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## **DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARD**

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**Tea - Classification of grades by particle size analysis**

**TANZANIA BUREAU OF STANDARD**

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## **0 National foreword**

The Tanzania Bureau of Standards is the statutory national standards body for Tanzania, established under the Act. No.3 of 1975, amended by Act. No. 2 of 2009.

This draft Tanzania Standard is being prepared by the Tea Technical Committee, under the supervision of the Agriculture and Food Standards Divisional Committee (AFDC).

This draft Tanzania Standard is the identical adoption of ISO 11286:2004 Tea - Classification of grades by particle size analysis published by the International Organization for Standardization (ISO).

### **Terminology and conventions**

The text of the International standard is hereby being recommended for approval without deviation for publication as draft Tanzania standard.

Some terminology and certain conventions are not identical with those used as Tanzania Standards; attention is drawn to the following:

The comma has been used as decimal marker for metric dimensions. In Tanzania, its current practice to use a full point on the base line as decimal marker.

Wherever the words "International Standard" appear, referring to this draft standard, Tanzania Standard, they should read as "Tanzania Standard".

## **1 scope**

This International standard specifies a method for the classification of grades of tea according to an analysis of their particle size. It is not applicable to large, leafy grades of tea.

This method may not be suitable for blends of tea.