



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



IN THE MATTER OF ROUTINE INSPECTION AT PETROLEUM RETAIL  
OUTLETS

AND

IN THE MATTER OF CHECKING ON COMPLIANCE WITH CONSTRUCTION  
APPROVAL REQUIREMENTS AT RETAIL OUTLETS BY TOSHA PETROLEUM  
TANZANIA LIMITED PETROL STATION LOCATED ON PLOT NO. 80, BLOCK  
'BB', UYOLE AREA, MBEYA CITY IN MBEYA REGION

**(COMPLIANCE ORDER NO: 09.02.2025)**  
**REFERENCE NO: BA.306/369/3377/ Vol.I /2**

*(Made under Section 39 of the EWURA Act, Cap. 414)*

**PRELIMINARIES**

On 17<sup>th</sup> February 2025, while undertaking compliance monitoring at petroleum retail outlets, EWURA observed that Tosha Petroleum Tanzania Limited is undertaking construction of a petroleum retail outlet at Plot No. 80, Block 'BB', Uyole Area in Mbeya City without seeking and obtaining construction approval from contrary to section 127(1) of the Petroleum Act, Cap.392 and Rule 4 of the Petroleum (Wholesale, Storage, Retail and Consumer Installation Operations) Rules, 2022 which require any person intending to construct a petroleum installation facility to obtain a construction approval from EWURA. Constructing a petroleum facility without obtaining a construction approval from EWURA contravenes the law and is punishable as such.

**ORDER**

Therefore, and based on the foregoing EWURA has considered the matter in accordance with the applicable law and has decided that Tosha Petroleum Tanzania Limited Petrol Station located on Plot No. 80, Block 'BB', Uyole Area in Mbeya City be and is **HEREBY ORDERED** to:

- (a) immediately stop the on-going construction or prospective operation of the petrol station located at Plot No. 80, Block 'BB', Uyole Area in Mbeya City; 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 you for undertaking construction of a retail outlet without obtaining a construction approval from EWURA.

**GIVEN** under seal of the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority this 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 2025.



Dr. James A. Mwainyekule  
**DIRECTOR GENERAL**

Order served upon, and received by:

..... TOSTA PETROLEUM (T) LTD ..... this 11 day of March ..... 2025.

Name..... Ibrahim Hussien .....

Signature..... [Signature] .....

(Official Stamp)

Designation..... Ops Manager .....

**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.**



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Figure 1: Construction billboard showing ongoing construction of Tosha Petroleum Tanzania Limited Petrol Station; and





Figure 2: Construction Board showing the construction of Tosha Petroleum Tanzania Limited Petrol Station on Plot No. 80, Block 'BB', Uyole Area in Mbeya City.