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To: All Packaging stakeholders and

All interested parties.

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Please refer to the heading above,

2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of developing standards on:

- i. **GDC 4 (2167) DTZS Bamboo sticks for culinary and related Purposes-Specification**
- ii. **GDC 4(2166) DTZS Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET) Preforms-Specification**
- iii. **GDC4(2458) DTZS/ISO13194:2011 Box pallets — Principal requirements and test methods**
- iv. **GDC4 (2463) DTZS/ ISO 12776:2008 Pallets — Slip sheets**
- v. **GDC4(2459) DTZS /ISO 445:2013 Pallets for materials handling — Vocabulary**
- vi. **GDC4 (2460) DTZS/ISO 8611- 1:2021 Pallets for materials handling — Flat pallets — Part 1 Test methods.**
- vii. **GDC4 (2461) DTZS /ISO 8611-2:2021 Pallets for materials handling — Flat pallets — Part 2:Performance requirements and selection of tests.**
- viii. **GDC4 (2462) /ISO 8611-3:2011DTZS Pallets for materials handling — Flat pallets — Part 3:Maximum working loads.**

3. According to procedure for preparation of Tanzania standards, the draft standards are

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here by being circulated for stakeholder's comments. Due to copy right issues only scope is provided, for full standard visit TBS library.

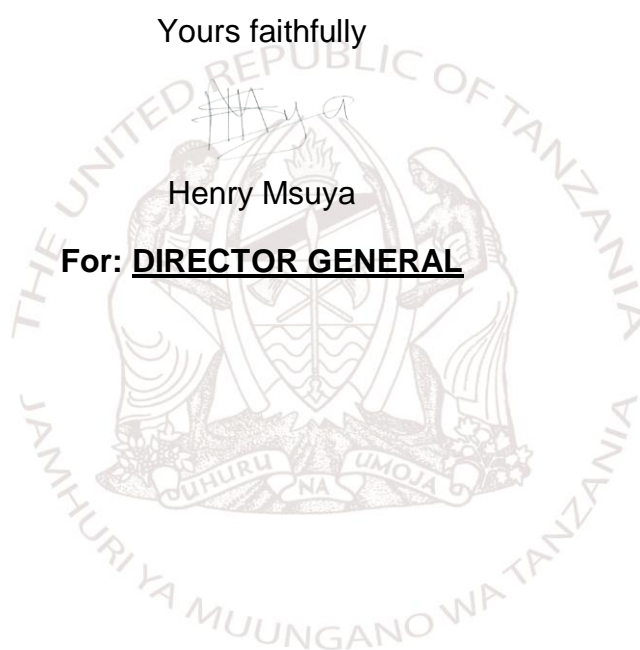
4. Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly requested to go through the above draft standards (complete document for ISO/IEC standard can be obtained from TBS library) and send your comments regarding its technical contents. Suggestion which entails revision of text should indicate the preferred wording and the relevant clause 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. We will appreciate receiving your comments before **20th January 2024**.
7. We thank you for your kindly and continued cooperation.

Yours faithfully

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