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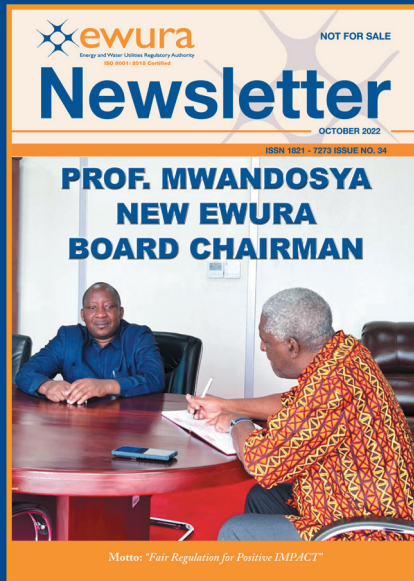
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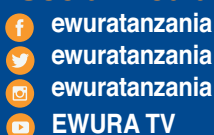
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COVER PHOTO:

EWURA Board Chairman, Professor Mark Mwandosya (left) receives an Award of Institution with Best Media Relationship for the year 2022 from EWURA's Director General, Dr. James Andilile when the Board met for Ordinary Meeting on 23rd February 2023. EWURA emerged overall winner on the Best Media Relationship category at the function organised by the Public Relations Society of Tanzania (PRST) on 18th February 2023.

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FROM THE EDITOR

Our esteemed reader!

I warmly welcome you all to join us in reading our current edition of the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA), Newsletter, the 35th Edition in a series of EWURA Newsletters publications for the year 2023.

I have pleasure to invite you in reading various interesting articles from all our four regulated sectors; three energy sub-sectors; Petroleum, Electricity and Natural Gas; and one Water sector which is Water and Sanitation.

This Edition has compiled various articles covering all activities that have been undertaken for the period between November 2022 and February 2023; and is coming out at the time when the Authority has been blessed with a new Director General, Dkt. James Andilile; upon presidential appointment on 3rd February 2023.

During this period, the Authority undertook many regulatory decisions, some of which have been covered in this edition in compliance with the EWURA Act, Cap 414 of the Laws of Tanzania, Section 6 (e).

Section 6 (e) stipulates that the Authority shall strive to enhance the welfare of Tanzania society by enhancing public knowledge, awareness and understanding of regulated sectors including; the rights and obligations of consumers and regulated suppliers; the way in which complaints and disputes may be initiated and resolved and the duties, functions and activities of the Authority.



Titus M. Kaguho

In this Edition, activities that have got the opportunity to be covered include; handing over of construction approval to EACOP, EWURA directives to petroleum retailers on the use of NPGIS, Africa's first Regulation Centre for Excellency in the offing and many more.

You are welcome!

EWURA Scoops Best Media Relations Excellence Award

By Staff Writer

THE Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) has emerged over role winner of the Excellence Awards for the year 2022 as the best institution in the category of Media Relations in Tanzania, during the recently held Excellence Awards function organized by the Public Relations Society of Tanzania (PRST).

EWURA stood victorious over other institutions in the category, where by Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA) and CRDB Bank emerged the second and third, respectively.

It was a big day for EWURA as it's Communications and Public Relations Manager, Mr. Titus Kaguo also won the award in the category of the best Public Relations Practitioner in the Oil and Gas sector for the year 2022.

EWURA stood apart from its peer institutions and exemplified the importance of applying the best practices in public relations for the benefit of the welfare of Tanzania society so as to increase public awareness of EWURAs regulatory functions.

It is worth noting that Mr. Kaguo nabbed the prestigious award during the first ever Public Relation Excellence Award to honour and recognise public relations practitioners and corporate entities enhancing



AWARDS: Right is the award for EWURA being an institution in Tanzania with the best Media Relationship while the award (left) was awarded to Mr. Titus Kaguo as the best Public Relations Practitioner of the year 2022 in the Oil and Gas Sector

public relations practice in Tanzania.

EWURA is the proud recipient of the highest achievement ever attained as far as Corporate Branding is concerned.

Speaking about the award, EWURA Board Chairman, Professor Mark Mwandosya said the award had rebranded the Authority as very few cases a regulator can be recognized its good job.

"Well done Titus, You have honoured the Authority, keep it up," Said Prof. Mwandosya in a telephone conversation after hearing such good news from media platforms.

For his part, EWURA's Director General, Dr. James Andilile said that was a light for the Authority's success in regulatory dispensations adding: "This is another milestone to the Authority and therefore we are required to maintain such high standards".



