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Dear Sir/Madam

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSED STANDARDS RELATED TO THE REVIEW OF PETROLEUM PRODUCT QUALITY STANDARDS.

The above caption refers.

The Zambia Bureau of Standards (ZABS) and the Energy Regulation Board as Secretariat and Co-secretariat for the Petroleum Technical Committee (PPTC) embarked on the process of reviewing the petroleum product specification standards in the petroleum sector. The review of the standards was triggered by the five (05) years period which had elapsed from the date of promulgation or review according to ZABS procedures.

In view of the aforesaid, you are requested to comment on the following Zambian Product Petroleum Standards that have undergone revision by the PPQTC and are now at public comment stage:

- i) DZS 395: UNLEADED PETROL (GASOLINE) FOR MOTOR VEHICLES –Specification;
- ii) DZS 369: AUTOMOTIVE GAS OIL (DIESEL FUEL)- Specification;
- iii) DZS 326: LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS – Specification;
- iv) DZS 718: Low Sulphur Gasoil (LSGO) – Specification;
- v) DZS 394 AVIATION TURBINE FUEL – Specification for Jet A-1;
- vi) DZS 380: ILLUMINATING KEROSENE – Specification; and
- vii) DZS 396: SAMPLING PETROLEUM PRODUCTS :Part 1: Manual sampling of liquid hydrocarbons; and

viii) BITUMENS FOR BUILDING AND CIVIL ENGINEERING
PART 1: PENETRATION GRADE BITUMENS – Specification

The above standards are available on the ERB website www.erb.org.zm. Kindly submit your comments using the attached template and submit to either the ERB or Zambia Bureau of Standards (ZABS) within sixty (60) days of publication of this circular.

We look forward to receiving your comments.

Regards,

Yours faithfully

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