



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



PUBLIC NOTICE

A CALL FOR STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON MULTIYEAR TARIFF APPLICATION SUBMITTED BY BUSEGA WATER SUPPLY AND SANITATION AUTHORITY (BUSEGA WSSA)

On 12th July 2023, the Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority (EWURA) received an application for a multiyear tariff adjustment from Busega Water Supply and Sanitation Authority (Busega WSSA). Tables 1 to 3 below present tariffs and fees proposed by Busega WSSA.

Table 1: Current and Proposed Metered Water Tariffs (TZS/m³)

Customer category	Current Tariff (TZS/m ³)	Proposed tariff (TZS/m ³)		
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/2025
Domestic	1,250	2,876	2,821	2,614
Institutional	1,250	3,106	3,047	2,823
Commercial	1,500	2,876	3,385	3,136
Industrial	1,500	3,157	3,147	3,132
Kiosk	1,250	3,451	2,821	2,614
Average Tariff	1,400	3,093.2	3,044.2	2,863.8

Table 2: Current and Proposed Reconnection Fees (TZS/Reconnection)

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees		
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/2025
Domestic	10,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Institutional	10,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Commercial	10,000	35,000	35,000	35,000
Industrial	10,000	35,000	35,000	35,000

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

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees		
		2022/23	2023/24	2024/2025
Domestic	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019	20% of recoverable expenditures as stipulated in Section 26 of Water Supply Regulations, 2019
Institutional				
Commercial				
Industrial				

Busega WSSA explained that the proposed tariff adjustment will enable the utility to implement activities set out in her business plan for the period from 2023/24 to 2025/2026 and hence ensure sustainability in the provision of water supply and sanitation services. Further, it will enable the utility to increase water production, extend water networks, ensure sustainability in provision of service by increasing the number of staff and maintaining competence and motivated staff and cover the effect of a general rise in input prices in the market on items required for water production, water distribution and maintenance of fixed assets.

Pursuant to Section 19(2) (b) of the EWURA Act, Cap 414, there shall be a public inquiry meeting on **Thursday, 24th August 2023** at **Mchele No. 3 Hall, Lamadi, Busega** from **10:00hrs**. The main objective of the meeting is to collect views of stakeholders including the Government Consultative Council (GCC), Consumer Consultative Council (CCC), Busega WSSA's customers and the public in general on the reasonableness of the proposed tariff application.

Stakeholders are requested to submit written comments to the Director General through the following address through email address info@ewura.go.tz or postal address **EWURA House, 3 EWURA Street, 41104 Tambukareli, P.O Box 2857, Dodoma** at any time by 30th August 2023. More details of the application can be obtained from EWURA **Head Quarters** located at **EWURA House, 3 EWURA Street, 41104 Tambukareli, Dodoma** or **EWURA Lake Zone Offices**, located on **the 4th Floor, Front Wing, PSSSF Plaza, Kenyatta Road, Mwanza City**.

**Issued by:
Director General
Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority
3rd August 2023**

JAMHURI YA MUUNGANO WA TANZANIA

WIZARA YA NISHATI

MAMLAKA YA UDHIBITI WA
HUDUMA ZA NISHATI NA MAJI
(EWURA)



TANGAZO KWA UMMA

MWITO WA MAONI YA WADAU KUHUSU MAOMBI YA MAREKEBISHO YA BEI YALIYOWASILISHWA NA MAMLAKA YA MAJISAFI NA USAFI WA MAZINGIRA BUSEGA (BUSEGA WSSA)

Mnamo tarehe 12 Julai 2023, Mamlaka ya Udhhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji (EWURA) ilipokea maombi ya marekebisho ya bei za maji kutoka Mamlaka ya Majisafi na Usafi wa Mazingira Busega (Busega WSSA). Majedwali Na 1 hadi 3 yanaonesha viwango vya bei vinavyopendekezwa na Busega WSSA.

