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**PUBLIC NOTICE ON INDICATIVE AND CAP PRICES FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS IN  
THE COUNTRY EFFECTIVE 10<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2009**

EWURA hereby publishes indicative and cap prices for petroleum products in the Mainland Tanzania local market. The retail and wholesale prices are applicable effective Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> February 2009.

**A: RETAIL PRICES**

<b>PETROL</b>			<b>KEROSENE</b>		
<b>Town</b>	<b>Indicative Price (TZS/LT)</b>	<b>Price Cap (TZS/LT)</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Indicative Price (TZS/LT)</b>	<b>Price Cap (TZS/LT)</b>
Arusha	1,314	<i>1,413</i>	Arusha	896	<i>963</i>
Dar Es Salaam	1,218	<i>1,310</i>	Dar Es Salaam	800	<i>860</i>
Dodoma	1,287	<i>1,384</i>	Dodoma	869	<i>935</i>
Iringa	1,303	<i>1,401</i>	Iringa	885	<i>952</i>
Bukoba	1,475	<i>1,586</i>	Bukoba	1,057	<i>1,137</i>
Kigoma	1,475	<i>1,586</i>	Kigoma	1,057	<i>1,137</i>
Moshi	1,296	<i>1,394</i>	Moshi	878	<i>944</i>
Lindi	1,314	<i>1,413</i>	Lindi	896	<i>964</i>
Mbeya	1,321	<i>1,420</i>	Mbeya	903	<i>971</i>
Musoma	1,458	<i>1,568</i>	Musoma	1,040	<i>1,118</i>
Babati	1,334	<i>1,434</i>	Babati	916	<i>985</i>
Morogoro	1,256	<i>1,351</i>	Morogoro	838	<i>901</i>
Mwanza	1,427	<i>1,534</i>	Mwanza	1,009	<i>1,085</i>
Mtwara	1,298	<i>1,396</i>	Mtwara	880	<i>946</i>
Kibaha	1,248	<i>1,342</i>	Kibaha	830	<i>893</i>
Sumbawanga	1,361	<i>1,463</i>	Sumbawanga	943	<i>1,013</i>
Songea	1,336	<i>1,436</i>	Songea	918	<i>987</i>
Singida	1,306	<i>1,404</i>	Singida	888	<i>954</i>
Shinyanga	1,350	<i>1,451</i>	Shinyanga	932	<i>1,002</i>
Tabora	1,350	<i>1,451</i>	Tabora	932	<i>1,002</i>
Tanga	1,287	<i>1,384</i>	Tanga	869	<i>935</i>

**DIESEL (Sulphur 5000 PPM)**

Town	Indicative Price (TZS/LT)	Price Cap (TZS/LT)
Arusha	1345	1446
Dar Es Salaam	1250	1343
Dodoma	1319	1418
Iringa	1335	1435
Bukoba	1507	1620
Kigoma	1507	1620
Moshi	1328	1427
Lindi	1346	1447
Mbeya	1353	1454
Musoma	1490	1601
Babati	1365	1468
Morogoro	1288	1384
Mwanza	1459	1568
Mtwara	1330	1429
Kibaha	1280	1376
Sumbawanga	1392	1496
Songea	1367	1470
Singida	1337	1437
Shinyanga	1381	1485
Tabora	1381	1485
Tanga	1319	1418

**DIESEL (Sulphur 500 PPM)**

Town	Indicative Price (TZS/LT)	Price Cap (TZS/LT)
Arusha	1381	1485
Dar Es Salaam	1285	1382
Dodoma	1354	1456
Iringa	1370	1473
Bukoba	1542	1658
Kigoma	1542	1658
Moshi	1363	1465
Lindi	1381	1485
Mbeya	1388	1492
Musoma	1525	1640
Babati	1401	1506
Morogoro	1323	1422
Mwanza	1494	1606
Mtwara	1365	1468
Kibaha	1315	1414
Sumbawanga	1428	1535
Songea	1403	1508
Singida	1372	1475
Shinyanga	1417	1523
Tabora	1417	1523
Tanga	1354	1456

**A: WHOLESALE PRICES**

Wholesale Prices - DSM	Petrol	Diesel (5000 ppm)	Diesel (500 ppm)	Kerosene
Indicative Prices	1,154.86	1,186.12	1,221.75	736.84
Cap Prices	1,241.48	1,275.08	1,313.38	792.10

**NOTE:**

- (a) Since the last publication, Petroleum prices have gone down as follows: Petrol 0.49%, Diesel (5000ppm) 3.61%, Diesel (500 ppm) 3.52% and Kerosene 5.05% as compared to last week's prices because of reduction in the world market's prices for diesel and kerosene and also due to a

slight appreciation of the Tanzania Shilling compared to US dollar, which is currency in which purchases of products in the international oil market are made.

- (b) In line with the prevailing sector legislation, prices of petroleum products shall be governed by rules of supply and demand. EWURA shall continue to encourage competition in the sector by making available petroleum products pricing information including price cap. This is intended to enable stakeholders to make informed decisions on petroleum prices at any particular time.
- (c) Oil marketing companies are free to sell their products at prices that give them competitive advantage, provided that such prices do not exceed the price cap for the relevant product. The price cap has been set at 7.5 per cent of the indicative prices as computed by EWURA in accordance with the approved formula. The approved formula was gazetted through Government Notice No. 5 of 9<sup>th</sup> January 2009.
- (d) All petrol stations should publish on clearly visible boards prices charged for each of the petroleum products. The price boards should be located in clearly visible places in front of petrol stations and should clearly show prices charged, discounts offered as well as any trade incentives or promotions on offer. Where it is possible to choose between suppliers, consumers are advised to purchase from those selling products at the most competitive prices.
- (e) All petrol stations selling or offering for sale diesel of different quality (500 ppm and 5000 ppm) should clearly mark the dispensing pumps with the name of the product it is dispensing. **Selling or offering for sale diesel of a different quality from that indicated on the pump will be considered as adulteration and will attract punitive measures from EWURA.**
- (f) Consumers are advised to demand receipts that clearly show the name of petrol station, date on which such purchase was made, the type of fuel and price per litre for every purchase they make. This can be used as an exhibit in case of a complaint lodged in the event that the selling price is above the cap price or in case the products sold is off the approved specifications.



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