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THE PLANT HEALTH ACT,
(CAP 133)

REGULATIONS

(Made under section 64)

THE PLANT HEALTH (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2024

Citation
GN No. 284
of 2023

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Plant Health (Amendment) Regulations, 2024 and shall be read as one with the Plant Health Regulation, 2023 hereinafter referred to as the “principal Regulations”.

Amendment
of regulation
115

2. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 115, by-
(a) deleting sub regulation (2); and
(b) renumbering subregulation (3) as sub regulation (2).

Amendment
of Second
Schedule

3. The principal Regulations are amended by deleting the second schedule and substituting for it the following:

“SECOND SCHEDULE

(Made under regulation 115)

A: PESTICIDES		
S/N	SERVICES	FEE(TZS)
Tshs	PESTICIDE IMPORT FEE	
	Cess fee	1.5% FOB
2.	PESTICIDE EXPORT FEE	
	Export and re-export	0.75% FOB
3.	ANALYTICAL FEE PER SAMPLE	
(a)	Formulation analysis charge (arriving/local consignment and revalidation of on market products)	600,000
(b)	Formulation analysis charge for complaints and dispute samples	600,000
(c)	Analysis charge for registration purpose	600,000
(d)	Residue analysis charge in agricultural produce and other commodities	600,000
(e)	Residue analysis charge in soil and sediments	600,000
(f)	Residue analysis charge in fish, animal tissue and serum	600,000
(g)	Residue analysis charge in water	600,000
(h)	Fast track analysis for pesticide samples upon request	900,000
4.	APPLICATION EQUIPMENT FEES	
(a)	Import Permit	
(i)	Cess fee	1.5% of FOB
(ii)	Laboratory assessment, Calibration and field evaluation per model	1,500,000
(b)	Registration fee (per registration period)	1,500,000
5.	PESTICIDE AND BIOLOGICAL CONTROL AGENTS REGISTRATION FEES PER REGISTRATION PERIOD	
(a)	Application for registration of pesticide	300,000
(b)	Experimental permit	4,500,000
(c)	Provisional registration	6,000,000
(d)	Full registration	4,500,000
(e)	Restricted use registration	7,500,000

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(f)	Registration of Biological control agents	4,500,000
6.	For pesticides registered in a Partner State in the EAC undergoing bio efficacy trials in one cropping season, the fees shall be as stipulated below (per registration period)	
(a)	Application for registration of pesticide	450,000
(b)	Experimental permit	4,500,000
(c)	Provisional registration	12,000,000
(d)	Full registration and Renewal	9,000,000
(e)	Restricted registration	10,500,000
7.	EFFICACY TESTING FEES PER PRODUCT PER SEASON/TRIAL	
(a)	Field trial	9,000,000-24,000,000
8.	Pre-Registration and Post-Registration Fees for Pesticide Dealers	
(a)	Pesticide Pre-business Premises Inspection prior approval	
(i)	Manufacturer/formulation/repacking per inspection	1,500,000
(ii)	Wholesaler per inspection	600,000
(iii)	Pest control operators (fumigators and pest controllers) per inspection	600,000
(iv)	Retailer per inspection	150,000
(b)	Pesticide Business Permit fees payable annually	
(i)	Manufacturer/formulation/repacking	1,500,000
(ii)	Importer Certificate	1,050,000
(iii)	Wholesale	225,000
(iv)	Retail	150,000
(v)	Pest control operators (fumigators and pest controllers)	600,000
9.	Soil analysis fees per sample	
(i)	Basic Soil Analysis with Recommendations	75,000
(ii)	Complete Soil Analysis with Recommendations	150,000
(iii)	Complete soil and Bio-available Nutrients	240,000
(iv)	Soil life Test	90,000
(v)	Soil texture	75,000

