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To all interested parties;

Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: DRAFT STANDARDS FOR STAKEHOLDERS COMMENTS**

Please refer to the heading above.

Tanzania Bureau of Standards is in the process of developing standards on:

1. TBS/ MMDC 9 (803) DTZS Standard Specification for Activated carbon used for precious metal recovery
2. TBS/; MMDC 9 (1179) DTZS Standard Test Method for Ball-Pan Hardness of Activated Carbon
3. TBS/MMDC 9 (1180) DTZS Standard Test Method for Particle Size Distribution of Granular Activated Carbon
4. TBS/MMDC 9 (1181) DTZS Standard Test Method for Apparent Density of Activated Carbon
5. TBS/MMDC 9 (1182) DTZS Test Method Determination of Butane Activity of Activated Carbon
6. TBS/MMDC 9 (1183) DTZS Test Method for Ignition Temperature of Granular Activated Carbon
7. TBS/MMDC 9 (1184) DTZS Test Method for pH of Activated Carbon
8. TBS/MMDC 2 (507) DTZS Detonators for use in mining blasting operations - Part 1: Requirements for electronic initiation systems
9. TBS/MMDC 2 (510) DTZS Detonators for use in mining blasting operations - Part 2: Requirements for electric initiation systems - Shot exploder based
10. TBS/MMDC 6 (1046) DTZS Iron Ores-Determination of arsenic content-Molybdenum blue spectrophotometric method

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11. TBS/MMDC 6 (1048) DTZS Iron ores and direct reduced iron-Determination of size distribution by sieving
12. TBS/MMDC 6 (1049) DTZS Iron ores for blast furnace and direct reduction feedstocks-Determination of bulk density
13. TBS/MMDC 6 (1050) DTZS Direct reduced iron and hot briquetted Iron-Sampling and sample preparation
14. TBS/MMDC 6 (1051) DTZS Iron Ores-Determination of titanium-Diantiprylmethane spectrophotometric method
15. TBS/MMDC 6 (1052) DTZS Iron Ores-Determination of vanadium-Part 2: Flame atomic absorption spectrometric methods
16. TBS/MMDC 4 (1338) DTZS Wireline diamond core drilling equipment - System A - Part 1: Metric units
17. TBS/MMDC 4 (1339) DTZS Wireline diamond core drilling equipment - System A - Part 2: Inch units
18. TBS/MMDC 4 (1340) DTZS Rock drilling equipment - Rope threaded drill steel equipment for percussive drilling, nominal sizes 22 mm to 38 mm
19. TBS/MMDC 4 (1341) DTZS Rock drilling equipment - Left-hand rope threads

Therefore, we hereby requesting your comments and opinions on adopting these attached herein draft standards as national standards.

The comments should be specific and the relevant clause (s) out to be quoted against the comments.

Wherever possible give the preferred wording. If the drafts are generally acceptable, the Bureau will also appreciate if you say so, preferably by **13<sup>th</sup> June, 2022**, by filling in the comments in the form attached herein.

All correspondence pertaining to these draft standards should be addressed to the Director General, Tanzania Bureau of Standards through; [info@tbs.go.tz](mailto:info@tbs.go.tz) and copied to [projestus.kasimbazi@tbs.go.tz](mailto:projestus.kasimbazi@tbs.go.tz).

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