EACOP Project becomes a reality

By Staff Writer

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) has granted Construction Approval to the East African Crude Oil Pipeline (EACOP) on Tanzania side construct the crude oil pipeline between Chongoleani, Tanga and Mtukula boarder.

On 21st February EWURA issued Construction Approval in regard to 1,115 Kilometers out of 1,445 kilometers of the project which the Authority is mandated to regulate because the pipeline requires approval from both countries, EWURA in Tanzania and the Ministry of Energy in Uganda whose exercise had already taken place in January 2023.

Issuance of the construction approval marks the conclusion of the processing of the application for the construction approval submitted to EWURA by EACOP on 30th June 2022.

Speaking during the ceremony, EWURA's Director General, Dr. James Andilile said issuance of the construction approval has been in line with EACOP's compliance level with all requirements on construction approvals.

Minister for Energy, January Makamba graced the handover event, held in Dar es Salaam and attended by Regional Commissioners from eight regions of Kagera, Geita, Shinyanga, Tabora, Singida, Dodoma, Manyara and Tanga to which the pipeline will pass. Also, in attendance were Deputy Chairpersons of the Parliamentary Standing Committee for Energy Minerals; and Public Investments, members of various Board of Directors, CEOs of



EWURA's Director General, Dr. James Andilile (Right) handing over Construction Approval to EACOP Ltd Tanzania, General Manager, Ms. Wendy Brown at an event held in Dar es Salaam on 21st February 2023.

various institutions, EWURA Management, officials from EACOP and other invited guests from the petroleum industry.

The Minister in his short speech emphasized the need for the contractors in the project to respect all laid down regulations on Local Content on the ground that if not adhered to, the project may have local content of foreign in nature; therefore, violating the real meaning of local content.

EWURA Board Chairman, Professor Mark Mwandosya assured the Minister and the Government at large that the Board was determined to oversee and supervise all regulatory functions of the EACOP project from construction to operations for the benefit of all East African Society.

The application for the Construction Approval was made in compliance with section 126 of the Petroleum Act, Cap. 392 of the Laws of Tanzania, and Rule 4 of the Petroleum (Pipeline Operations) Rules, GN No. 477 of 2015.

Speaking at the handover ceremony, EACOP Tanzanian General Manager, Ms. Wendy Brown said: "This marks another step forward for EACOP as it allows the commencement of our construction activities in Tanzania upon completion of the ongoing land access process. We are grateful to the government of Tanzania for the expedited delivery of the application as per the commitment in the Host Government Agreement (HGA) and the continuous support for implementation of the EACOP project."



President Samia appoints a regulatory guru EWURA's DG

By Staff Writer

A seasoned regulator, Dr. James Andilile has taken the helm at the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) as Director General, following presidential appointment announced on 3rd February 2023.

Dr. Andilile takes over from Engineer Modestus Lumato, an expert in Oil and Gas who was appointed by the President Samia Suluhu Hassan to lead EWURA in May, 2022.

Dr. Andilile, a PhD holder in Finance, has a long experience on regulatory matters, having been first worked with EWURA as a Manager for Financial Modelling between 2008 and 2012. Among other duties, he was to monitor the financial performance of regulated utilities, including price setting on service provision.

Before appointment as EWURA DG, Dr. Andilile worked as Chief Accountant at the Joint Finance Commission of Ministry of Finance and Planning, while between April 2012 and December 2018, he worked as Assistant Commissioner for Energy at the Ministry of Energy.

Between June 2016 and January 2017, Dr. Andilile was appointed as an Acting Commissioner for Energy and Petroleum Affairs at the Ministry of Energy, having been elevated from the post of Acting Director-General



Director General of EWURA
Dr. James Andilile

of Petroleum Upstream Regulatory Authority (PURA), the post he held between February 2016 and January 2017.

Dr. Andilile also acted in the position of Managing Director at the Tanzania Petroleum Development Corporation (TPDC) between July 2014 and January 2015.

He also served as a Board Chairman of the Petroleum Importation Coordinator (PIC) now Petroleum Bulk Procurement Agency (PBPA) between November 2012 and September 2015.

The coming of Dr. Andilile as EWURA DG adds more weight on dispensation of regulatory functions as he joins the known gurus on regulation; Prof. Mark Mwandosya, who is the current EWURA Board Chairman and founder of regulatory frameworks and regulatory institutions in Tanzania.

Dr. Andilile will be working alongside other members of the Board, Mr. Haruna Masebu, an experienced regulator and founder of EWURA who established EWURA and served as the first DG from 2006 to 2013.

