

NOTICE OF INQUIRY

CALL FOR PUBLIC MEETING TO COLLECT STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON SONGAS' APPLICATION FOR GAS PROCESSING AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES TARIFF ADJUSTMENT MECHANISM

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority ("EWURA") received **Application № TR-G-08-025** for **Natural Gas Processing and Transportation Tariff Adjustment Mechanism ("Tariff")** from **Songas Limited** ("the Applicant").

In accordance with Section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, EWURA hereby initiates the inquiry process to establish the reasonableness or otherwise of the proposed Tariff applicable to natural gas sold to industries as well as electric power generation plants in Dar es Salaam, effectively from September, 2010.

Interested parties who wish to intervene (supporting or opposing) in this matter may register themselves with EWURA in writing prior 17:00 hours on Wednesday, **24th December, 2008**. Only registered interveners will be allowed to make a presentation at the Public Meeting scheduled on **Monday, 29th December, 2008** and, will receive copies of all permissible materials filed by the Applicant pertinent to this matter. Un-registered interveners will air their views on spot immediately after scheduled presentations.

In that regard, kindly note that the Public Hearing to collect views of stakeholders, including EWURA's Consumer Consultative Council (CCC), the Government Consultative Council (GCC), and the general public shall be held at **Karimjee Hall, Dar es Salaam** from **09:00 hours**.

Within a week after the public hearing meeting, those who wish to submit written views to EWURA pertinent to the inquiry shall be allowed to do so on any working day (i.e. Monday to Friday between 08:00 and 17:00 hours) prior to **Tuesday, 6th January, 2009**. However, you are kindly requested to observe the deadlines as indicated in this notice.

Apart from a copy of **Application № TR-G-08-025**, which is available, free of charge from EWURA website (www.ewura.go.tz), and with exception of confidential materials obtained and retained by EWURA pursuant to Section 25 of Cap 414; all other pertinent details received by EWURA from the Applicant may be obtained upon written request by intervener to EWURA.

Notwithstanding the above, there shall be a nominal charge (of TShs 25,000/=) for interveners who wish to receive a copy of **Application № TR-G-08-025** and permissible details obtained thereafter from the Applicant. Such amount covers essential expenses with regard to photocopying, clerical work and either postage or door-to-door delivery. Reading the Application at EWURA's Offices during office hours is free of charge.

Further details may be obtained upon written request to EWURA using the following address:-

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