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UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA
MINISTRY OF ENERGY
ENERGY AND WATER UTILITIES
REGULATORY AUTHORITY
(EWURA)



IN THE MATTER OF ROUTINE INSPECTION AT PETROLEUM WHOLESALE
OPERATIONS

AND

IN THE MATTER OF CHECKING ON COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW WITH REGARD
TO PETROLEUM SALES BY MACHO ENERGY COMPANY
LIMITED, DAR ES SALAAM

COMPLIANCE ORDER NO: 05.10-2024
REFERENCE NO: BA.308/480/271/ Vol.I /6
(Made under Section 39 of the EWURA Act, Cap. 414)

PRELIMINARIES

Macho Energy Company Limited is a licensed wholesaler with a Licence No. PWL-2024-009 which has never imported petroleum products. However, during routine compliance monitoring, it was noted that Macho Energy had procured petroleum products from another wholesaler and sold them to a retailer styled Chrive Petroleum. This is contrary to Rule 25(2)(a)(ii) of the Petroleum (Wholesale, Storage, Retail and Consumer Installation Operations) Rule, 2022 which requires a wholesaler to procure petroleum products through importation and Rule 26(1) of the same Rules which prohibits a wholesaler from purchasing petroleum products from another wholesaler.

ORDER

Therefore, and based on the foregoing, EWURA has considered the matter in accordance with the applicable law and decided that Macho Energy Company Limited be and is **HEREBY ORDERED** to:

- a) stop buying petroleum products from other wholesalers; and

- b) explain in writing within seven (7) days from the date of receipt of this Order why legal action should not be taken against Macho Energy Company Limited for contravening the above-cited provisions of the law.

GIVEN under the seal of the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority this 11th October 2024.



Eng. Poline H. Msuya

ACTING DIRECTOR GENERAL

Order served upon, and received by:

..... MACHO ENERGY this 05 day of NOVEMBER 2024.

Name..... CEBUKHOY MUKHA

Signature..... [Signature]

(Official Stamp)

Designation..... CONSULTANT

This Order is issued in duplicate. Sign both copies and retain your copy while the other copy is to be returned to the Authority to authenticate due service of the Order.