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TANZANIA BUREAU OF STANDARDS (TBS)

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All Interested Stakeholders
All relevant Ministries/ Institutions/Organizations/Companies

Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: DRAFT EAST AFRICA STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS.

Kindly refer to the above subject matter.

- 2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) in collaboration with the EAC Partner States is in the process of developing the following standards:
 - a) DEAS 134:2024, Cold formed structural steel sections Specification
 - b) DEAS 1220:2024, Steel tubes for non-pressure purposes Steel tubes for rolls for conveyor belt idles Specification
 - c) DEAS 1221:2024, Steel tubes for non-pressure purposes Stainless steel tubes for round, oval, square and rectangular section for furniture Specification
- According to procedures for preparation of Tanzania Standard(s) as well as the procedure for development of East Africa standards, the draft standards are hereby circulated for stakeholders' comments.
- 4. TBS is kindly requesting you to go through the draft standards and send your comments regarding its technical content. 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 either electronic form or hard copy as per attached form. The deadline for submission of comments is on 18th November, 2024 and we will appreciate receiving your comments within the given timeframe.

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- 6. Assuring you of our continued cooperation.
- 7. Yours Sincerely.



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