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**PUBLIC NOTICE ON CAP PRICES FOR PETROLEUM PRODUCTS EFFECTIVE
26TH SEPTEMBER 2011**

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 26th September 2011**. These prices have been calculated in accordance with the new pricing formular which became effective in August 2011. Kindly take note of the following.

- (a) Retail and wholesale prices for all petroleum products, in the Tanzania Mainland local market have increased compared to the prices which were prepared to be applicable effective 12th August 2011. Retail prices for various products have increased as follows: Petrol by TZS 70.12 (or 3.57%), Diesel by TZS 44.88 (or 2.38%) and Kerosene by TZS 33.02 (or 1.77%). The price increases have been caused by a rise in the petroleum products prices in the world market as follows: Petrol 5.16%, Diesel 2.98% and Kerosene 2.35%. Also, the Tanzanian shilling has depreciated compared to the US dollar (the currency in which purchases of products in the international oil market are made), the shilling has depreciated by 0.55% compared to the last pricing cycle thus causing the local prices to rise further. The wholesale prices for the same period have consequently increased as follows: Petrol by TZS 70.12 (or 3.45%), Diesel by TZS 44.88 (or 2.30%) and Kerosene by TZS 33.02 (or 1.71%).
- (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	2,291.55	2,101.67	2,223.30	2,034.17
Diesel	2,184.26	1,999.05	2,111.70	1,931.55
Kerosene	2,152.54	1,966.66	2,079.98	1,899.16

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.

- (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 through Government Notice No. 216 of 29th 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	2,102	1,967	1999
Arusha	2,186	2,051	2083
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Karatu	2,204	2,069	2101
Monduli	2,191	2,056	2088
Ngorongoro (Loliondo)	2,263	2,128	2160
Kibaha	2,106	1,971	2004
Bagamoyo	2,113	1,978	2010
Kisarawe	2,109	1,974	2006
Mkuranga	2,111	1,976	2009
Rufiji	2,129	1,994	2027
Dodoma	2,160	2,025	2058
Kondoa	2,193	2,058	2090
Kongwa	2,158	2,023	2055
Mpwapwa	2,162	2,027	2059
Iringa	2,166	2,031	2063

Kilolo	2,170	2,035	2067
Ludewa	2,232	2,097	2129
Makete	2,225	2,090	2122
Mufindi	2,175	2,040	2073
Njombe	2,194	2,059	2091
Bukoba	2,317	2,182	2214
Biharamulo	2,291	2,156	2188
Karagwe	2,333	2,198	2230
Muleba	2,308	2,173	2205
Ngara	2,249	2,114	2146
Misenyi	2,325	2,190	2222
Kigoma	2,333	2,198	2230
Kasulu	2,319	2,184	2216
Kibondo	2,297	2,162	2194
Moshi	2,175	2,040	2073
Hai	2,178	2,043	2076
Mwanga	2,168	2,033	2066
Rombo	2,197	2,062	2094
Same	2,162	2,027	2059
Siha	2,182	2,047	2079
Lindi	2,160	2,025	2058
Kilwa Masoko	2,135	2,000	2033
Liwale	2,182	2,047	2079
Nachingwea	2,190	2,055	2087
Ruangwa	2,188	2,053	2085
Babati	2,224	2,089	2121
Hanang	2,235	2,100	2132
Kiteto	2,235	2,100	2132
Mbulu	2,237	2,102	2134
Simanjiro	2,256	2,121	2153
Musoma	2,280	2,145	2177
Bunda	2,271	2,136	2168
Serengeti	2,326	2,191	2223
Tarime	2,291	2,156	2188
Mbeya	2,209	2,074	2106
Chunya	2,218	2,083	2115
Ileje	2,222	2,087	2119
Kyela	2,224	2,089	2122
Mbarali	2,193	2,058	2090
Mbozi	2,218	2,083	2115
Rungwe	2,217	2,082	2115
Morogoro	2,127	1,992	2024
Mikumi	2,142	2,007	2040

Kilombero	2,165	2,030	2062
Mahenge	2,175	2,040	2072
Kilosa	2,145	2,010	2042
Mvomero	2,137	2,002	2034
Mtwara	2,174	2,039	2071
Masasi	2,200	2,065	2097
Newala	2,206	2,071	2103
Tandahimba	2,199	2,064	2096
Mwanza	2,251	2,116	2149
Geita	2,293	2,158	2190
Kwimba	2,288	2,153	2185
Magu	2,259	2,124	2157
Misungwi	2,257	2,122	2154
Sengerema	2,284	2,149	2181
Ukerewe	2,311	2,176	2208
Sumbawanga	2,275	2,140	2172
Mpanda	2,309	2,174	2206
Nkasi	2,288	2,153	2185
Songea	2,225	2,090	2122
Mbinga	2,259	2,124	2156
Namtumbo	2,254	2,119	2151
Tunduru	2,284	2,149	2181
Shinyanga	2,230	2,095	2128
Kahama	2,244	2,109	2141
Bukombe	2,256	2,121	2153
Bariadi	2,272	2,137	2169
Kishapu	2,259	2,124	2156
Maswa	2,263	2,128	2160
Meatu	2,270	2,135	2167
Singida	2,192	2,057	2090
Iramba	2,204	2,069	2102
Manyoni	2,177	2,042	2074
Tabora	2,256	2,121	2153
Igunga	2,210	2,075	2107
Nzega	2,220	2,085	2117
Sikonge	2,268	2,133	2165
Urambo	2,269	2,134	2166
Tanga	2,148	2,013	2045
Handeni	2,139	2,004	2036
Kilindi	2,162	2,027	2059
Korogwe	2,141	2,006	2038
Lushoto	2,151	2,016	2048
Mkinga	2,162	2,027	2059

Muheza	2,148	2,013	2045
Pangani	2,154	2,019	2052

B: Wholesale Prices

Wholesale Prices - DSM	Petrol	Diesel	Kerosene
Cap Prices	2,034.17	1,931.55	1,899.16

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