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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON THE TARIFF APPLICATION FROM WANGING'OMBE WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY ("Wanging'ombe WSSA") FOR YEAR 2018/19 – 2020/21

#### Tariff Application No. TR-W-18-012

On 04<sup>th</sup> July 2018 the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) received a Tariff Application from Wanging'ombe Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Wanging'ombe WSSA) requesting for a multiyear tariff adjustment for water services. Tables 1 to 5 below present detailed schedules of the current and proposed tariffs and charges.

**Table 1: Current and Proposed Water Tariff (TZS/m<sup>3</sup>)**

| Customer Category      | Consumption (M3) | Current Tariff | Proposed Tariff |         |          |         |          |         |
|------------------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|
|                        |                  | 2017/18        | % Change        | 2018/19 | % Change | 2019/20 | % Change | 2020/21 |
| Domestic               | 0-10             | 345            | 240%            | 1,172   | 20%      | 1,406   | 10%      | 1,547   |
|                        | >-10             | 395            | 209%            | 1,222   | 19%      | 1,456   | 10%      | 1,597   |
| Commercial             | 0-50             | 390            | 240%            | 1,325   | 20%      | 1,590   | 10%      | 1,749   |
|                        | >-50             | 455            | 205%            | 1,390   | 19%      | 1,655   | 10%      | 1,814   |
| Institutions           | >-50             | 335            | 240%            | 1,138   | 20%      | 1,365   | 10%      | 1,502   |
| Religious Institutions | 0-50             | 335            | 240%            | 1,138   | 20%      | 1,365   | 10%      | 1,502   |
|                        | >-10             | 335            | 240%            | 1,138   | 20%      | 1,365   | 10%      | 1,502   |
| Kiosk                  | 0-10             | 345            | 240%            | 1,172   | 20%      | 1,406   | 10%      | 1,547   |
|                        | >-10             | 395            | 209%            | 1,222   | 19%      | 1,456   | 10%      | 1,597   |
| Cattle Trough          | 0-50             | 390            | 240%            | 1,325   | 20%      | 1,590   | 10%      | 1,749   |
|                        | >-50             | 455            | 205%            | 1,390   | 19%      | 1,655   | 10%      | 1,814   |

**Table 2: Current and Proposed Service Charge (TZS/Month)**

| Customer category      | Current Tariff | Proposed Charge |         |          |         |          |         |
|------------------------|----------------|-----------------|---------|----------|---------|----------|---------|
|                        | 2017/18        | % Change        | 2018/19 | % Change | 2019/20 | % Change | 2020/21 |
| Domestic               | 500            | -100%           | 0       | 0%       | 0       | 0%       | 0       |
| Commercial             | 1,000          | -100%           | 0       | 0%       | 0       | 0%       | 0       |
| Institution            | 1,000          | -100%           | 0       | 0%       | 0       | 0%       | 0       |
| Religious Institutions | 1,000          | -100%           | 0       | 0%       | 0       | 0%       | 0       |
| Cattle Trough          | 1,000          | -100%           | 0       | 0%       | 0       | 0%       | 0       |

**Table 3: Current and Proposed New Water Connection Fee (TZS/Connection)**

| Customer Category | Current Tariff |          | Proposed Fees |          |         |          |         |
|-------------------|----------------|----------|---------------|----------|---------|----------|---------|
|                   | 2017/18        | % Change | 2018/19       | % Change | 2019/20 | % Change | 2020/21 |
| Domestic          | 32,000         | 15%      | 36,800        | 15%      | 42,320  | 15%      | 48,668  |
| Commercial        | 40,000         | 22%      | 48,875        | 15%      | 56,206  | 15%      | 64,637  |
| Institution       | 40,000         | 22%      | 48,875        | 15%      | 56,206  | 15%      | 64,637  |
| Cattle Trough     | 40,000         | 22%      | 48,875        | 15%      | 56,206  | 15%      | 64,637  |

**Table 4: Current and Proposed Water Reconnection Fee (TZS/Re-Connection)**

| Customer category      | Current Tariff | Proposed Fees |         |          |         |         |         |
|------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|----------|---------|---------|---------|
|                        | 2017/18        | % Change      | 2018/19 | % Change | 2019/20 | %Change | 2020/21 |
| Domestic               | 15,000         | 33%           | 20,000  | 25%      | 25,000  | 20%     | 30,000  |
| Commercial             | 20,000         | 25%           | 25,000  | 20%      | 30,000  | 17%     | 35,000  |
| Institution            | 21,000         | 19%           | 25,000  | 20%      | 30,000  | 17%     | 35,000  |
| Cattle Trough          | 15,000         | 67%           | 25,000  | 20%      | 30,000  | 17%     | 35,000  |
| Religious Institutions | 21,000         | 19%           | 25,000  | 20%      | 30,000  | 17%     | 35,000  |
| Kiosk                  | 15,000         | 33%           | 20,000  | 25%      | 25,000  | 20%     | 30,000  |

**Table 5: Current and Proposed Fees for Application Form (TZS)**

| Customer category | Current Tariff | Proposed Fees for Three Years |           |         |         |         |         |
|-------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                   | 2016/17        | % Change                      | 2017/2018 | %Change | 2018/19 | %Change | 2019/20 |
| Domestic          | 2,000          | 25%                           | 2,500     | 20%     | 3,000   | 17%     | 3,500   |
| Commercial        | 2,500          | 20%                           | 3,000     | 17%     | 3,500   | 14%     | 4,000   |
| Institution       | 2,500          | 20%                           | 3,000     | 17%     | 3,500   | 14%     | 4,000   |
| Cattle Trough     | 2,500          | 20%                           | 3,000     | 17%     | 3,500   | 14%     | 4,000   |

According to Wanging'ombe WSSA, the proposed increase will enable it to pay for expenses which incurs for operational and maintenance of water supply network, statutory service charges and levies, Capital Investment and extension of service coverage to new developed areas.

Pursuant to sub-section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, there shall be a public inquiry meeting on **Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> August 2018 at Kichina Hall in Wanging'ombe town from 10:00hrs** to collect views of stakeholders including Government Consultative Council (GCC), Consumer Consultative Council (CCC) and the general public on the reasonableness of the proposed tariff application.

Those who wish to submit written comments on the reasonableness of the proposed tariff and charges are invited to do so by writing to the Director General using the above mentioned address at any time before **31<sup>st</sup> August 2018**. More details of the application can be obtained from EWURA Headquarters, **4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, LAPF HOUSE MAKOLE ROAD, DODOMA** or **EWURA SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS ZONE OFFICE, 4<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, NHC BUILDING, UHINDINI AREA, MBEYA**, or from Wanging,ombe WSSA Office in Wanging'ombe town.

**Issued by:**  
**Acting Director General**  
**Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority**  
**2<sup>nd</sup> August 2018**