2003 - Wood-based panels - Determination of density
- v) BCDC 6 (674) CD2: 2021/ISO 12466-1:2007 - Plywood - Bonding quality - Part 1: Test methods
- vi) BCDC 6 (675) CD2: 2021/ISO 16572:2008 - Timber structures - Wood-based panels - Test methods for structural properties
- vii) BCDC 6 (676) CD2: 2021/ISO 16978:2003 - Wood-based panels - Determination of modulus of elasticity in bending and of bending strength
- viii) BCDC 6 (677) CD2: 2021/ISO 16979:2003 - Wood-based panels - Determination of moisture content
- ix) BCDC 6 (678) CD2: 2021/ISO 18775:2020 - Veneers - Terms and definitions, determination of physical characteristics and tolerances
- x) BCDC 6 (679) CD2: 2021/ISO 12460-1:2007 - Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 1: Formaldehyde emission by the 1-cubic-metre chamber method
- xi) BCDC 6 (680) CD2: 2021/ISO 12460-3:2020 - Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 3: Gas analysis method
- xii) BCDC 6 (681) CD2: 2021/ISO 12460-4:2016 - Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 4: Desiccator method
- xiii) BCDC 6 (682) CD2: 2021/ISO 12460-5:2015 - Wood-based panels - Determination of formaldehyde release - Part 5: Extraction method (called the perforator method)
- xiv) BCDC 6 (683) CD2: 2021/ISO 16999:2003 - Wood-based panels - Sampling and cutting of test pieces
- xv) BCDC 15 (100) CD2: 2021/ISO 8272:1985 - Doorsets - Air permeability test
- xvi) BCDC 15 (101) CD2: 2021/ISO 8273:1985 - Doors and doorsets-Standard atmospheres for testing the performance of doors and doorsets placed between different climates

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- xvii) BCDC 15 (102) CD2: 2021/ISO 9379:2005 - Operating forces - Test method – Doors
- xviii) BCDC 15 (103) CD2: 2021/ISO 8248:1985 - Windows and door height windows - Mechanical tests
- xix) BCDC 15 (104) CD2: 2021/ISO 15821:2007 - Doorsets and windows - Water-tightness test under dynamic pressure - Cyclonic aspects
- xx) BCDC 15 (105) CD2: 2021/ISO 9380:1990 - Doorsets - Repeated torsion test
- xxi) BCDC 15 (106) CD2: 2021/ISO 15822:2007 - Test method of doorset opening performance in diagonal deformation - Seismic aspects
- 3 According to procedures for development of Tanzania Standards, the draft Standards are hereby circulated for stakeholders' comments.
- 4 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 against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.
- 5 The draft Tanzania Standard for comments are adopted ISO Standards, therefore due to ISO copyrights we have published only the title and scope of each standard. The complete content can be obtained from TBS library.
- 6 Your comments can be submitted in electronic form or hard copy as per attached form.
- 7 We will appreciate receiving your comments before 2021-05-21
- 8 We thank you for your kindly and continued cooperation.
- 9 Sincerely yours,

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