

NOTICE OF INQUIRY

CALL FOR PUBLIC MEETINGS TO COLLECT STAKEHOLDERS' VIEWS ON TANESCO'S APPLICATION FOR TARIFF ADJUSTMENT

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority ("EWURA") received a Multi-year Tariff Adjustment Application from Tanzania Electric Supply Company Limited ("TANESCO") requesting for approval of tariff increase of **34.6%** in 2011; **13.8%** in 2012; and **13.9%** in 2013 of the current electricity tariffs.

Pursuant to Section 19(2) (b) of Cap 414, EWURA hereby initiates an inquiry process to establish the reasonableness or otherwise of the requested tariffs which are proposed to come into effect from **1st January 2011** to **31st December 2013**.

In this regard, kindly note that the Public Meetings to collect stakeholders' views including the general public shall be **held in regions and dates to be communicated to you later**.

Pursuant to section 10(1) of the Tariff Application Guidelines of 2009, interested parties who wish to intervene (supporting or opposing) in this matter may register themselves with EWURA in writing any time before **17:00 hours** on **Wednesday, 14th July, 2010**. Only registered interveners will be allowed to make presentations at the scheduled Public Meetings and will receive copies of all permissible materials filed by the Applicant pertinent to this matter. Un-registered interveners will air their views on spot. Within two weeks after the public meetings, stakeholders will be afforded an opportunity to submit to EWURA their written views pertinent to the inquiry any time before **17:00 hours**. You are kindly requested to observe time and deadlines indicated in this notice.

Apart from a copy of Application No TR-E-10-008, which is available freely on EWURA website (www.ewura.go.tz), and with exception of confidential materials obtained and retained by EWURA pursuant to Section 25 of Cap 414; all other pertinent details received by EWURA from the Applicant may be obtained upon written request by intervener to EWURA. A nominal charge of **TZS 25,000** shall be charged to interveners who wish to receive a hard copy of the Application and permissible details obtained thereafter from the Applicant. Such amount covers essential expenses with regard to photocopying. Reading the Application at EWURA's Offices during office hours is free of charge.

Further details may be obtained upon written request to EWURA using the above indicated address.

Issue by:

Director General

The Energy and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority