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#### <u>PUBLIC NOTICE ON CAP PRICES FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EFFECTIVE</u> WEDNESDAY, 7<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2019

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**, 7<sup>th</sup> **August 2019**. Hereinafter, kindly take note of the following:

- (a) Retail and wholesale prices for Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene imported in the country through **Dar es Salaam port** have decreased compared to prices that were published on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019. For the month of August 2019, retail prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene decreased by TZS 160/litre (equivalent to 6.90%), TZS 102/litre (equivalent to 4.63%) and TZS 81/litre (equivalent to 3.75%), respectively. Similarly, compared to the publication of last month, wholesale prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene decreased by TZS 159.09/litre (equivalent to 7.27%) and TZS 102.10/litre (equivalent to 4.90%) and TZS 81.01/litre (equivalent to 3.96%), respectively.
- (b) Retail and wholesale prices for Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene imported through **Tanga port** have also decreased compared to prices that were published on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019. For the month of August 2019, retail prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene **for the Northern regions** (Tanga, Kilimanjaro, Arusha and Manyara) have decreased by TZS 134/litre (equivalent to 5.76%), TZS 103/litre (equivalent to 4.61%) and TZS 163/litre (equivalent to 7.30%), respectively. Similarly, compared to the publication of last month, wholesale prices of Petrol, Diesel and Kerosene have decreased by TZS 133.49/litre (equivalent to 6.07%), TZS 102.78/litre (equivalent to 4.87%) and TZS 162.36/litre (equivalent to 7.71%), respectively.
- (c) Retail and wholesale prices for Petrol and Diesel imported through **Mtwara port** have decreased compared to prices that were published on 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2019. For the month of August 2019, retail prices of Petrol and Diesel **for the Southern regions** (Lindi, Mtwara and Ruvuma) have decreased by TZS 105/litre (equivalent to 4.50%) and TZS 124/litre (equivalent to 5.43%), respectively. Similarly, compared to the publication of last month, wholesale prices of Petrol and Diesel have decrease by TZS 104.24/litre (equivalent to 4.74%) and TZS 123.57/litre (equivalent to 5.72%), respectively. Since there is no Kerosene at Mtwara storage terminals, Petrol Station Operators in Mtwara, Lindi and Ruvuma regions are advised to source the product from Dar es Salaam and therefore, the retail prices of Kerosene for those regions is based on the cost of the product received through Dar es Salaam port and bridging cost to the regions.
- (d) The change in local prices of petroleum products imported through Dar es Salaam, Tanga and Mtwara ports is mainly attributed to decreases in the world oil market prices and changes in BPS premiums as shown in **Table C.**
- (e) EWURA 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.

- (f) 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.
- (g) 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 it is computed using the approved formula, which was gazetted through the Government Notice No. 163 published in April 2018 and Government Notice No. 269 published in June 2018.
- (h) All petrol stations are required to publish petroleum product prices on clearly visible boards. The price boards should 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. Failure to adhere to this directive will attract punitive measures from EWURA.
- (i) 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 sales of petroleum products are fully accounted for recovery from the Retailers.

**TABLE A: RETAIL PRICES** 

	Cap Prices			
Town	Petrol (TZS/Litre)	Diesel (TZS/Litre)	Kerosene (TZS/Litre)	
Dar es Salaam	2,153	2,107	2,086	
Arusha	2,248	2,188	2,123	
Arumeru (Usa West)	2,248	2,188	2,123	
Karatu	2,266	2,206	2,141	
Longido	2,259	2,199	2,134	
Monduli	2,253	2,193	2,129	
Monduli-Makuyuni	2,258	2,198	2,133	
Ngorongoro (Loliondo)	2,332	2,272	2,208	
Coast (Kibaha)	2,157	2,112	2,091	
Bagamoyo	2,164	2,118	2,097	
Chalinze Junction	2,167	2,121	2,100	

