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PUBLIC NOTICE

A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON THE TARIFF APPLICATION FROM KARAGWE WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (KARAGWE WSSA) FOR YEAR 2018/19

Tariff Application No. TR-W-18-014-2018/2019

On 26th October 2018, EWURA received complete Tariff Application from Karagwe Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Karagwe WSSA) requesting for tariff adjustment for the year 2018/19 for water supply services. Tables 1 to 5 below show current and proposed tariffs and charges.

Table 1: Current and Proposed Metered Water Tariff (TZS/m³)

Customer Category	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariff	
	2017/18	% Change	2018/19
Domestic	800	125%	1,800
Institutional	1,000	100%	2,000
Commercial	1,025	144%	2,500
Water Kiosk	2,500	100%	5,000
Car wash	-		5,000
Building Activities	-		5,000

Table 2: Current and Proposed Flat Rates (TZS/Month)

Customer Category	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariffs	
	2017/18	% Change	2018/19
Domestic	6,500	54%	10,000
Institutional	9,500	163%	25,000
Commercial	10,000	150%	25,000
Car wash	-		30,000
Building activities	-		30,000

Table 3: Current and Proposed Service Charge (TZS/Month)

Customer Category	Current Charge	Proposed Charges	
	2017/18	% Change	2018/19
Domestic	800	25%	1,000
Institutional	800	88%	1,500
Commercial	800	88%	1,500
Car wash	-		3,000
Building Activities			5,000

Table 4: Current and Proposed New Connection Fees (TZS/ Connection)

Customer Category	Current Fee	Proposed Fees
	2017/18	2018/19
Domestic	20% of Material cost	50,000
Institutional		75,000
Commercial		75,000
Industrial	-	75,000
Water Kiosk	-	75,000
Car wash	-	75,000
Building Activities	-	75,000

Table 5: Current and Proposed Water Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees	
	2017/18	% Change	2018/19
Domestic	10,500	0%	10,500
Institutional	11,500	74%	20,000
Commercial	11,500	74%	20,000
Car wash	-	-	20,000
Building Activities	-	-	20,000

According to Karagwe WSSA, the main aim of tariff adjustment is to recover costs incurred in water production, distribution, and maintenance of water distribution network, depreciation of assets, replacement and investment in order to expand customer base and improve service delivery.

Pursuant to Section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, there shall be a public inquiry meeting on **Wednesday, 21st November 2018 at Angaza Conference Hall** in Kayanga Town (Karagwe) from **10:00hrs**. The main objective of the meeting is to collect views of stakeholders including Government Consultative Council (GCC), Consumer Consultative Council (CCC), Karagwe WSSA's customers 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 tariffs are invited to do so by writing to the Director General using the above mentioned address at any time by **28th November 2018**. More details of the application can be obtained from **EWURA LAKE ZONE OFFICES 4TH FLOOR, FRONT WING, PPF PLAZA, KENYATTA ROAD, MWANZA** or from **KARAGWE WSSA OFFICES, IN KARAGWE**.

Issued by:
Acting Director General
The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority

5th November 2018