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## PUBLIC NOTICE ON CAP PRICES FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, 4th APRIL 2018

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) hereby publishes Cap Prices for petroleum products, applicable in Tanzania Mainland. These retail and wholesale prices are applicable effective **Wednesday**, 4<sup>th</sup> **April 2018**. Hereinafter, kindly, take note of the following:

- (a) Retail and wholesale prices for all petroleum products imported in the country through Dar es Salaam port, have increased compared to prices that were published on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2018. For the month of April 2018, retail prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene have increased by TZS 88/litre (equivalent to 3.95%), TZS 71/litre (equivalent to 3.34%) and TZS 95/litre (equivalent to 4.62%) respectively. Similarly, compared to the last month publication, wholesale prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene have also increased by TZS 88.04/litre (equivalent to 4.16%), TZS 71.27/litre (equivalent to 3.52%) and TZS 95.02 (equivalent to 4.88%) respectively. The increase in local prices of petroleum products is mainly due to changes in the world oil market prices as well as increases in BPS premium, demurrage and depreciation of the Tanzanian Shilling against the United States Dollar, the currency used in the procurement of petroleum products.
- (b) Retail and wholesale prices for Diesel imported in the country through Tanga port have also increased compared to prices that were published on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2018. Petrol and Kerosene prices in Tanga region remain unchanged because there was no new consignment of either Petrol or Kerosene imported through Tanga port in the month of March 2018. For the month of April 2018, retail prices of Diesel in **the Northern regions** have increased by TZS 8/litre (equivalent to 0.37%). Likewise, wholesale prices of Diesel have increased by TZS 7.81/litre (equivalent to 0.39%). The increase in prices of Diesel in Tanga region is attributed to the increase in the world oil market prices and depreciation of the Tanzanian Shilling against the United States Dollar, the currency used in the procurement of petroleum products. Retail and wholesale prices for Petrol and Kerosene sold in the Northern regions for the month of April 2018 will remain as it was in the month of March 2018.
- (c) It should be noted that, all Petrol and Diesel consignments received through Dar es Salaam port in the month of March 2018 were to have been received in the months of February 2018 and whose costs are based on the world oil market prices of January 2018. The world market prices for Petrol and Diesel in January 2018 increased by 7.5% and 8.0% respectively when compared to the prices of December 2017. Likewise, two Kerosene consignments were received through Dar es Salaam port in the month of March 2018 where one consignment was to have been received in February 2018 based on the world oil market prices of January 2018 which are 7.7% higher than those of December 2017 while the second consignment received

- in March 2018 is based on the world oil market prices of February 2018 which are only 1.4% lower than those of January 2018.
- (d) The Authority would like to remind the public that these cap prices can be accessed through mobile phones by dialling \*152\*00# and then following the provided instructions. This service is free of charge and is available in all mobile phone service providers in the country.
- (e) In line with the prevailing sector legislation (**Petroleum Act, 2015, section 166**), prices of petroleum products are governed by rules of demand and supply. EWURA shall continue to encourage competition in the sector by making available petroleum products pricing information including cap prices. This information on prices is intended to enable stakeholders make informed decisions on petroleum prices at any particular time.
- (f) Oil Marketing Companies are free to sell their products at a price that gives them a competitive advantage provided that, such price does not exceed the price cap for the relevant product as was computed using the approved formula, which was gazetted through the Government Notice No. 216 published in May 2017.
- (g) All petrol stations are required to publish petroleum product prices on clearly visible boards. The price boards should be clearly show prices charged, discounts offered as well as any trade incentives or promotions on offer. Consumers are encouraged to purchase from stations that sell products at the most competitive prices and offer better services. It is an offence not to have prices published on boards located in clearly visible places in front of petrol stations and it will attract punitive measures from EWURA.
- (h) Retailers must issue receipts printed from an Electronic Fiscal Pump Printer (EFPP) with respect to all sales that they make and consumers are required to **demand and keep those receipts** that clearly show the name of petrol station, date on which such purchase was made as well as, the type of petroleum product (fuel) and price per litre for every purchase they make. This can be used as an exhibit in case of a complaint lodged in the event that the selling price is above the cap price or in case the products sold do not meet the approved specifications and also, provide an assurance that appropriate government taxes on petroleum products purchased are fully accounted for recovery from the Retailers.