Chalinze (Msata)	2,171	2,125	2,104
Kibiti	2,173	2,128	2,107
Kisarawe	2,160	2,114	2,093
Mkuranga	2,162	2,117	2,096
Rufiji	2,180	2,135	2,114
Dodoma	2,211	2,166	2,145
Bahi	2,219	2,173	2,152
Chamwino	2,207	2,161	2,140
Chemba	2,238	2,192	2,171
Kondoa	2,244	2,199	2,178
Kongwa	2,209	2,163	2,142
Mpwapwa	2,213	2,167	2,146
Mtera (Makatopora)	2,230	2,185	2,164
Geita	2,318	2,273	2,252
Bukombe	2,307	2,262	2,240
Chato	2,339	2,294	2,273
Mbogwe	2,356	2,311	2,290
Nyang'hwale	2,333	2,288	2,267
Iringa	2,217	2,171	2,150
Ismani	2,222	2,176	2,155
Kilolo	2,221	2,176	2,155
Mufindi (Mafinga)	2,227	2,181	2,160
Kagera (Bukoba)	2,368	2,323	2,302
Biharamulo	2,343	2,297	2,276
Karagwe (Kayanga)	2,385	2,339	2,318
Kyerwa (Ruberwa)	2,390	2,345	2,324
Muleba	2,368	2,323	2,302
Ngara	2,356	2,311	2,289
Misenyi	2,377	2,331	2,310
Katavi (Mpanda)	2,361	2,315	2,294
Mlele (Inyonga)	2,343	2,297	2,276
Mpimbwe (Majimoto)	2,353	2,307	2,286
Kigoma	2,384	2,339	2,318
Uvinza (Lugufu)	2,396	2,351	2,330
Buhigwe	2,373	2,328	2,307
Kakonko	2,341	2,296	2,275
Kasulu	2,370	2,325	2,304
Kibondo	2,348	2,303	2,282
Moshi	2,237	2,177	2,113
Hai (Bomang'ombe)	2,241	2,181	2,116
Mwanga	2,231	2,170	2,106
Rombo (Mkuu)	2,254	2,194	2,129
Same	2,224	2,164	2,099
Siha (Sanya Juu)	2,244	2,184	2,119
Lindi	2,232	2,174	2,145
Lindi-Mtama	2,236	2,179	2,163
Kilwa Masoko	2,255	2,198	2,120

Liwale	2,267	2,210	2,166
Nachingwea	2,251	2,194	2,174
Ruangwa	2,258	2,201	2,176
Manyara (Babati)	2,282	2,222	2,157
Hanang (Katesh)	2,292	2,232	2,168
Kiteto (Kibaya)	2,297	2,237	2,172
Mbulu	2,295	2,234	2,170
Simanjiro (Orkasumet)	2,314	2,254	2,189
Mara (Musoma)	2,331	2,286	2,265
Musoma Vijijini (Busekela)	2,372	2,327	2,305
Rorya (Ingirijuu)	2,340	2,295	2,274
Rorya (Shirati)	2,375	2,329	2,308
Bunda	2,322	2,277	2,256
Bunda (Kisorya)	2,332	2,287	2,265
Butiama	2,328	2,283	2,262
Serengeti (Mugumu)	2,377	2,331	2,310
Tarime	2,342	2,297	2,276
Tarime (Kewanja/Nyamongo)	2,347	2,301	2,280
Mbeya	2,260	2,214	2,193
Chunya	2,269	2,224	2,203
Chunya (Makongolosi)	2,284	2,238	2,217
Kyela	2,276	2,230	2,209
Mbarali (Rujewa)	2,244	2,198	2,177
Rungwe (Tukuyu)	2,269	2,223	2,202
Morogoro	2,178	2,132	2,111
Mikumi	2,193	2,148	2,127
Kilombero (Ifakara)	2,216	2,170	2,149
Kilombero (Mlimba)	2,238	2,192	2,171
Kilombero (Mngeta)	2,227	2,182	2,161
Ulanga (Mahenge)	2,226	2,181	2,160
Malinyi	2,236	2,191	2,170
Kilosa	2,196	2,151	2,130
Gairo	2,196	2,151	2,130
Mvomero (Wami Sokoine)	2,188	2,143	2,122
Mvomero (Sanga Sanga)	2,178	2,132	2,111
Turiani	2,203	2,157	2,136
Mtwara	2,218	2,161	2,159
Nanyumbu (Mangaka)	2,254	2,197	2,207
Masasi	2,234	2,177	2,184
Newala	2,239	2,182	2,191
Tandahimba	2,232	2,175	2,184
Nanyamba	2,232	2,175	2,184
Mwanza	2,303	2,257	2,236
Kwimba	2,321	2,275	2,254
Magu	2,311	2,265	2,244
Misungwi	2,297	2,252	2,231
Sengerema	2,335	2,290	2,269

