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All members of the Board of the Directors All relevant Ministries/Institutions/Organizations/Companies All members of the Cereal, Pulses and their products Technical Committee (EASC/TC014) All members of the Divisional Committee

RE: DRAFT EAST AFRICAN STANDARDS FOR STAKEHOLDER'S COMMENTS,

Kindly refer to the heading above.

2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of developing standards on Cereal, Pulses and their products as indicated below:

- (i) DEAS 43:2022 Bread -Specification
- (ii) DEAS128:2022 Milled Rice Specification
- (iii) DEAS 327:2022 Brewing barley Specification
- (iv) DEAS 800:2022 Soy milk Specification
- (v) DEAS 801:2022 Soy protein products Specification
- (vi) DEAS 802:2022 Textured soy protein products Specification

3. According to procedures for preparation of East African Standard(s), 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 should be quoted against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.

- 5. Your comments can be submitted in electronic form or hard copy as per attached form.
- 6. The Bureau will appreciate receiving your comments if any, before 6th February 2023.

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- 7. Thank you in advance for your kind and continued cooperation.
- 8. Yours Sincerely

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