The new DG is expected to utilize experience from other Board Members such as Mr. Fadhili Manongi, another regulator who is a retired Director General of Tanzania Civil Aviation Authority. He will also be supported by Eng. Ngosi Mwhava, a retired Deputy Permanent Secretary at the Ministry of Energy and Ms. Victoria Elangwa, a long-serving human resource expert in various Government institutions.



The Africa's first Regulation Centre for Excellency in the offing

By Staff Writer

THE first ever University status institution in Africa, Energy Regulation Centre for Excellency (ERCE) is set to be constructed at the East African Headquarters, Arusha, following the Government of Tanzania through the Arusha Regional Commissioner, John Mongela agreeing to offer a land of about 10 acres for the construction of the biggest facility in Africa.

This was revealed recently following the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA), Board Chairman, Prof. Mark Mwandosya visit to the Arusha Regional Commissioner, among other things, to get assurance from the RC on the acquisition of the land for the construction of the huge regulation education centre.

Currently all energy regulation related studies are offered by regulation excellency centres in Europe and United States of which Africa has been spending large sum of budgets for training its regulatory expertise abroad.

The ERCE is an arm of the East African Energy Regulators Association (EREA) whose head quarters are based in Arusha with member countries of Kenya, Uganda, Rwanda, South Sudan, Burundi, DRC and Tanzania.

During the meeting with the RC, Prof. Mwandosya said Tanzania was given the honour of hosting the ERCE and therefore seeking land for the institution was a matter of paramount.

"Before we start construction of the Center, EREA Secretariat has been tasked to commence ERCE short courses in regulation at their current offices and once the Government gives us land that will be an important news for the coming EREA General Assembly in July 2023; and fortunately, will



Arusha Regional Commissioner, John Mongella (4th right) with EWURA Board Chairman, professor Mark Mwandosya (centre) in a group photo with EWURA Management and EREA Secretariate after completion of the meeting at Arusha Regional Office.

be held here in Arusha", said Prof Mwandosya.

In his part, RC Mongela thanked Prof. Mwandosya for the courtesy call adding that his office had the mandate to foster regional integration by amongst other things; providing land for the establishment of regional organisations for the benefit of the East African.

"We looking to provide such land in Kisongo Area near the Arusha Airport and God willing by end of this month, I will inform you Chair about the status on this matter", Said RC Mongela.

Prior to the meeting with the RC, Prof. Mwandosya who is a seasoned regulator and founder of many regulatory institutions

in Tanzania had a separate meeting with the EREA Executive Secretary, Dr. Geoffrey Mabea, who said ERCE will be an institution of its kind in Africa and will be a major milestone for the Government of Tanzania.

Dr. Mabea said ERCE will also collaborate with other universities within the East African Community and share information which will bring in useful and crucial information on regulation matters.

Currently, EREA has six Country Liaison Officers from Rwanda, Uganda, Kenya and Tanzania and a busy working on ERCE curriculum, proposing courses, identifying training gaps, updating the calendar of regional experts and looking for funding opportunities.



LPG Stakeholders: Policy reforms needed to promote use of cooking gas

By Staff Writer

STAKEHOLDERS in the Liquefied Petroleum Gas (LPG) are calling for a comprehensive policy approach to promote the use of LPG as a clean cooking energy, in order to conserve environment and health issues.

They told EWURA Board of Directors during a working visit in February this year that the Government ought to take interest into environment in which people would do away with charcoal and firewood as sources of cooking energy.

“We are engaging the Government into this... to prepare a conducive environment where possible policy redress will help to promote the use of LPG instead of charcoal and firewood in Tanzania, by making LPG more cheaper,” said Rizwan Sajan, Managing Director of Manji’s Gas Company.

Mr. Rizwan said LPG importers are in final touches to form a platform which will enable them have a common voice on matters of their interest.

The Board of Directors of EWURA led by its Chairman Prof. Mark Mwandosya, visited some LPG Importers in Dar es Salaam to familiarize itself with issues in the subsector, which includes

operations, infrastructure and challenges.

The Board also visited Taifa Gas Company, located in the Kigamboni neighborhoods, where Operations Manager, Stephano Mwantande said existence of multiple regulatory environment in the LPG market as a major challenge hurting the industry.

“We are engaging the Government into looking at how best we can have a streamlined regulatory environment where one regulator can deal with everything,” he noted, adding that limited public awareness on LPG use benefits has also been an obstacle in promoting the product.

