

STAKEHOLDERS.

Dear All,

RE: DRAFT ZANZIBAR NATIONAL STANDARDS FOR STAKEHOLDER'S COMMENTS.

Zanzibar Bureau of Standards (ZBS) currently has developed **eleven** standards of the Building and Construction Material technical committee and is seeking comments from public before being approved by the ZBS Board of Directors and then Gazetted to the Government Gazette. The standards are:-

1. PCD 777-2: 2026 Ceramic tiles - Part 2: Determination of dimensions and surface quality
2. PCD 778-11: 2026 Ceramic tiles - Part 11: Determination of crazing resistance for glazed tiles
3. PCD 779-3:2025 Ceramic tiles — Grouts and adhesives — Part 3: Terms, definitions and specifications for grouts
4. TCD 843 - 6:2026, ISO 10545-6: 1995 Ceramic tiles - Part 6: Determination of resistance to deep abrasion for unglazed tiles
5. TCD 844 - 2:2026, ISO 13007-2:2013 TCD Ceramic tiles — Grouts and adhesives — Part 2: Test methods for adhesives
6. TCD 845 - 2:2026, ISO 20290-2: 2019 Aggregates for concrete — Test methods for mechanical and physical properties — Part 2: Method for determination of resistance to fragmentation by Los Angeles Test (LA-Test)
7. TCD 845 - 3 :2026, ISO 20290-3: 2019 Aggregates for concrete — Test methods for mechanical and physical properties — Part 3: Determination of aggregate crushing value (ACV)
8. TCD 819:2026- EAS 293-2:2007 Road marking materials — Part 2: Road marking performance for road users
9. TCD 847 - 7:2026- ISO 1920 -7:2004 Testing of concrete — Part 7: Non-destructive tests on hardened concrete
10. TCD 848 - 1:2026- TZS 58 (Part 1):1980 Aggregates-Part 1: Sampling and classification
11. TCD 849: 2026 - ISO 10983: 1999 Timber structures — Solid timber finger-jointing — Production requirements

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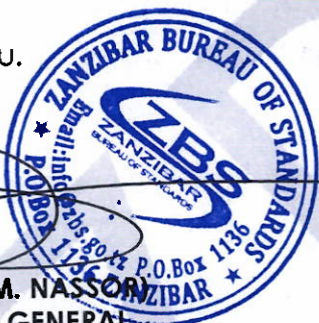
According to procedures for development of Zanzibar Standards the draft standards are hereby circulated for stakeholder's comments.

We kindly request you to go through the draft standards and send your comments regarding its technical contents. Suggestion which entails revision of text should indicate the preferred wording and the relevant clause should be quoted against each comment. In case you find it suitable and no comments, please notify accordingly.

Your comments has to be filled at the attached form and can be submitted in ZBS email which is maoni@zbs.go.tz or hard copy of the form to be submitted to the ZBS office at, Maruhubi Zanzibar, or Chake chake Pemba.

The Bureau will appreciate receiving your comments before **28 November 2026**.

Thank you.



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