## **A: RETAIL PRICES**

Town	Cap Prices		
	Petrol (TZS/Litre)	Diesel (TZS/Litre)	Kerosene (TZS/Litre)
Dar es Salaam	2,315	2,205	2,154
Arusha	2,278	2,170	1,995
Arumeru (Usa West)	2,278	2,170	1,995
Karatu	2,297	2,189	2,013
Monduli	2,284	2,176	2,000
Monduli-Makuyuni	2,288	2,180	2,005

Ngorongoro (Loliondo)	2,363	2,255	2,079
Kibaha	2,320	2,210	2,158
Bagamoyo	2,326	2,216	2,165
Kisarawe	2,323	2,213	2,161
Mkuranga	2,325	2,215	2,164
Rufiji	2,343	2,233	2,181
Dodoma	2,374	2,264	2,213
Bahi	2,381	2,271	2,220
Chemba	2,400	2,290	2,239
Kondoa	2,407	2,297	2,245
Kongwa	2,371	2,261	2,210
Mpwapwa	2,375	2,265	2,214
Iringa	2,379	2,269	2,218
Kilolo	2,384	2,274	2,222
Mufindi (Mafinga)	2,389	2,279	2,228
Njombe	2,407	2,297	2,246
Njombe (Kidegembye)	2,428	2,318	2,267
Ludewa	2,445	2,335	2,284
Makete	2,438	2,328	2,277
Wanging'ombe (Igwachanya)	2,405	2,295	2,244
Bukoba	2,530	2,420	2,369
Biharamulo	2,505	2,395	2,343
Karagwe (Kayanga)	2,547	2,437	2,385
Kyerwa (Ruberwa)	2,552	2,442	2,391
Muleba	2,530	2,420	2,369
Ngara	2,496	2,386	2,334
Misenyi	2,539	2,429	2,377
Geita	2,480	2,370	2,319
Bukombe	2,469	2,359	2,308
Chato	2,501	2,391	2,340
Mbogwe	2,518	2,408	2,357
Nyang'hwale	2,495	2,385	2,334
Kigoma	2,546	2,436	2,385
Uvinza (Lugufu)	2,558	2,448	2,397
Buhigwe	2,535	2,425	2,374
Kakonko	2,503	2,393	2,342
Kasulu	2,532	2,422	2,371
Kibondo	2,511	2,401	2,349
Moshi	2,268	2,160	1,984
Hai (Bomang'ombe)	2,271	2,163	1,988
Mwanga	2,261	2,153	1,977