Ukerewe	2,362	2,317	2,296
Njombe	2,245	2,200	2,179
Njombe (Kidegembye)	2,266	2,220	2,199
Ludewa	2,283	2,238	2,216
Makambako	2,237	2,192	2,171
Makete	2,276	2,230	2,209
Wanging'ombe (Igwachanya)	2,243	2,197	2,176
Rukwa (Sumbawanga)	2,326	2,280	2,259
Sumbawanga Rural (Mtowisa)	2,326	2,280	2,259
Kalambo (Matai)	2,333	2,287	2,266
Nkasi (Namanyele)	2,339	2,294	2,273
Ruvuma (Songea)	2,304	2,246	2,210
Mbinga	2,316	2,259	2,243
Namtumbo	2,295	2,237	2,239
Nyasa (Mbamba Bay)	2,342	2,284	2,253
Tunduru	2,269	2,211	2,269
Shinyanga	2,282	2,236	2,215
Kahama	2,295	2,250	2,229
Kishapu	2,310	2,265	2,244
Ushetu (Nyamilangano)	2,313	2,267	2,246
Simiyu (Bariadi)	2,323	2,278	2,257
Busega (Nyashimo)	2,316	2,271	2,250
Itilima (Lagangabilili)	2,326	2,281	2,260
Maswa	2,315	2,269	2,248
Meatu (Mwanhuzi)	2,322	2,276	2,255
Singida	2,243	2,198	2,177
Iramba	2,256	2,210	2,189
Manyoni	2,228	2,182	2,161
Ikungi	2,239	2,193	2,172
Mkalama (Nduguti)	2,268	2,222	2,201
Songwe (Vwawa)	2,269	2,224	2,202
Songwe (Mkwajuni)	2,276	2,230	2,209
Ileje	2,273	2,227	2,206
Momba (Chitete)	2,278	2,233	2,212
Tunduma			
Tabora	2,273	2,228	2,207
	2,307	2,261	2,240
Igunga	2,261	2,215	2,194
Kaliua	2,326	2,280	2,259
Ulyankulu	2,320	2,275	2,253
Nzega	2,271	2,226	2,205
Sikonge	2,319	2,273	2,252
Urambo	2,320	2,275	2,253
Uyui	2,308	2,262	2,241
Tanga	2,191	2,131	2,066
Handeni	2,212	2,152	2,087
Kilindi	2,227	2,167	2,102
Korogwe	2,203	2,143	2,079

Lushoto	2,213	2,152	2,088
Mkinga (Maramba)	2,198	2,138	2,073
Muheza	2,196	2,136	2,071
Pangani	2,198	2,138	2,073

#### **TABLE B: WHOLESALE PRICES**

Wholesale Prices-DSM	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)
Cap Prices	2,028.93	1,983.13	1,962.75

Wholesale Prices – TANGA	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)
Cap Prices	2,067.32	2,006.92	1,943.21

Wholesale Prices - MTWARA	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)	(TZS/Litre)
Cap Prices	2,094.05	2,036.50	

## TABLE C: CAUSES FOR CHANGES IN LOCAL PRICES FOR PRODUCTS DAR ES SALAAM PORT

	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
World Oil Market	Decrease by	Decrease by	Decrease by
Prices	US\$/MT 61.647	US\$/MT 63.805	US\$/MT 63.439
BPS premiums	Decrease by US\$/MT 24.122	Increase by US\$/MT 0.215	Increase by US\$/MT 5.550

#### **TANGA PORT**

	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
<b>World Oil Market</b>	World Oil Market Decrease by		Decrease by
Prices	rices US\$/MT 61.647		US\$/MT 76.635
Increase by		Decrease by	Decrease by
BPS premiums	US\$/MT 5.740	US\$/MT 8.450	US\$/MT 10.500

#### **MTWARA PORT**

	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
World Oil Market	Decrease by	Decrease by	n/o
Prices	US\$/MT 61.647	US\$/MT 50.200	n/a
DDC nyomiums	Increase by	Decrease by	<b>n</b> /o
BPS premiums	US\$/MT 5.740	US\$/MT 18.140	n/a

### TABLE D: PRODUCT WORLD OIL MARKET REFERENCE PRICES

	Port	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
Product received on:	DSM	July 2019	July 2019	July 2019
	Tanga	July 2019	July 2019	July 2018
	Mtwara	July 2019	July 2019	n/a

	Port	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
Weighted average FOB price for the month of:	DSM	June 2019	June 2019	June 2019
	Tanga	June 2019	June 2019	June 2018
	Mtwara	June 2019	June 2019	n/a
The above Weighted average FOB prices are compared to the preceding FOB prices for the month of:	DSM	May 2019	May 2019	May 2019
	Tanga	May 2019	May 2019	November 2018
	Mtwara	May 2019	April 2019	n/a

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