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(vi)	Exchangeable acidity (pH) in soil	30,000
(vii)	Heavy Metals in Soil	210,000
(viii)	Available Nitrogen in Soil	45,000
(ix)	Substrate analysis	111,000
(x)	1:2 Soil extract	108,000
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(i)	Drip water analysis	108,000
(ii)	Drain water analysis	108,000
(iii)	Irrigation Water Analysis	135,000
(iv)	Post-Harvest Water Analysis	180,000
(v)	Heavy metals in water	180,000
11.	Leaf analysis fees	
(i)	Complete analysis	111,000
(ii)	Heavy Metals in Plant	210,000
12.	Fast track for services in No. 9, 10 and 11 above	300,000
13.	Qualitative and quantitative Mycotoxin analysis fees in grains and any other products	
(a)	Total aflatoxins	135,000
(b)	Ochratoxin A	135,000
(c)	Patulin	135,000
(d)	Fumonisins	135,000
(e)	Zearalenone	135,000
(f)	Nivalenol/Deoxynivalenol.	135,000
14.	AChE Test	45,000
15.	Permits/Certificates/License Search/amendment/replacement	
(g)	Search fee	30,000
(h)	Amendment/Replacement	60,000
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B: PLANT HEALTH		
S/N	SERVICE	FEES (TZS)

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1.	FEES ON EXPORT, IMPORT AND POST- ENTRY CONTROL OF PLANTS, PLANT PRODUCTS AND REGULATED ARTICLES	
(a)	Import Certification	
	Plant Import Permit for:	
(i)	☐ Non-commercial per consignment	25,000.00
(ii)	☐ Research per consignment	60,000.00
(iii)	☐ Commercial per consignment	130,000.00
	Inspection of:	
(iv)	☐ Non-commercial consignment	10,000.00
(v)	☐ Wood Packaging Materials per consignment	10,000.00
(vi)	☐ Commercial consignment if it is 1000 kg or less	25,000.00
	If the consignment is more than 1000 kg but less than 1,000,000 kg for:	
(vii)	☐ Cereals (except wheat), legumes and pulses, horticultural crops, roots, tubers and their allied products	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS. 10) per consignment
(viii)	☐ Wheat	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 16) per consignment
(ix)	☐ Traditional Cash Crops and Oil Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 10) per consignment
(x)	☐ Other Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 10) per consignment
	If the consignment is more than 1,000,000 kg	
(xi)	☐ Cereals (except wheat), legumes and pulses, horticultural crops, roots, and tubers and their allied products	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 9.0) per consignment
(xii)	☐ Wheat	TSHS25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 15.0) per consignment
(xiii)	☐ Traditional Cash Crops, oil crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 9.0) per consignment
(xiv)	☐ Other Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 9.0) per consignment
(b)	Export certification	

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	Phytosanitary certificate for:	
(i)	☐ Non-commercial consignment	25,000.00
(ii)	☐ Research consignment	65,000.00
(iii)	☐ Commercial consignment	130,000.00
	Inspection	
(iv)	☐ If the consignment is 1000 kg or less	TSHS 25,000 per consignment
	If the consignment is more 1000 kg but less than 1,000,000 kg for:	
(v)	☐ Traditional Cash Crops, oil crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 13) per consignment
(vi)	☐ Cereals, legumes and pulses, horticultural crops, roots, and tubers	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 8.0) per consignment
(vii)	☐ Other Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 13) per consignment
	If the consignment is more than 1,000,000 kg for:	
(viii)	☐ Traditional Cash Crops and Oil Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 12.0) per consignment
(ix)	☐ Cereals, legumes and pulses, horticultural crops, roots, and tubers	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 7.0) per consignment
(x)	☐ Other Crops	TSHS 25,000 + (No. of excess Kgs x TSHS 12.0) per consignment
(c)	Post entry quarantine and treatment supervision fee	
(i)	At the station	Minimum of TSHS 380,000 per consignment
(ii)	Open and closed quarantine	Minimum of TSHS 380,000 per consignment
(d)	Conveyances	
(i)	Inspection per consignment	130,000.00
(ii)	Treatment supervision	Minimum of TSHS 380,000 per consignment
(iii)	Certification per consignment	25,000.00
2.	Fees on necessary services connected with plant health services	
	Field inspection and travelling costs	
(i)	☐ Field inspection during active growth for up to 1 hectare	110,000.00