“However, Taifa Gas is constantly engaging itself in vigorous public awareness programs to help the public become aware of the LPG use and benefits associated with its usage,” he said.

The Board was able to see how gas refilling plants work to ensure that human errors

in such areas as correct weight are avoided by using automatic weighing scales.

LPG market in Tanzania has grown tremendously in the last decade. In 2021, LPG imports increased by 28% to 248,216 metric tonnes, compared to 194,597 metric tones imported in 2020.

The increase is attributed to the growing consumption of LPG, following efforts by the Government and LPG marketing companies to create awareness to the public on the importance and convenience of using LPG instead of traditional fuels such as charcoal, firewood and kerosene.

Locally consumed LPG has grown to 136,652 metric tonnes, compared to 121,834 metric tonnes consumed in 2020. Apart from local consumption, export business is also booming. On average, about 111,563 MT of the imported LPG was exported to the neighbouring countries in 2021 compared to 102,375 MT exported in 2020.



WSSAs performance appraisal increases efficiency

By Asiatu Msuya

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA), has every year, been appraising the performance of the Water Utilities and Sanitation Authorities (WSSAs) to ensure they provide adequate services and adhere to quality and set standards.

EWURA's performance rating is based on the evaluation of WSSA's submission of business plans, monthly and annual performance reports, efficiency in non-revenue water and water meters management, customer service, and efficiency in the disbursement of regulatory fees and levies.

The Director of Water and Sanitation Services at EWURA, Eng. Exaudi Fatael has spelled out that the objective of the WSSAs performance review is meant to ensure the authorities comply with the laws, regulations, and guidelines, handle customers' interests, and enhance the quality and efficiency of service delivery.

"The appraisals have stimulated efficiency and quality of services delivery and availability of water production as well as enhancing non-revenue water management", he emphasized.

For 2023, EWURA will launch the 14th WSSAs performance report, for the regional and national projects and the districts and township utilities, as per the EWURA Act, Cap



414, and other laws governing the water sector.

EWURA requires that all WSSAs continually submit monthly and annual performance reports, prepare and implement strategies for the management of non-revenue water, provide customers with verified and re-certified water meters by the relevant authorities, and expand their scope of service delivery.

Utilities are also obliged to strengthen revenue collection, disbursement of regulatory fees and levies, and keep a record

of customer complaints; as well as carry on customers' satisfaction surveys, at least after every three years, which carters to authenticate the level of satisfaction on service delivery. In addition, Authorities should have fecal sludge treatment facilities and a water meter policy in place.

EWURA is legally bound to regulate the technical and economic aspects of water and sanitation services by issuing operating licenses to WSSAs, managing the quality of services, as well as evaluate and approving applicable rates and charges.

Ewura board visits Petroleum Storage Infrastructures in Dar

By Tobietha Makafu

The EWURA Board of Directors has made a working visit to the oil storage infrastructure owned by (TIPER) located at Kigamboni, area Dar es Salaam, to observe the development and challenges facing the company in oil storage activity.



The Minister for Energy, January Makamba (left) receives a copy of Construction Approval from EWURA Board Chairman, Prof. Mark Mwandosya during the handing over ceremony to EACOP, an event held in Dar es Salaam on 21st February 2023.

Giving an introductory word, the Chairman of the Board, Prof. Mark Mwandosya, said, EWURA as the regulator of energy and water utilities, has made the working visit to understand the structure, implementation of duties and challenges facing TIPER.

Making a presentation on the performance of the company, TIPER's Deputy Managing Director, Mr. Martin Mosha said: "TIPER performs its activities strategically to ensure that the country has sufficient oil reserves for domestic use and for some countries that rely on oil transit in the country such as Zambia, Congo, Malawi and Burundi.

Currently, TIPER has an area of 58 Hectares and 32 storage tankers with the capacity of storing 2.53 million liters of oil, having increased from 140 million liters when it started its operation in 1999.

The delegation from EWURA was led by the Board Chairman, Prof. Mark Mwandosya and other members of the Board including the then Director General, Eng. Modestus Lumato, Mr. Fadhil Manongi, Eng. Ngosi Mwihava, Ms. Victoria Elangwa, Dr. James Andilile and Mr. Haruna Masebu.

EWURA is mandated to regulate the Mid and Downstream

petroleum sub-sector in Tanzania Mainland, covering technical, economic and safety regulatory in order to ensure security and quality of petroleum products supply in the country as well as optimizing its costs in respect of procurement, storage, transportation and distribution.

