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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON THE TARIFF APPLICATION FROM TUNDURU WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (TUNDURU WSSA) FOR YEARS 2019/20 – 2021/22

#### Tariff Application No. TR-W-18-050-2018/2019

On 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019, EWURA received Tariff Application from Tunduru Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Tunduru WSSA) requesting for a multi - year tariff adjustment (2019/20 – 2021/22) for water supply services. Tables 1 to 4 below show current and proposed tariffs and fees.

**Table 1: Current and Proposed Metered Water Tariff (TZS/m<sup>3</sup>)**

Customer Category	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariff					
	2018/19	Change	2019/20	Change	2020/21	Change	2021/22
Domestic							
Band 1(0-5m <sup>3</sup> )	540	141%	1,300	12%	1,450	3%	1,500
Band 2 (6-10m <sup>3</sup> )	585	122%	1,300	12%	1,450	3%	1,500
Band 3 (>11m <sup>3</sup> )	625	108%	1,300	12%	1,450	3%	1,500
Institution	550	173%	1,500	13%	1,700	18%	2,000
Commercial	605	231%	2,000	25%	2,500	8%	2,700
Industrial	760	163%	2,000	25%	2,500	20%	3,000
Kiosk (TZS/20ltrs)	20	100%	40	13%	45	11%	50

**Table 2: Current and Proposed Unmetered Water Tariff (TZS/Month)**

Customer Category	Current Tariff	Proposed Tariff					
	2018/19	Change	2019/20	Change	2020/21	Change	2021/22
Domestic	4,500	111%	9,500	5%	10,000	10%	11,000
Institution	16,500	112%	35,000	29%	45,000	11%	50,000
Commercial	16,500	112%	35,000	29%	45,000	11%	50,000
Industrial	16,500	24%	20,500	49%	30,500	33%	40,500

**Table 3: Current and Proposed New Connection Fees (TZS/ Connection)**

Customer category	Current Fee	Proposed Fee		
	2018/19	2019/20	2020/21	2021/22
Domestic	13,500	20% of total new connection cost		
Institution	13,500			
Commercial	13,500			
Industrial	13,500			
Kiosk/Standpipe	13,500			

**Table 4: Current and Proposed Water Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)**

Customer category	Current Fee	Proposed Fees					
	2018/19	Change	2019/20	Change	2020/21	Change	2021/22
Domestic	13,000	515%	80,000	0%	80,000	0%	80,000
Institution	13,000	515%	80,000	0%	80,000	0%	80,000
Commercial	13,000	1054%	150,000	0%	150,000	0%	150,000
Industrial	13,000	1438%	200,000	0%	200,000	0%	200,000
Kiosk/Standpipe	13,000	515%	80,000	0%	80,000	0%	80,000

According to Tunduru WSSA, the main justifications for tariff review application include high operation and maintenance costs, statutory service charges and meeting the costs of rehabilitation and replacement.

Pursuant to Section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, there shall be a public inquiry meeting on **Wednesday, 14<sup>th</sup> August 2019** at **Klasta Hall** in Tunduru Town from **10:00hrs**. The main objective of the meeting is to collect views of stakeholders including Government Consultative Council (GCC), Consumer Consultative Council (CCC), Tunduru WSSA's customers and the general public on the reasonableness of the proposed tariff application.

Those who wish to submit written comments on the reasonableness of the proposed tariffs are invited to do so by writing to the Director General using the above-mentioned address at any time by **21<sup>st</sup> August 2019**. More details of the application can be obtained from **EWURA SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS ZONE OFFICES, 6<sup>TH</sup> FLOOR, NHIF TOWER, KARUME AVENUE, MBEYA** or from **TUNDURU WSSA OFFICES, in TUNDURU**.

**Issued by:**  
**Acting Director General**  
**The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority**

**22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019**