Rombo (Mkuu)	2,285	2,177	2,001
Same	2,254	2,146	1,971
Siha (Sanya Juu)	2,274	2,167	1,991
Lindi	2,374	2,264	2,213
Lindi-Mtama	2,392	2,282	2,231
Kilwa Masoko	2,349	2,239	2,188
Liwale	2,395	2,285	2,234
Nachingwea	2,403	2,293	2,242
Ruangwa	2,405	2,295	2,243
Babati	2,312	2,204	2,029
Hanang (Katesh)	2,323	2,215	2,039
Kiteto (Kibaya)	2,328	2,220	2,044
Mbulu	2,325	2,217	2,041
Simanjiro (Orkasumet)	2,344	2,236	2,061
Musoma	2,493	2,383	2,332
Musoma Vijijini (Busekela)	2,534	2,424	2,373
Rorya (Ingirijuu)	2,502	2,392	2,341
Rorya (Shirati)	2,537	2,427	2,376
Bunda	2,485	2,375	2,323
Butiama	2,490	2,380	2,329
Serengeti (Mugumu)	2,539	2,429	2,378
Tarime	2,505	2,395	2,343
Tarime (Kewanja/Nyamongo)	2,509	2,399	2,348
Mbeya	2,422	2,312	2,261
Chunya	2,432	2,322	2,270
Chunya (Makongolosi)	2,446	2,336	2,284
Ileje	2,435	2,325	2,274
Kyela	2,438	2,328	2,277
Mbarali (Rujewa)	2,406	2,296	2,245
Mbozi (Vwawa)	2,431	2,321	2,270
Momba (Chitete)	2,440	2,330	2,279
Rungwe (Tukuyu)	2,431	2,321	2,270
Morogoro	2,340	2,230	2,179
Mikumi	2,356	2,246	2,194
Kilombero (Ifakara)	2,378	2,268	2,217
Kilombero (Mlimba)	2,400	2,290	2,239
Kilombero (Mngeta)	2,390	2,280	2,228
Ulanga (Mahenge)	2,389	2,279	2,227
Malinyi	2,399	2,289	2,237
Kilosa	2,359	2,249	2,197
Gairo	2,359	2,249	2,197

Mvomero (Wami Sokoine)	2,351	2,241	2,189
Turiani	2,365	2,255	2,204
Mtwara	2,388	2,278	2,226
Nanyumbu (Mangaka)	2,436	2,326	2,275
Masasi	2,413	2,303	2,252
Newala	2,420	2,310	2,258
Tandahimba	2,413	2,303	2,251
Mwanza	2,465	2,355	2,304
Kwimba	2,501	2,391	2,340
Magu	2,473	2,363	2,312
Misungwi	2,471	2,361	2,309
Sengerema	2,497	2,387	2,336
Ukerewe	2,524	2,414	2,363
Sumbawanga	2,488	2,378	2,326
Kalambo (Matai)	2,495	2,385	2,334
Nkasi (Namanyele)	2,501	2,391	2,340
Katavi (Mpanda)	2,523	2,413	2,361
Mlele (Inyonga)	2,501	2,391	2,340
Mpimbwe (Majimoto)	2,515	2,405	2,354
Songea	2,438	2,328	2,277
Mbinga	2,472	2,362	2,311
Namtumbo	2,468	2,358	2,306
Nyasa (Mbamba Bay)	2,474	2,364	2,313
Tunduru	2,497	2,387	2,336
Shinyanga	2,444	2,334	2,283
Kahama	2,458	2,348	2,296
Kishapu	2,472	2,362	2,311
Simiyu (Bariadi)	2,485	2,375	2,324
Busega (Nyashimo)	2,478	2,368	2,317
Itilima (Lagangabilili)	2,488	2,378	2,327
Maswa	2,477	2,367	2,315
Meatu (Mwanhuzi)	2,484	2,374	2,322
Singida	2,406	2,296	2,244
Iramba	2,418	2,308	2,257
Manyoni	2,390	2,280	2,229
Ikungi	2,401	2,291	2,240
Mkalama (Nduguti)	2,430	2,320	2,269
Tabora	2,469	2,359	2,308
Igunga	2,423	2,313	2,262
Kaliua	2,487	2,377	2,326
Ulyankulu	2,481	2,371	2,320

Nzega	2,434	2,324	2,272
Sikonge	2,481	2,371	2,320
Urambo	2,482	2,372	2,321
Tanga	2,222	2,114	1,938
Handeni	2,242	2,134	1,959
Kilindi	2,257	2,149	1,974
Korogwe	2,234	2,126	1,950
Lushoto	2,243	2,135	1,960
Mkinga (Maramba)	2,229	2,121	1,945
Muheza	2,227	2,119	1,943
Pangani	2,228	2,121	1,945

## **B:** Wholesale Prices

Wholesale Prices-	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
DSM	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)
Cap Prices	2,204.38	2,094.37	2,042.94

Wholesale Prices -	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
TANGA	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)
Cap Prices	2,110.83	2,002.92	1,827.17

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