Born out of the ancient AGIP Refinery and originally built in 1966, TIPER is now a vast storage terminal for petroleum products. After the closure of the refinery in 2000, the storage facility that remained underwent major rehabilitation and improvement.

According to the Mid and Downstream Petroleum Subsector Performance Review Report for 2021, Tanzania has a total of 29 oil storage facilities with 75,625 cubic meters, owned by various companies such as Afroil investment, Camel Oil Ltd, G & M Co Mtwara, Gapto (T) Ltd, GBP (T) Ltd, Hass Petroleum Ltd, Lake (T) Ltd, Lake Oil Ltd, MOIL, Oilcom (T) Ltd, Oryx Oil Ltd.

Others are Puma Energy (T) Ltd, Sahara (T) Ltd, Star Oil (T) Ltd, Superstar Forwarders Co Ltd, Vivo Energy and World Oil.



Arusha technical colleges benefits from awareness on electrical installation licences

By **Tobietha Makafu**

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) has provided training about electrical installation license to students at Arusha Technical College (ATC) and Veta Arusha Technical College, and urge the students to have an electrical installation license issued by EWURA so that they can do their activities in accordance with the law.

Speaking during the training, EWURA's Northern zone Manager, Eng. Lorivii Long'idu said, the seminar aimed at providing education to students studying the field of electricity so as to make them aware of EWURA and the electrical installation licenses.

He said, the government has invested energy to ensure that electricity service reaches all the villages in the country, so there will be a need for electricians to work in those areas, this awareness will make the electricians aware of the legal requirements as well as how to apply for licenses for the installation of electrical systems.

"I am warning all illegal electricians, to immediately stop preforming the electrical installation activities because they don't have any knowledge and instead, they should go to technical colleges to learn about electricity installation activities, because the country is governed by laws, rules and procedures," said Eng. Lorivii.

Speaking during the opening of the training, the Rector of the Arusha Technical College, Dr. Mussa Chacha said, the college produce electrical installation personals of various levels, we thank EWURA for this awareness that will help the students to work professionally after completion of their studies.



EWURA has provided awareness to these students, because they are a workforce that expects to enter into the employment market, so they should be aware of the rules, procedures and laws that govern their field of work.

Eng. Lorivii continued by saying that, "According to section 8 of the electricity Act cap 131 of 2008 and the Regulations for the installation of electrical systems of 2019, states that, any person undertaking to undertake electrical installation activities shall require a license.

Speaking about the awareness seminar, Eng. Lorivii said, through various inspections carried out by EWURA, it has been discovered that, there are many electrical installation personals working without a license because some of them

do not know the procedures for obtaining such licenses.

"The sixth phase government of the United Republic of Tanzania, is in the plan to supply electricity to all the villages in the country, so there will be a need for electricians to perform the electrical installation activities in households, buildings and different places, it is very important for the students to know the importance of the license for these activities"

EWURA is responsible for regulating the electricity subsector activities, whereby the electrical installation activities must be carried out by licensed electrical installation personnel, so it is a to educate stakeholders in order to strengthen the safety of citizens and their property.



Frequently asked questions

By Staff Writer

Our dear reader, in this edition, EWURA presents to you some of the frequently asked questions by stakeholders, in a view that this would help promote awareness on various issues surrounding EWURA.

1. What does EWURA do?

EWURA is a multisectoral regulatory Authority, regulating Energy on one hand, which consists of Electricity, Petroleum, and Natural Gas, and Water on the other, which involves Regional, Districts, and major township Water and Sanitation Authorities and National Projects. We regulate to ensure that regulated services conform to national and international standards, and that are available at an affordable and cost-reflective tariff. This is necessary for the protection of both the consumer and the service provider. Otherwise, the industry would have been chaotic, and filled with unfair competition.

2. How do you protect the service provider and the consumer?

The service provider is protected by enforcing the laws, policies, regulations, and procedures that protect the sustainability of the investments. Furthermore, the regulator is responsible for approving a cost-reflective tariff to protect financial

viability. The service provider is also protected against unfair competition or hostile political decisions.

The consumer is protected by ensuring the existence of a client's service charter, on the part of the service provider, which is necessary for showing responsibility and accountability between the two parties.

The consumer is also protected through complaints-handling function that seeks to ensure that consumer rights are well protected and compensated appropriately. EWURA is also responsible for ensuring the availability and affordability of regulated services.

