

THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA  
TANZANIA COMMUNICATIONS REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
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**PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON THE DRAFT INFORMATION MEMORANDUM FOR  
THE AWARD OF IMT MULTI-BAND FREQUENCY SPECTRUM**

Pursuant to the provision of the Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority Act Chapter 172 and the Electronic and Postal Communications Act, (EPOCA) Chapter 306 of the laws of the United Republic of Tanzania, the Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority (TCRA) is vested with powers to allocate, assign, issue, distribute, retrieve, suspend, cancel or otherwise modify distribution among users or licensees of any radio communication frequencies or frequencies channels.

On 15<sup>th</sup> July 2022, TCRA issued a public notice to the general public and stakeholders, its intention to assign through auction, the following available spectrum blocks allocated for International Mobile Telecommunication (IMT) services: -

- (i) 700 MHz band: One (1) block of 2 x 10 MHz
- (ii) 2300 MHz band: Two (2) blocks of 1 x 35 MHz
- (iii) 2600 MHz band: Three (3) blocks of 2 x 15 MHz and one block of 1 x 20 MHz
- (iv) 3500 MHz band: Four (4) blocks of 1 x 40 MHz

Prior to the formal commencement of the assignment process, TCRA is inviting telecommunications stakeholders and general public at large to provide written inputs and comments on the draft Information Memorandum (IM) for IMT Multi-Band Frequency Spectrum Award process through Auction. The IM gives details of the process and sets out fundamental practical issues, such as qualification criteria, applicant's eligibility, spectrum cap, reserve prices and other rules, so as to guide stakeholders who wish to participate in the spectrum award process.

The draft IM document can be accessed in the TCRA web page at <https://www.tcra.go.tz/uploads/documents/sw-1660511816-Draft%20Information%20Memorandum%2015%20August2022.pdf>.

The written comments should be sent to TCRA before **04:00 pm on Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August 2022**. Written comments and any other enquiries should be sent to email address

[spectrum.auction@tcra.go.tz](mailto:spectrum.auction@tcra.go.tz) or by post to *Director General, Tanzania Communications Regulatory Authority, P. O. Box 474, 14414 DAR ES SALAAM.*

Interested persons and stakeholders are urged and encouraged to read the IM document, provide comments and observe the above time schedule.

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