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All members of Board of Directors, All relevant Ministries/institutions/Organizations/Companies, All members of Cereal and Pulses Technical Committee (AFDC 16), All members of Agriculture and Food Divisional Committee (AFDC).

RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS UNDER THE CEREAL, PULSES AND THEIR DERIVED PRODUCTS TECHNICAL COMMITTEE (AFDC16) FOR PUBLIC REVIEWS

Please refer to the heading above

- 2.0 I kindly wish to inform you that, Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of developing standards on Cereal, Pulses and their derived products (AFDC16).
- 3.0 In accordance with the principles and procedures for development of Tanzania Standards for Cereals, pulses and derived product Technical Committee Ten (10) draft standards on Cereals, pulses and derived product and are now circulated for public review as indicated below:
 - 1. AFDC16 (1669) DTZS Edible maize starch (corn) flour -Specification
 - 2. AFDC16 (1822) DTZS Cooked maize Specification
 - 3. AFDC 16 (1823) DTZS Dry mixed beans –Specification
 - 4. AFDC 16 (1825) DTZS Roasted Soya bean flour Specification
 - 5. AFDC 16 (1828) DTZS Malted sorghum flour Specification
 - 6. AFDC 16 (1830) DTZS Post-harvest and Storage for common beans Code of Practice
 - 7. AFDC 16 (1831) DTZS Post-harvest and Storage for milled rice Code of Practice
 - 8. AFDC 16 (1832) DTZS Post-harvest and Storage for common wheat Code of Practice
 - 9. AFDC 16 (2107) DTZS Soy yoghurt Specification

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10. AFDC 16 (2108) DTZS Plant protein based yoghurt - Specification

- 4.0 According to procedures for preparations of Tanzania Standards, the draft standards are hereby being circulated for stakeholders' comments. Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly request you to go through the draft standards and send your comment regarding their technical contents.
- 5.0 Suggestions which entails revisions 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 comment, please notify accordingly. Your comments can be submitted in an electronic form or hard copy as per attached form.
- 6.0 The Bureau will appreciate receiving your views/difficulties of implementation if any, on the above-mentioned draft standards as earlier as possible but not later than 2023-06-28
- 7.0 Thanking you in advance for your kind and continued cooperation



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