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

Customer category	Current Tariff (TZS/m3)	Proposed tariff (TZS/m3)		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/2025	2025/26
Majumbani	1,250	2,876	2,821	2,614
Taasisi	1,250	3,106	3,047	2,823
Biashara	1,500	2,876	3,385	3,136
Viwanda	1,500	3,157	3,147	3,132
Magati	1,250	3,451	2,821	2,614
Wastani wa Bei	1,400	3,093.2	3,044.2	2,863.8

Jedwali 2: Ada za Sasa na Zinazopendekezwa za Kurejeshewa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Customer Category	Current Fees	Proposed Fees		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/2025	2025/26
Majumbani	10,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Taasisi	10,000	15,000	15,000	15,000
Biashara	10,000	35,000	35,000	35,000
Viwanda	10,000	35,000	35,000	35,000

Jedwali 3: Ada ya Sasa na Inayopendekezwa ya Kuunganishiwa Huduma (Shilingi kwa Maunganisho)

Kundi la Wateja	Ada ya Sasa	Ada Zinazopendekezwa		
	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25	2025/26
Majumbani	Asilimia 20% ya gharama za maunganisho kama ilivyoelekezwa katika Kanuni ya 26 ya Kanuni za Maji za Mwaka 2019	Asilimia 20% ya gharama za maunganisho kama ilivyoelekezwa katika Kanuni ya 26 ya Kanuni za Maji za Mwaka 2019		
Taasisi				
Biashara				
Viwanda				

Busega WSSA imeeleza kuwa mapendekezo ya marekebisho ya bei yataiwezesha Mamlaka kutekeleza shughuli zilizoainishwa katika Mpango Biashara wake kwa kipindi cha kuanzia 2023/24 hadi 2025/2026 na hivyo kuhakikisha uendelevu katika utoaji wa huduma za majisafi na usafi wa mazingira. Zaidi ya hayo, Mamlaka itaweza kuongeza uzalishaji wa maji, kupanua mitandao ya maji, kuhakikisha uendelevu katika muda wa huduma kwa kuongeza idadi ya wafanyakazi na kudumisha umahiri na wafanyakazi wenye ari na kukabiliana na athari za kupanda kwa bei ya vifaa vinavyohitajika kwa ajili ya uzalishaji wa maji, usambazaji wa maji na matengenezo ya rasilimali za kudumu.

Kwa mujibu wa kifungu Na. 19 (2) (b) cha Sheria Na. 414, kutakuwa na Mkutano wa Taftishi siku ya **Alhamisi, tarehe 24 Agosti 2023**, katika **Ukumbi wa Mchele Na. 3 uliopo Lamadi, Busega** kuanzia **saa 4:00 asubuhi** kwa ajili ya kupata maoni ya wadau ikiwa ni pamoja na Baraza la Ushauri la Serikali, Baraza la Ushauri la Watumia Huduma Zinazodhibitiwa na EWURA (EWURA CCC) na wananchi wote kwa ujumla, kuhusu uhalali wa bei zinazopendekezwa.

Wadau wanaombwa kuwasilisha maoni ya maandishi kwa Mkurugenzi Mkuu wa EWURA kupitia anuani ya baruapepe info@ewura.go.tz au anuani ya posta **Jengo la EWURA, 3 Barabara ya EWURA, 41104 Tambukareli, S. L. P. 2857, Dodoma** wakati wowote hadi tarehe 30 Agosti 2023. Maelezo zaidi kuhusu maombi ya Busega WSSA yanaweza kupatikana kwenye ofisi za **Makao Makuu ya EWURA** zinazopatika katika **Jengo la EWURA, 3 Barabara ya EWURA, 41104 Tambukareli, Dodoma** au **Ofisi za EWURA Kanda ya Ziwa** zilizopo **Ghorofa ya Nne, Upande wa mbele, Jengo la PSSSF, Barabara ya Kenyatta, Jijini Mwanza.**

**Imetolewa na:
Mkurugenzi Mkuu
Mamlaka ya Udhibiti wa Huduma za Nishati na Maji
3 Agosti 2023**