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**NOTIFICATIONS UNDER ARTICLES 1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2 AND 12.2.2  
OF THE AGREEMENT ON TRADE FACILITATION**

COMMUNICATION FROM TANZANIA

The following communication, dated 30 November 2020, is being circulated at the request of the delegation of Tanzania for Members' information.

Tanzania hereby makes the following notifications based on Articles 1.4, 10.4.3, 10.6.2 and 12.2.2 of the Agreement on Trade Facilitation.

**Article 1, paragraph 4**

**(a) The official place(s) where the items in subparagraphs 1.1(a) to (j) have been published**

1.1(a) procedures for importation, exportation, and transit (including port, airport, and other entry-point procedures), and required forms and documents;

Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission (TAEC)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/PROCEDURES-FOR-OBTAINING-RADIOACTIVITY-ANALYSIS-CERTIFICATE.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/PROCEDURES-FOR-OBTAINING-RADIOACTIVITY-ANALYSIS-CERTIFICATE.pdf</a> <a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/NEW_SAMPLE_RECORD_FORM.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/NEW_SAMPLE_RECORD_FORM.pdf</a>	Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission Procedures for obtaining Radioactivity Analysis Certificates (RAC)
Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/FORM-TAEC_9.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/FORM-TAEC_9.pdf</a> <a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/FORM-TAEC_11.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/FORM-TAEC_11.pdf</a>	Atomic Energy Act, No. 7 2003 Part III, Section 17 (Application for Authorisation to Import/Export Radiation Device(S))
Trade Information Module/Portal	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/import-procedure">http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/import-procedure</a>	Import Procedures
Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)	<a href="http://www.business.go.tz">www.business.go.tz</a> <a href="http://www.trade.business.go.tz">www.trade.business.go.tz</a>	Import and Export Procedures/processes
Zanzibar Bureau of Standards (ZBS)	<a href="https://www.tbs.go.tz/pages/inspection">https://www.tbs.go.tz/pages/inspection</a>	Imports inspection procedures
Tanzania Ports authority (TPA)	<a href="https://www.tbs.go.tz/uploads/publications/en-1589278368-Batch Certification Regulations.pdf">https://www.tbs.go.tz/uploads/publications/en-1589278368-Batch Certification Regulations.pdf</a>	The Standards (Compulsory Batch Certification of Imports) Regulations, 2009

1.1(b) applied rates of duties and taxes of any kind imposed on or in connection with importation or exportation;

Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="https://www.tra.go.tz/images/uploads/Laws/DUTIESGLANCE.pdf">https://www.tra.go.tz/images/uploads/Laws/DUTIESGLANCE.pdf</a>	Taxes and duties
	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/83-taxes-duties">www.tra.go.tz/index.php/83-taxes-duties</a>	East African Community (EAC) Common External Tariff (CET) 2017 Version

1.1(c) fees and charges imposed by or for governmental agencies on or in connection with importation, exportation or transit;

Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission (TAEC)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Fees_n_Charges.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Fees_n_Charges.pdf</a>	The Atomic Energy Act (CAP.188) – The Atomic Energy (Fees and Charges) Regulations, 2011
Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)	<a href="https://www.tbs.go.tz/pages/inspection">https://www.tbs.go.tz/pages/inspection</a>	Imports inspection procedures, fees and charges
Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="https://www.tra.go.tz/Images/headers/CHAPTER_438-THE_TAX_ADMINISTRATION_ACT.pdf">https://www.tra.go.tz/Images/headers/CHAPTER_438-THE_TAX_ADMINISTRATION_ACT.pdf</a>	The Tax Administration Act [Principal Legislation] Revised Edition 2019
	<a href="https://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC_Customs_Management_Act_(Revised)[1].pdf">https://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC Customs Management Act (Revised)[1].pdf</a>	The East African Community Customs Management Act, 2004
	<a href="https://www.tra.go.tz/Images/headers/CHAPTER_84-">https://www.tra.go.tz/Images/headers/CHAPTER_84-</a>	The Foreign Vehicles Transit Charges Act [Principal Legislation] Revised Edition 2019
Zanzibar Bureau of Standards (ZBS)	<a href="http://www.zbs.go.tz/inspection/pvoc">http://www.zbs.go.tz/inspection/pvoc</a>	Inspection fees for Pre-export Verification of Conformity to Standards (PVoC)
Tanzania Ports authority (TPA)	<a href="http://www.ports.go.tz/index.php/en/tariff-book">http://www.ports.go.tz/index.php/en/tariff-book</a>	Tariff book of Port Dues and Charges

1.1(d) rules for the classification or valuation of products for customs purposes;

Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/images/EAC-CET-2017.pdf">http://www.tra.go.tz/images/EAC-CET-2017.pdf</a>	Classification
	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC_Customs_Management_Act_(Revised)[1].pdf">http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC Customs Management Act (Revised)[1].pdf</a>	Valuation (page 138 Fourth Schedule)

1.1(e) laws, regulations, and administrative rulings of general application relating to rules of origin;

Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/images/uploads/customs/EACRULESOFORIGIN2015.pdf">http://www.tra.go.tz/images/uploads/customs/EACRULESOFORIGIN2015.pdf</a>	East African Community (EAC) Rules of Origin
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	<a href="https://www.sadc.int/themes/economic-development/trade/customs-trade-facilitation/#:~:text=Rules%20of%20Origin,with%20the%20Free%20Trade%20Area">https://www.sadc.int/themes/economic-development/trade/customs-trade-facilitation/#:~:text=Rules%20of%20Origin,with%20the%20Free%20Trade%20Area</a>	Southern African Development Community (SADC) Rules of Origin
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1.1(f) import, export or transit restrictions or prohibitions;

Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission (TAEC)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The-Atomic-Energy-Act-of-2003.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The - Atomic Energy Act of 2003.pdf</a> <a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/Control-of-Radiation-Contaminated-Foodstuff-Regulations-1998-1.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/Control-of-Radiation-Contaminated-Foodstuff-Regulations-1998-1.pdf</a> <a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Parking_n_Transport.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Parking n Transport .pdf</a>	The Protection from Radiation (Control of Radiation Contaminated Foodstuffs) Regulations, 1998 The Packaging and Transport of Radioactive Material Regulations, 2011
Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC_Customs_Management_Act_(Revised)[1].pdf">http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC Customs Management Act (Revised)[1].pdf</a>	The East African Community Customs Management Act, 2004 (Page 134 - 2 <sup>nd</sup> Schedule to EAC Customs Management Act, 2004)
Zanzibar Food and Drug Agency (ZFDA)	<a href="https://zfda.go.tz/act-and-regulation">https://zfda.go.tz/act-and-regulation</a> <a href="https://zfda.go.tz/download/act-no-2-of-2006">https://zfda.go.tz/download/act-no-2-of-2006</a>	ZFDA Acts and Regulations

1.1(g) penalty provisions for breaches of import, export, or transit formalities;

Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC_Customs_Management_Act_(Revised)[1].pdf">http://www.tra.go.tz/tax%20laws/EAC Customs Management Act (Revised)[1].pdf</a> <a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/83-taxes-duties">www.tra.go.tz/index.php/83-taxes-duties</a>	Customs penalties
Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission (TAEC)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The-Atomic-Energy-Act-of-2003.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The - Atomic Energy Act of 2003.pdf</a>	The Atomic Energy Act, 2002
Zanzibar Bureau of Standards (ZBS)	<a href="http://www.zbs.go.tz/publications/acts">http://www.zbs.go.tz/publications/acts</a>	ZBS Act and Regulations
Tanzania Ports authority (TPA)	<a href="http://www.ports.go.tz/index.php/en/tariff-book">http://www.ports.go.tz/index.php/en/tariff-book</a>	Penalty provisions for breaches of formalities

1.1(h) procedures for appeal or review;

Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="https://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/objections-appeals">https://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/objections-appeals</a>	Law governing tax Objections and Appeals
Tanzania Atomic Energy Commission (TAEC)	<a href="https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The-Atomic-Energy-Act-of-2003.pdf">https://taec.go.tz/wp-content/uploads/2019/11/The - Atomic Energy Act of 2003.pdf</a>	The Atomic Energy Act, 2002
Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)	<a href="https://www.tbs.go.tz/uploads/publications/en-1589278779-Standards_Act_2009.pdf">https://www.tbs.go.tz/uploads/publications/en-1589278779-Standards Act 2009.pdf</a>	The Standards Act, 2009
Zanzibar Bureau of Standards (ZBS)	<a href="http://www.zbs.go.tz/publications/acts">http://www.zbs.go.tz/publications/acts</a>	The Zanzibar Standard Act 2011

1.1(i) agreements or parts thereof with any country or countries relating to importation, exportation, or transit; and

Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)	<a href="http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/BU_REAU_VERITAS_Contacts_sheet_worldwide.pdf">http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/BU_REAU_VERITAS_Contacts_sheet_worldwide.pdf</a> <a href="http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/CC_IC_Contact_List.pdf">http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/CC_IC_Contact_List.pdf</a> <a href="http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/SG_S_PCA_Contacts_worldwide_04032015.pdf">http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/SG_S_PCA_Contacts_worldwide_04032015.pdf</a> <a href="http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/IN_TERTEK_CONTACT_ADDRESS_WORLDWIDE.pdf">http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/IN_TERTEK_CONTACT_ADDRESS_WORLDWIDE.pdf</a> <a href="http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/US_ED_MOTOR_VEHICLES_PVoC_AGENTS_CONTACT_ADDRESSES.pdf">http://demo.egatest.go.tz/tbs/uploads/files/US_ED_MOTOR_VEHICLES_PVoC_AGENTS_CONTACT_ADDRESSES .pdf</a>	Inspection Agreements
Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)	<a href="http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/double-taxation-agreements">http://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/double-taxation-agreements</a>	Double Taxation Agreements
Zanzibar Bureau of Standards(ZBS)	<a href="http://www.zbs.go.tz/inspection/pvoc">http://www.zbs.go.tz/inspection/pvoc</a>	Inspection Agreement

1.1(j) procedures relating to the administration of tariff quotas.

No tariff quotas are imposed

**(b) The Uniform Resource Locators of website(s) referred to in paragraph 2.1**

The Uniform Resource Locators (URL) of websites referred to in paragraph 2.1 are:

[www.business.go.tz](http://www.business.go.tz)

<https://trade.business.go.tz/procedure/740/step/2856?l=en>

**(c) The contact information of the enquiry points referred to in paragraph 3.1**

Contact information on enquiry point is:

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**Article 10, paragraph 4.3**

The first phase of Tanzania Electronic Single Window System (TeSWS) has been completed and it has started its operation at the pilot level.

**Article 10, paragraph 6.2**

Currently it is not mandatory for an importer to use Customs Brokers (Clearing and Forwarding Agents - CFAs) while clearing her/his importation even though it is highly recommended to use CFA's as stipulated under section 145-148 of the East African Community Customs Management Act, 2004.

<https://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/105-clearing-and-forwarding>

<https://www.tra.go.tz/index.php/clearing-forwarding-agents>

**Article 12, paragraph 2.2**

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