(ii)	☐ Field inspection during active growth for any additional hectare	25,000.00
(iii)	☐ Travelling within 10 Km.	TSHS 20,000 for distances
(iv)	☐ Travelling for each additional km beyond 10 km.	TSHS1,000 for each additional km
(v)	Disposition of materials	TSHS 120,000 per assignment or may be more, depending on disposition cost
(vi)	Training	Fees to be determined according to cost of the course required
(vii)	Plant protection extension services	Fees to be determined according to cost of the course required
3.	Identification of pest and disease in phytosanitary systems	
(a)	Fungal identification per sample	
(i)	Fungal identification without culture	15,000.00
	Single identification and diagnosis of fungi requiring culturing and further investigation	
(ii)	☐ Fungal culturing charges	35,000.00
(iii)	☐ Fungal analysis using enzyme link immunosorbent assay (ELISA)	75,000.00
(iv)	☐ PCR analysis including conventional	75,000.00
(v)	☐ Real time PCR and LAMP	90,000.00
(vi)	☐ Other specialized techniques such as DNA barcoding, sequencing	110,000.00
(vii)	☐ Fungal count per sample	10,000.00
(b)	Bacterial identification per sample	
(i)	Identification through culturing and further investigations	45,000.00
(ii)	Bacterial identification analysis using enzyme link immuno-sorbent assay (ELISA) and immuno-fluorescence	50,000.00
(iii)	PCR analysis including conventional	75,000.00
(iv)	Real time PCR and LAMP	90,000.00
(v)	Other specialized techniques such as DNA barcoding and sequencing	110,000.00
(c)	Identification of virus, viroids and phytoplasma per sample	
(i)	Identification based on symptom expression	25,000.00
(ii)	Identification using indicator plants	50,000.00
(iii)	Serology analysis per virus	35,000.00
(iv)	PCR analysis including conventional PCR	75,000.00

(v)	Real time PCR and LAMP per single virus	90,000.00
(vi)	Other specialized techniques such as DNA barcoding, sequencing	110,000.00
(d)	Nematode identification per sample	
(i)	Nematode extraction from soil, plant tissue and other sample types	10,000.00
(ii)	Identification of nematode species	25,000.00
(iii)	Nematode count per sample	10,000.00
(iv)	Molecular identification of nematodes (e.g., by PCR and LAMP)	75,000.00
(v)	Other specialized techniques such as DNA barcoding and sequencing	110,000.00
(e)	Insect pest and mite identification per sample	
(i)	Single morphological identification and diagnosis	10,000.00
(ii)	Detailed identification requiring investigative work	25,000.00
(iii)	Multiple pest species identification and diagnosis	50,000.00
(iv)	Analysis including conventional PCR	75,000.00
(v)	Real time PCR and LAMP	90,000.00
(vi)	Other specialized techniques such as DNA barcoding, sequencing	110,000.00
(f)	Weeds and Herbarium specimen identification per sample	
(i)	Routine single identification and diagnosis	10,000.00
(ii)	Detailed single identification and diagnostic services requiring investigative work	25,000.00
(iii)	Multiple pest species identification and diagnosis	50,000.00
(iv)	Other specialized techniques such as genetic purity test, DNA barcoding and sequencing	110,000.00
(g)	Plant identification (taxonomic services) per specimen	
(i)	to family level	8,000.00
(ii)	to genus level	10,000.00
(iii)	to species level	25,000.00
(h)	Mycotoxin analysis in grains and related products per sample	
(i)	Total aflatoxin diagnostic test	75,000.00
(ii)	Test of Mycotoxins and aflatoxin using ELISA	60,000.00
(iii)	Confirmation of Mycotoxins (e.g., aflatoxinB1)	110,000.00
(iv)	Moisture content analysis	20,000.00
(i)	GMO testing and inspection service per sample upon request	

