

TANZAN FOOD AND DRUGS AUTHORITY



PUBLIC NOTICE

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**EXTENSION OF TIME FOR PAYMENT OF ANNUAL RETENTION FEES FOR
THE YEAR 2019**

1. According to Tanzania Food, Drugs and Cosmetics Act, Cap 219, all registered food products, medicines, cosmetics and medical devices are required to be maintained in their registers by paying annual retention fees done by registrants.
2. The retention fees are required to be paid on or before 31st of January of each calendar year as per Tanzania Food, Drugs and Cosmetics (Fees and Charges) Regulations, 2015 and its Amendment Regulations of 2017.
3. The Authority would like to inform its esteemed stakeholders it has extended the time for payment of annual retention fees for 3 months to 31st March 2019.
4. The retention fees should be paid as stipulated in the Tanzania Food, Drugs and Cosmetics (Fees and Charges) Regulations, 2015 and its Amendment Regulations of 2017.
5. All companies issued with invoices shall pay annual retention fees for the year 2019 to TFDA through their respective control numbers.
6. From 1st of April, 2019 import permits shall not be issued to importers for products which such fees had not been paid and the same shall attract a penalty of 25% for those who will pay after the deadline indicated.

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