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All members of the Board of Directors,
All relevant Ministries/Institutions/Companies,
All members of the Coffee and Coffee products Technical Committee,
All members of the Agriculture and Food Divisional Committee.

Dear Sir/Madam,

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

The above-mentioned subject refers.

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

- i) AFDC 24 (3077) DTZS/ ISO 23134: 2022, Coffee and Coffee products – Determination of particle size of ground roasted coffee – Horizontal sieving motion method using circular bluses.
- ii) AFDC 24 (3078) DTZS/Rev.TZS 1768: 2015, Code of practice for production, processing and handling of coffee beans.

3. As per the procedures for the preparation of Tanzania Standards, these drafts are being circulated for stakeholders' comments. Due to copyright restrictions, only the scope of the international standards is provided. The full documents can be accessed at the TBS Library.

4. As a key stakeholder in the development of standards, you are kindly requested to review the draft standards and provide your comments, particularly regarding their technical content.

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Suggestions involving text revisions should indicate the preferred wording along with references to the relevant clause(s). If you have no comments and find the drafts acceptable, kindly confirm accordingly.

5. Comments may be submitted electronically or in hard copy using the attached form.
6. We would appreciate receiving your feedback by **23 May, 2026**.
7. We thank you for your continued support and cooperation.



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