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INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS

Re: **DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS FOR STAKEHOLDERS' COMMENTS**

Kindly refer to the heading above.

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

- a) TDC 5(1668) DTZS Textiles - Seam tensile properties of fabrics and made-up textile articles - Part 1: Determination of maximum force to seam rupture using the strip method.
- b) TDC 5(2231) DTZS Textiles - Geotextiles and geotextile-related products - Determination of water permeability characteristics normal to the plane, without load.
- c) TDC 5 (2427) DTZS Textiles - Determination of the elasticity of fabrics - Part 1: Strip tests.
- d) TDC 5 (2428) DTZS Textiles - Determination of the elasticity of fabrics - Part 2: Multiaxial tests.
- e) TDC 5 (2429) DTZS Textiles - Determination of the elasticity of fabrics - Part 3: Narrow fabrics.
- f) TDC 5(2127) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 4: Mixtures of certain protein fibres with certain other fibres (method using hypochlorite).
- g) TDC 5(2128) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 5: Mixtures of viscose, cupro or modal and cotton fibres (method using sodium zincate).
- h) TDC 5(2129) DTZS Textiles - Quantitative chemical analysis - Part 7 Mixtures of polyamide with certain other fibres (method using formic acid).
- i) TDC 5(2130) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 8: Mixtures of acetate and triacetate fibres (method using acetone).
- j) TDC 5(2131) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 9: Mixtures of acetate with certain other fibres (method using benzyl alcohol).
- k) TDC 5(2132) DTZS Textiles - Quantitative chemical analysis - Part 11 Mixtures of certain cellulose fibres with certain other fibres (method using sulfuric acid)

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- l) TDC 5(2133) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 12: Mixtures of acrylic, certain modacrylics, certain chlorofibres, certain elastane fibres with certain other fibres (method using dimethylformamide).
- m) TDC 5(2134) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 15: Mixtures of jute with certain animal fibres (method by determining nitrogen content).
- n) TDC 5(2135) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 16: Mixtures of polypropylene fibres with certain other fibres (method using xylene).
- o) TDC 5(2136) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 18: Mixtures of silk with wool or other animal hair (method using sulfuric acid).
- p) TDC 5(2137) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 19: Mixtures of cellulose fibres and asbestos (method by heating).
- q) TDC 5(2138) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 20: Mixtures of elastane with certain other fibres (method using dimethylacetamide)
- r) TDC 5(2139) DTZS Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 21: Mixtures of chlorofibres, certain modacrylics, certain elastanes, acetates, triacetates with certain other fibres (method using cyclohexanone)
- s) TDC 7(2140) DTZS Textiles-Man –Made fibres Generic names
- t) TDC 7(2141) DTZS Textiles - Cotton fibres-test method for sugar content – Spectrophotometry

According to procedures for preparation of Tanzania Standards, the draft titles and scope are hereby being circulated for stakeholders' comments.

3. Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly request you to go through the draft title and scope and send your comments. Suggestion which entails revision of text should indicate the preferred wording and relevant clause should be quoted against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.

4. Your comments can be submitted in electronic form or hard copy as per attached form and we will appreciate receiving your comments before 28th January 2024.

5. Thank you for your kindly and continued cooperation.



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