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All members of Food Packaging and Labelling (AFDC 2),  
All members of Agriculture and Food Divisional Committee (AFDC).

**RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Please refer to the heading above

2.0 I wish to inform you that, Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of Developing Standards on coffee and coffee products.

3.0 In accordance with the principles and procedures for development of Tanzania Standards, Draft Standards for Coffee and related products Technical Committee (AFDC 24) has developed standards on coffee and coffee products and are now circulated for public review as indicated below:

- i. AFDC 2 (1574) DTZS/ISO 13106:2014 Plastics — Blow-moulded polypropylene containers for packaging of liquid Foodstuffs
- ii. AFDC 2 (1576) DTZS/ISO 18601:2013 Packaging and the environment-General requirements for the use of ISO standards in the field of packaging and the environment
- iii. AFDC 2 (1577) DTZS/ISO 18603:2013 Packaging and the environment-Reuse

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- iv. AFDC 2 (1578) DTZS/ISO 18604:2013 Packaging and the environment-Material recycling.
- v. AFDC 2 (1579) DTZS/ISO 18605:2013 Packaging and the environment-Energy recovery
- vi. AFDC 2 (1580) DTZS/ISO 18606:2013 Packaging and the Environment-Organic Recycling
- vii. AFDC 2 (1582) DTZS/ISO 21067-2:2015 Packaging — Vocabulary — Part 2: Packaging and the environment terms
- viii. AFDC 2 (1583) DTZS/ISO 7348:1992 Glass Containers-Manufacture-Vocabulary
- ix. AFDC 2 (1584) DTZS/ ISO 780:2015 Packaging — Distribution packaging — Graphical symbols for handling and storage of packages

4.0 Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly request you to go through the draft standards and send your comments regarding to 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.

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

6.0 We will appreciate receiving your comments before **2023-02-19**.

7.0 Thanking you in advance for your kind and continued cooperation.



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For: **DIRECTOR GENERAL**

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