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To: Surface Active Agents Stakeholders,
All interested parties.

Dear Sir/Madam;

**RE: DRAFT TANZANIA STANDARDS CIRCULATED FOR STAKEHOLDER'S
COMMENTS**

Please refer to the heading above;

2. Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS) is in the process of reviewing the following standards;

- i. **CDC 2 (3557) CD1** Soaps – Sampling and test methods
- ii. **CDC 2 (3558) CD1** Toilet soap – Specification
- iii. **CDC 2 (3560) CD1** Surface active agents — Detergents — Determination of anionic-active matter hydrolysable and non-hydrolysable under acid conditions
- iv. **CDC 2 (3561) CD1 ISO 4317: 2024** Surface-active agents and detergents — Determination of water content — Karl Fischer methods
- v. **CDC 2 (3562) CD1 ISO: 2871 (Part 1): 2024** Surface active agents – Detergents – Determination of cationic-active matter content – Part 1 – High molecular-mass cationic-active matter
- vi. **CDC 2 (3563) CD1 ISO: 2871 (Part 2): 2024** Surface active agents – Detergents – Determination of cationic-active matter content – Part 2 – Cationic active matter of low molecular mass (between 200 and 500)
- vii. **CDC 2 (3564) CD1 ISO 4319: 1977** Surface active agents – Detergent for washing fabrics – Guide for comparative testing of performance
- viii. **CDC 2 (3565) CD1 ISO 457:1983** Analysis of soaps Part 7: Determination of chloride content- titrimetric method
- ix. **CDC 2 (3567) CD1** Soft Soap

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3. According to procedures for development of Tanzania Standard(s), the Draft Standards are hereby circulated for stakeholders' comments.
4. Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, you're kindly requested to go through the above draft standards 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.
5. These are International Standards proposed for identical adoption; therefore, complete contents of those Standards may be obtained from TBS library.
6. Your comments can be submitted in electronic form or hard copy as per attached form, and we will appreciate receiving your comments before **16th June 2025**. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.

Thanking you in advance for your continued cooperation.



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