3. There is an influx of petrol stations constructed in residential areas. How does EWURA view this?

The Law requires that construction of any Petrol Station must consider the following requirements; urban planning; environmental impact assessment; fire and rescue; and Health Safety and Environment. Such requirements are enforced

by the government through various institutions. EWURA coordinates the process and approves the construction of a petrol station after satisfaction that all requirements have been met.

However, it's important to note that petrol stations are constructed to meet the growing market demand. In the current situation for instance, would customers feel comfortable driving a distance of three to five kilometers looking for a service station, or driving outside the towns for the petrol stations?

Yes, there are so many petrol stations, but EWURA enforces quality infrastructure to ensure they are safe by all standards. Although petrol stations are in townships and cities, the main infrastructure involved such as tanks are well placed underground, thereby reducing the risk of fire; unlike fuel reserve tanks which are placed above the ground, therefore are riskier and more prone to accidents. It's for this reason that such reserve tanks are in a special environment, away from residential areas.



4. How do you regulate the petroleum business?

Petroleum downstream business is regulated by licensing anyone meeting the requirements of the business.

The license issued have conditions and requirement that the licensee holder must fulfill, and EWURA is mandated to enforce them at all times. Such conditions include selling or offering to sale products that conforms to national standards, at approved rates, to ensure that the infrastructure involved is in top most condition at all times etc.

5. Why petroleum prices differ from one station to another, which disturb customers so much?

Petroleum price comprises of many factors which have cost implications in obtaining

the goods, plus the profit margins. Running costs of investors may differ.

Some may wish to reduce expenses, while others may just let it go. Some may have employed a large number of staff and pay good salaries, while others may have smaller number and pay is moderate; others may have a big number of fuel truck fleets to manage, while others may be renting.

Based on costs difference, one is able to offer a discount which will mean a price lower than the cap price, and the same is to help in competition for customers. For EWURA, this is a fair competition which is an important characteristic in the market economy, as it also gives choice to buyers.

6. Why is it that any price increase nowadays is associated with the Russia-Ukraine war,

while we know that our shipments does not come from that market?

There are many factors that contribute to fuel price build up. Some of these include the actual cost of buying fuel, sea transport, insurance, forex exchange, government tax, institutional levies, profit margins, and land transport costs from wholesalers.

Russia is one of the largest oil producers in the world. Due to geopolitical reasons, some countries have boycotted buying its fuel, and turned to other market. This have resulted negatively, as demand has exceeded supply and therefore affecting prices negatively. It should also be noted that other logistical requirements in the fuel supply chain such as fuel transport tankers and insurance services have equally been affected for the same reasons.



Board approves 200 electrical installation licences

By Asiatu Msuya

The Board of Directors of the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) has approved issuance of 203 licences for electrical installation services in a single transaction for the month of January 2023.

The issued licences comprise six Class A licences, 8 Class B licences, 134 Class C licences and 55 Class D licences of which out of 203 licences issued, 192 were for male and 11 for female.

Recommendations for issuance of the licences are based on guidelines for licensing electrical installation personnel, academic qualifications and experience of the applicants as required by the Electricity (Electrical Installation Services) Rules, 2022.

Speaking on the matter, the Acting Director of Electricity Services at EWURA, Eng. Erick Rugabera said EWURA issues licences pursuant to section 8(1) (h) of the Electricity Act, Cap.131 which requires all electrical installation personnel to seek and obtain licence from the regulator before conducting electrical installation activity.

"The licences issued shall have an effect and entitle the licensee to conduct electrical installation all over the Tanzania mainland and shall be renewed after every five years," stressed, Eng. Rugabera.



EWURA issues Class A licence to carry out electrical installation works at all voltage levels; Class B to carry out electrical installation works of voltage level up to 33,000 Volts while Class C is issued to carry out electrical installation works of voltage level up to 1000 Volts.

Class D is issued to carry out electrical installation works of voltage levels up to 230 Volts; Class W to carry out electrical installation works under electrical supervisors who possess licences Class A, B, C, S1, S2, S3 or D while Class S1 is issued to conduct specialized electrical installation works at all voltage levels.

Class S2 is issued to conduct specialized electrical

installation works up to 33000Volts; and Class S3: is issued to conduct specialized electrical installation works up to 1000Volts.

Application for electrical installation licence is online through Licencing and Order Information System available in EWURA website www.ewura.go.tz via a link <https://lois.ewura.go.tz/ewura/>.

Copies of the applicant's academic certificates; curriculum vitae of the applicant; a recently taken passport size colored photo with blue background; relevant work permit for non-citizen applicants; a non-refundable application fee and a valid Tax Identification Number (TIN) shall accompany an application for a licence.