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

Dear Sir/Madam,

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RE: DRAFT STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS.

Kindly refer to the above subject matter.

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- 2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) in collaboration with the EAC Partner States is in the advanced stages of developing the following Draft East Africa Standards as indicated below:
 - a) DEAS/416:2023, Building and civil engineering Parts of construction works —Roofs and roofing vocabulary
 - b) DEAS/18-1:2023, Cement Part 1: Composition, specification and conformity criteria for common cements
 - c) DEAS/131-1:2023, Concrete —Part 1: Specification, performance, production and conformity
 - d) DEAS148-2:2023, Cement Test methods Part 2: Chemical analysis
 - e) DEAS/489:2023, Concrete poles for telephone, power and lighting purposes Specification
- 3. 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 for the period of sixty (60) days.
- 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 19th January, 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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