UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA

MINISTRY OF ENERGY

ENERGY AND WATER UTILITIES REGULATORY AUTHORITY (EWURA)

PUBLIC NOTICE

A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON AN APPLICATION FOR MULTI-YEAR WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION TARIFFS SUBMITTED BY MTWARA WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (MTWARA WSSA)

On 21st April 2026, EWURA received an application from Mtwara Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Mtwara WSSA) requesting approval of multi-year water supply and sanitation tariffs. After confirming that the application met the required criteria, EWURA accepted it for review on 15th June 2026. Table 1, Table 2 and Table 3 present the tariffs and fees proposed by Mtwara WSSA for financial years from 2026/27 to 2030/31.

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Table 1: Current and Proposed Metered Water Tariffs (TZS/m^3)

Customer Category	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariffs				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Domestic	1,896	2,755	2,793	2,819	2,845	2,871
Institutional	3,300	4,795	4,861	4,906	4,951	4,997
Commercial	3,300	4,795	4,861	4,906	4,951	4,997
Industrial	3,366	4,891	4,958	5,004	5,050	5,097
Kiosk	1,500	2,179	2,209	2,229	2,249	2,270
Water Bowser	3,944	4,500	5,500	6,500	7,500	8,500

Table 2: Current and Proposed New Connection Fees(TZS/Connection)

Customer Category	Current Fee	Proposed Fees				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Domestic	26,000	26,000				
Institutional						
Commercial						
Industrial						

Table 3: Current and Proposed Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)

Customer Category	Current Fee	Proposed Fees				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Domestic	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Institutional	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Commercial	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Industrial	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000

Mtwara WSSA stated that the proposed tariff increase will help implement its five-year business plan (2026/27–2030/31) which aims to increase water production, improve water

quality to meet national standards, expand water service coverage from 59% to 82% by 2031, reduce water losses, improve revenue collection, create a better working environment for staff, strengthen staff skills, and introduce safe sludge removal and disposal services by 2031.

This public notice is made pursuant to Section 19(4) of the EWURA Act, Cap. 414, which requires the Authority to issue a notice of inquiry to collect views from stakeholders on the reasonableness of the proposed tariffs and fees.

As part of the inquiry process, EWURA will conduct a public hearing meeting on **16th July 2026** in Mtwara Municipality. The meeting will commence at 10.00 a.m. at the **MUST-Mtwara Campus Hall**.

Stakeholders are invited to submit written comments to the Director General at the Authority's postal address, **Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority**, **EWURA House, 3 EWURA Street, 41104 Tambukareli, P.O. Box 2857, Dodoma**, by 22nd July 2026. More details of the application can be obtained from EWURA **Head Quarters** in **Dodoma** or from **Mtwara WSSA's** offices in Mtwara Municipality.

Issued by:
Director General
Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority

TANGAZO KWA UMMA

MWITO WA MAONI YA WADAU KUHUSU MAOMBI YA BEI ZA MIAKA MITANO ZA HUDUMA ZA MAJISAFI YALIYOWASILISHWA NA MAMLAKA YA MAJISAFI NA USAFI WA MAZINGIRA MTWARA.

Mnamo tarehe 21 April 2026 Mamlaka ya Udhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji (EWURA) ilipokea maombi ya bei marekebisho ya bei kwa miaka mitano kutoka Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Mtwara. Baadhi ya kuhakiki ukamilifu wake, mnamo tarehe 15 Juni 2026 EWURA iliyakubali maombi hayo kwa ajili ya mapitio ya kina. Majedwali namba 1 hadi 3 yanaonesha viwango vya bei na ada zinazopendekezwa na Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Mtwara kwa ajili ya mwaka wa fedha 2026/27 hadi mwaka 2030/31.

Jedwali la Na.1: Bei za Maji za Sasa na Zinazopendekezwa (Shilingi kwa Mita ya Ujazo)

Kundi la wateja	Bei ya Sasa	Bei Zinazopendekezwa				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Majumbani	1,896	2,755	2,793	2,819	2,845	2,871
Taasisi	3,300	4,795	4,861	4,906	4,951	4,997
Biashara	3,300	4,795	4,861	4,906	4,951	4,997
Viwanda	3,366	4,891	4,958	5,004	5,050	5,097
Magati	1,500	2,179	2,209	2,229	2,249	2,270
Boza	3,944	4,500	5,500	6,500	7,500	8,500

Jedwali la Na.2: Ada ya Sasa na Inayopendekezwa ya Kuunganishiwa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Inayopendekezwa				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Majumbani Taasisi Biashara Viwanda	26,000	26,000				

Jedwali la Na.3: Ada za Sasa na Zinazopendekezwa za Kurejeshewa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Zinazopendekezwa				
	2025/26	2025/26	2026/27	2027/28	2028/29	2029/30
Majumbani	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Taasisi	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Biashara	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Viwanda	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000	15,000

Mamlaka ya Maji na Usafi wa Mazingira Mtwara ilieleza kwamba mapendekezo ya marekebisho ya bei yanalengo kuiwezesha mamlaka kutekeleza kikamilifu mpango wa biashara wa Mtwara WSSA wa miaka mitano (2026/27-2030/31) ambao unalenga kuongeza uzalishaji wa maji, kuimarisha ubora wa maji ili kukidhi viwango vya kitaifa (viwango vya TBS), kuongeza usambazaji wa huduma ya maji kutoka asilimia 59 hadi

asilimia 82 katika eneo lake la huduma mwaka 2030, kupunguza upotevu wa maji, kuimarisha ukusanyaji wa mapato, kuboresha mazingira ya kazi kwa watumishi wa mamlaka, kuimarisha ujuzi wa kazi miongoni mwa wafanyakazi na kuanzisha huduma ya salama za uondoshaji salama wa majitaka ifikapo Juni 2030.

Tangazo hili limetolewa kwa mujibu wa Kifungu cha 19(4) cha Sheria ya EWURA Sura ya 414, kinachoitaka EWURA kutoa tangazo la taftishi ili kukusanya maoni kutoka kwa wadau kuhusu bei na ada zinazopendekezwa. Kama sehemu ya taftishi, kutakuwa na mikutano ya kusikiliza maoni ya wadau itakaofanyika tarehe **16 Julai 2026** katika **ukumbi wa Chuo Kikuu cha Sayansi na Teknolojia Mbeya, Ndaki ya Mtwara** kuanzia saa nne kamili asubuhi.

Wadau wanakaribishwa kuwasilisha maoni ya maandishi kwa Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa EWURA kupitia anuani ya **Mamlaka ya Udhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji, Jengo la EWURA, 3 Mtaa wa EWURA, 41104 Tambukareli, S.L.P 2857, Dodoma**, ifikapo tarehe 22Julai 2026. Maelezo zaidi kuhusu maombi ya Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Mtwarayanaweza kupatikana kwenye ofisi za **Makao Makuu ya EWURA** mjini **Dodoma** au ofisi za **Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Mtwara** zilizopo katika **Manispaa ya Mtwara.**

Imetolewa na:
Mkurugenzi Mkuu
Mamlaka ya Udhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji