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**PUBLIC NOTICE ON CAP PRICES FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EFFECTIVE
15TH AUGUST 2011**

As is customary, and in line with the approved formular for the computation of prices of petroleum products, EWURA hereby publishes bi-weekly cap prices for petroleum products in the Tanzania Mainland local market. These retail and wholesale prices are applicable effective **Monday 15th August 2011**. This is the second edition of prices that have been calculated in accordance with the new pricing formular which became effective early this month. Kindly take note of the following.

- (a) Retail and wholesale prices for all petroleum products, in the Tanzania Mainland local market have gone up compared to the prices that were comprised in the publication of 3rd August 2011. Retail prices for various products have increased as follows: Petrol TZS 110.34 (or 5.51%), Diesel TZS 120.47 (or 6.30%) and Kerosene TZS 100.87 (or 5.30%). The price increases have been caused by a rise in the petroleum products prices in the world market and depreciation of the Tanzanian Shilling compared to the US dollar (the currency in which purchases of products in the international oil market are made). For instance, during this period, the exchange rate has changed by TZS 47.12 (or 2.96%), whereas the Cost Insurance and Freight (CIF) costs have increased by an average of 5.42%. The wholesale prices for the same period have consequently increased as follows: Petrol TZS 110.34 (or 5.70%), Diesel TZS 120.47 (or 6.54%) and Kerosene TZS 100.87 (or 5.49%).
- (b) Both retail and wholesale prices would have risen higher had there been no review of the petroleum pricing formula. A comparison of prices computations using the old formula and the new formular with regard to retail prices is as follows:

Product	Retail Price (TZS/L)		Wholesale Prices (TZS/L)	
	Using Old Formula	Using New Formula	Using Old Formula	Using New Formula
Petrol	2,298.33	2,114.12	2,230.07	2,046.62
Diesel	2,213.36	2,031.31	2,140.80	1,963.81
Kerosene	2,188.89	2,005.40	2,116.33	1,937.90

As it can be seen from the above table, the prices under the revised pricing formula are lower than they would have been if no review had been done. It is quite clear therefore that the main **drivers for petroleum price movements continue to be the world market prices as well as the exchange rate of the Tanzania shilling against the US dollar.**

- (c) In line with the prevailing sector legislation, prices of petroleum products are governed by rules of supply and demand. EWURA shall continue to encourage competition in the sector by making available petroleum products pricing information including price cap. This information on prices is intended to enable stakeholders to make informed decisions on petroleum prices at any particular time.
- (d) Oil marketing companies are free to sell their products at a price that give them competitive advantage, provided that such **price does not exceed the price cap for the relevant product. The approved formula was gazetted through Government Notice No. 5 of 9th January 2009 and amendments made in July 2011.**
- (e) All petrol stations should publish petroleum product prices on clearly visible boards. The price boards should be clearly visible and should clearly show prices charged, discounts offered as well as any trade incentives or promotions on offer. Consumers are advised to purchase from those that sell products at the most competitive prices. **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.**
- (f) Retailers must issue receipts with respect to all sales that they make and consumers are advised to **demand and keep receipts** that clearly show the name of petrol station, date on which such purchase was made as well as, the type of 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 are off the approved specifications.

A: RETAIL PRICES

Town	Indicative Prices		
	Petrol (TZS/LT)	Kerosene (TZS/LT)	Diesel (TZS/LT)
Dar es Salaam	2,114	2,005	2031
Arusha	2,198	2,089	2115
Arumeru	2,198	2,089	2115
Karatu	2,216	2,108	2133
Monduli	2,203	2,095	2121
Ngorongoro (Loliondo)	2,275	2,166	2192
Kibaha	2,119	2,010	2036
Bagamoyo	2,125	2,016	2042
Kisarawe	2,121	2,013	2038
Mkuranga	2,124	2,015	2041
Rufiji	2,142	2,033	2059
Dodoma	2,173	2,064	2090
Konoda	2,205	2,096	2122
Kongwa	2,170	2,061	2087
Mpwapwa	2,174	2,065	2091
Iringa	2,178	2,069	2095

Kilolo	2,183	2,074	2100
Ludewa	2,244	2,135	2161
Makete	2,237	2,128	2154
Mufindi	2,188	2,079	2105
Njombe	2,206	2,098	2124
Bukoba	2,329	2,220	2246
Biharamulo	2,303	2,194	2220
Karagwe	2,345	2,236	2262
Muleba	2,320	2,211	2237
Ngara	2,261	2,153	2178
Misenyi	2,337	2,228	2254
Kigoma	2,345	2,236	2262
Kasulu	2,331	2,222	2248
Kibondo	2,309	2,200	2226
Moshi	2,188	2,079	2105
Hai	2,191	2,082	2108
Mwanga	2,181	2,072	2098
Rombo	2,209	2,100	2126
Same	2,174	2,065	2091
Siha	2,194	2,085	2111
Lindi	2,173	2,064	2090
Kilwa Masoko	2,148	2,039	2065
Liwale	2,194	2,085	2111
Nachingwea	2,202	2,093	2119
Ruangwa	2,200	2,091	2117
Babati	2,236	2,127	2153
Hanang	2,247	2,138	2164
Kiteto	2,247	2,139	2164
Mbulu	2,249	2,140	2166
Simanjiro	2,268	2,159	2185
Musoma	2,292	2,184	2209
Bunda	2,283	2,175	2201
Serengeti	2,338	2,229	2255
Tarime	2,303	2,195	2220
Mbeya	2,221	2,112	2138
Chunya	2,230	2,122	2148
Ileje	2,234	2,125	2151
Kyela	2,237	2,128	2154
Mbarali	2,205	2,096	2122
Mbozi	2,230	2,121	2147
Rungwe	2,230	2,121	2147
Morogoro	2,139	2,030	2056
Mikumi	2,155	2,046	2072

Kilombero	2,177	2,068	2094
Mahenge	2,187	2,078	2104
Kilosa	2,157	2,048	2074
Mvomero	2,149	2,040	2066
Mtwara	2,186	2,078	2104
Masasi	2,212	2,103	2129
Newala	2,218	2,109	2135
Tandahimba	2,211	2,102	2128
Mwanza	2,264	2,155	2181
Geita	2,305	2,196	2222
Kwimba	2,300	2,191	2217
Magu	2,272	2,163	2189
Misungwi	2,269	2,161	2187
Sengerema	2,296	2,187	2213
Ukerewe	2,323	2,214	2240
Sumbawanga	2,287	2,178	2204
Mpanda	2,321	2,212	2238
Nkasi	2,300	2,191	2217
Songea	2,237	2,129	2154
Mbinga	2,271	2,162	2188
Namtumbo	2,266	2,157	2183
Tunduru	2,296	2,187	2213
Shinyanga	2,243	2,134	2160
Kahama	2,256	2,148	2174
Bukombe	2,269	2,160	2186
Bariadi	2,284	2,175	2201
Kishapu	2,271	2,162	2188
Maswa	2,275	2,166	2192
Meatu	2,282	2,173	2199
Singida	2,205	2,096	2122
Iramba	2,217	2,108	2134
Manyoni	2,189	2,080	2106
Tabora	2,268	2,159	2185
Igunga	2,222	2,113	2139
Nzega	2,233	2,124	2150
Sikonge	2,280	2,171	2197
Urambo	2,281	2,172	2198
Tanga	2,160	2,051	2077
Handeni	2,151	2,042	2068
Kilindi	2,174	2,065	2091
Korogwe	2,153	2,044	2070
Lushoto	2,163	2,054	2080
Mkinga	2,174	2,065	2091

Muheza	2,160	2,051	2077
Pangani	2,167	2,058	2084

B: Wholesale Prices

Wholesale Prices - DSM	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
Cap Prices	2,046.62	1,963.81	1,937.90



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