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THE PETROLEUM ACT, (CAP. 392)

RULES

(Made under section 259 (1))

THE PETROLEUM (THE PETROLEUM (CONDENSATE OPERATIONS) (AMENDMENT) RULES, 2025

Citation

GN. No. 395 of 2021 1. These Rules may be cited as the Petroleum (Condensate Operations) (Amendment) Rules, 2025 and shall be read as one with the Petroleum (Condensate Operations) Rules, 2021 hereinafter referred to as the "principal Rules".

Addition of rule 4A

2. The principal Rules are amended by adding immediately after rule 4 the following:

"Publication of construction approval application

- 5A.-(1) An application for a construction approval submitted to the Authority shall be evaluated to verify the completeness and legality of the information provided, and thereafter a notice of the application shall be published in at least two newspapers of wide circulation in Tanzania one in English and another in Kiswahili or any other media for purposes of soliciting comments and representations on the application.
- (2) The costs of publication of a notice under subrule (1) shall be borne by the Authority.
- (3) The public shall be invited to submit comments and representations within fourteen days from the date of publication of the notice and the comments and representations shall be considered by the Authority in arriving at the decision on the application."

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Amendment of 3. The principal Rules are amended in rule 5(2) by rule 5 adding immediately after (c) the following: "(d) any objection or representation received from the public pursuant to rule 4A."

Amendment of rule 9

- 4. The principal Rules are amended in rule 9-
- (a) in subrule (1), by-
 - (i) deleting paragraph (a);
 - (ii) Renaming paragraphs (b), (c) and (d) as paragraphs (a), (b) and (c), respectively;
 - (iii) adding immediately after paragraph (c) as renamed, the following: "(d) a list of prospective customers;"; and
- (b) by deleting subrule (3).

Amendment of rule 10

5. The principal Rules are amended by deleting rule 10 and substituting for it the following:

> "10. An application for a licence shall be accompanied by a non-refundable application fee of five hundred thousand shillings and licence fee of one million that will be paid after the approval of a licence.".

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