

TANZANIA FOOD AND DRUGS AUTHORITY



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NOTICE TO ALL DEALERS OF ANTISEPTICS AND DISINFECTANTS

CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION (NOTIFICATION) ON ANTISEPTICS AND DISINFECTANTS CIRCULATING ON TANZANIAN MARKET

Tanzania Food and Drugs Authority (TFDA) is a regulatory body mandated to control safety, quality and effectiveness of food, medicines, cosmetics and medical devices. Medicines include human and veterinary medicines, herbal medicines as well as antiseptics and disinfectants.

TFDA has recently set up a system for control of antiseptics and disinfectants circulating on the market including their registration. However, prior to commencement of registration process, we would like to inform our esteemed stakeholders that, all antiseptics and disinfectants available on the market should be notified to the Authority.

TFDA is thus directing all importers, manufacturers and dealers of antiseptics and disinfectants to submit information on antiseptics and disinfectants manufactured, imported and sold on the Tanzanian market. Information should be submitted in hard and soft copy using a form which can be downloaded from TFDA website (www.tfda.or.tz) or physically obtained from TFDA headquarter and zonal offices.

This exercise will be carried out for a period of one year from the date of this notice and thereafter products will be subjected to registration process as per the Guidelines for Submission of Documentation for Marketing Authorization of Biocidal Products (Antiseptics and Disinfectants). Within the specified period, permits to import antiseptics and disinfectants will only be issued to notified products.

For further information please contact the Authority through the following address;

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