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(i)	PCR Qualitative	190,000.00
(ii)	PCR quantitative	330,000.00
(iii)	PCR-based suppression subtractive hybridization and next-generation sequencing	380,000.00
(iv)	Monitoring GMO for compliance excluding subsistence and transport	210,000.00
(v)	Inspection and escort of GMO material	210,000.00
(vi)	Field inspection of GMO trial per visit	340,000.00
(j)	Germplasm storage and analysis	
(i)	Virus clean-up (batch of not more than 10 plants per accession)	220,000.00
(ii)	In vitro multiplication of pathogen free plants (per 20 plants-(batch of not more than 20 plants per accession))	85,000.00
(iii)	Charges for the use of tissue culture facilities per day	10,000.00
(iv)	Maintenance of plants in the tissue culture laboratory (In-vitro plants, per month per accession)	10,000.00
(v)	Sale of virus free plants (in-vitro - per plant)	10,000.00
(vi)	Sale of virus free plants (acclimatized plants - per plant)	5,000.00
(vii)	Maintenance of plants in greenhouse (propagating) per month, per greenhouse	65,000.00
(k)	Phytosanitary Inspections	
	Import and export permit	
(i)	☐ Biological Control Agent Import permit	25,000.00
(ii)	☐ Biological Control Agent export permit	50,000.00
(iii)	☐ Plant import permit for research	25,000.00
(iv)	☐ Replacement of plant import permits	25,000.00
(l)	Phytosanitary certificate	
(i)	☐ Search fee for phytosanitary documents	25,000.00
(ii)	☐ Re-export phytosanitary certificate	130,000.00
(iii)	☐ Amendment/Replacement of phytosanitary documents before export	40,000.00
(iv)	☐ Amendment/Replacement of phytosanitary documents after export	210,000.00
(v)	Premises/commodity inspection – Routine (Excluding transport costs and subsistence)	110,000.00
(vi)	Inspection of Quarantine facility including greenhouse and laboratory (up to 1 ha)	140,000.00
(vii)	Additional charges for quarantine facilities for additional hectare above (j) above	20,000.00
(viii)	Inspection of biocontrol facilities	110,000.00

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(ix)	Inspection for compliances to pesticide residue levels	110,000.00
(x)	Inspection for non-compliance to MRLs	430,000.00
(xi)	Sale of pasteurized soil (per kg)	500.00
(xii)	Farm visits for advice on pest control (Excluding subsistence and transport)	55,000.00
(xiii)	Consultation fees for commercial farms	25,000.00
(m)	Devitalization (Excluding subsistence and transport)	
(i)	Registration Fee of facility (Non-Refundable)	110,000.00
(ii)	Auditing and monitoring charges per audit	110,000.00
(iii)	Annual Renewal of certificate	30,000.00

(iv)	Training on devitalization per person	55,000.00
(n)	Conveyance Inspection	
	Physical test/examination/inspection	
(i)	▪ Empty ship inspection/survey	255,000.00
(ii)	▪ Large vessel (over 10,000 MTs)	130,000.00
(iii)	▪ Small vessel (less than 10,000 MT) (about, dhows,	25,000.00
(iv)	▪ Large containers (40 ft.) inspection (each)	25,000.00
(v)	▪ Small containers (20ft) inspection (each)	10,000.00
(vi)	▪ Large aircrafts (each)	125,000.00
(vii)	▪ Small aircrafts (and balloons) (each)	70,000.00
(viii)	▪ Used vehicles and agricultural machineries (each)	10,000.00
(o)	Ensuring compliance to guidelines on wood packaging materials	
(i)	Application fee (non-refundable)	50,000.00
(ii)	Authorization for treatment and marking fee	190,000.00
(iii)	Renewal fee (annually)	50,000.00
(iv)	Marking – Standard pallet charges per pallet	130,000.00
(v)	Marking dunnage, planks, wooden boxes, wedges and others per consignment	25,000.00
(vi)	Auditing and monitoring charges per audit	130,000.00.”.

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