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INTERESTED STAKEHOLDERS,

Dear Sir/Madam,

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 the following Six (6) standards on Household Textiles Technical Committee (TDC 3):

- a) DTZS 3955 Textile Floor Covering — artificial grass carpet made of synthetic yarn for landscape — specification
- b) DTZS 4348 Textiles - Requirements for inspection and acceptance of used textile products - Part 2: Used bags and Wallets
- c) DTZS 3956 Textile Floor Covering — Carpet Tiles Made of Synthetic Yarn — Specification
- d) DTZS 3962 Textiles — Requirements for inspection and acceptance of used textile products – Part 3: Used bags (handbags, school bags, laptop bags)
- e) DTZS 3963 Textiles — Requirements for inspection and acceptance of used textile products – Part 4: Used belts
- f) DTZS 3967 Specification for backpack and laptop bags

According to procedures for preparation of Tanzania Standards, the drafts are hereby being circulated for stakeholders' comments.

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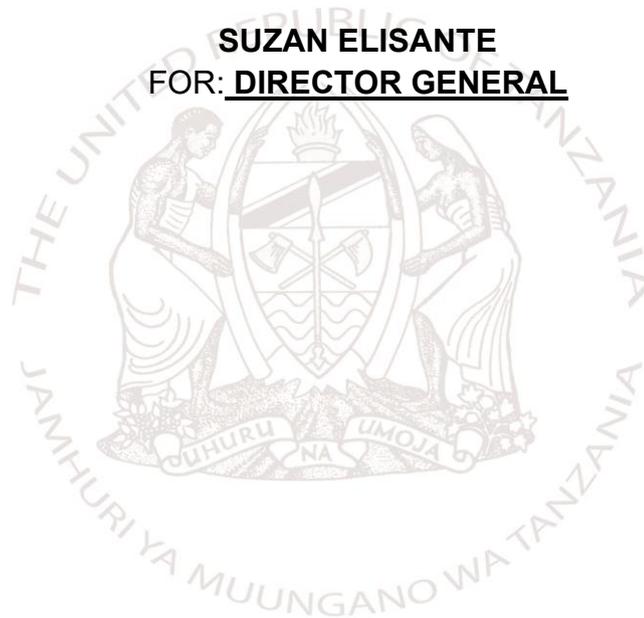
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3. Being one of the key stakeholders in standards development, we kindly request you to go through the drafts, titles and scopes and suggest which entails revision of text should indicate the preferred wording and relevant clause should be quoted against 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 **09th May 2026**.
5. Thank you for your kindly and continued cooperation.

Yours Sincerely,



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