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**THE PETROLEUM ACT  
(CAP.392)**

**NOTICE**

*(Made under section 128(3))*

THE PETROLEUM (VICTORIA SERVICES STATION LIMITED – CONSTRUCTION OF  
NATURAL GAS REFUELLING STATION AT KIPAWA AREA) (CONSTRUCTION  
APPROVAL) NOTICE, 2025

- Citation                      **1.** This Notice may be cited as the Petroleum  
(Victoria Services Station Limited–Construction of Natural  
Gas Refuelling Station at Kipawa Area) (Construction  
Approval) Notice, 2025.
- Interpretation              **2.** In this Notice, unless the context otherwise  
requires-  
“applicant” means Victoria Services Station Limited of P.O.  
Box 75467 Dar es Salaam;  
“Authority” means the Energy and Water Utilities  
Regulatory Authority established under the Energy  
and Water Utilities Regulatory Authority Act; and  
“construction approval” means an approval issued by the  
Authority pursuant to section 128(1) of the  
Petroleum Act.
- Cap. 414
- Cap. 392
- Granting of  
construction  
approval                      **3.** The applicant is hereby granted a construction  
approval to construct natural gas refuelling station along  
Nyerere Road on Plot Number 112, Kipawa Area, Dar es  
Salaam City subject to the following conditions:  
(a) construction shall not commence until the  
applicant has obtained Environmental Impact  
Assessment Certificate from relevant authority;  
(b) comply with the approved design, technical  
specifications, processes (installation,  
construction, welding, testing and

- commissioning), and demarcated right of way or other applicable laws;
- (c) ensure the station or other related facilities are constructed in accordance with comprehensive written specifications, standards issued by the Tanzania Bureau of Standards or other applicable laws;
- (d) ensure that construction inspection requirements for refuelling stations or other related facilities are adequate in order to assure compliance with the material, construction, welding, assembly, and testing requirements of the standards issued by the Tanzania Bureau of Standards;
- (e) ensure that-
  - (i) there are minimal inconveniences to the residents around the station and safety of the public is given prime consideration;
  - (ii) in the case blasting is involved, it should be done in accordance with the governing regulations and should be performed by a competent and qualified personnel and be performed so as to provide adequate protection to the general public, livestock, wildlife, buildings, telephone, telegraph, power lines, underground structures and any other property in the proximity of the blasting;
- (f) ensure that-
  - (i) in grading the site, every effort should be made in order to minimize damage to the land, and prevent abnormal drainage and erosive conditions;
  - (ii) the land is to be restored to as nearly original condition as is practical;

- (g) observe-
  - (i) environmental, health and safety standards as required by the applicable laws;
  - (ii) health and safety of all personnel and equipment are taken into account by observing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) all the time including head hat, safety glasses, safety boots, use of fire extinguisher; and
- (h) ensure all existing utilities whether regulated by the Authority or not are protected from damage and formally communicate with operators of such utilities to request their presence on site during project execution.

Expiry of  
construction  
approval

4. The construction approval shall automatically expire or cease to have effect if the holder fails to commence construction within twenty-four months from the date of issue.

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JAMES A. MWAINYEKULE,  
*Director General*