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THE NATIONAL PAYMENT SYSTEMS ACT,
(CAP. 437)

REGULATIONS

(Made under section 46(2))

THE NATIONAL PAYMENT SYSTEMS (ELECTRONIC MOBILE MONEY
TRANSFER AND WITHDRAWAL TRANSACTIONS LEVY) (AMENDMENT)
REGULATIONS, 2021

Citation

GN No.
496A of 2021

1.-(1) These Regulations may be cited as the National Payment Systems (Electronic Mobile Money Transfer and Withdrawal Transactions Levy) (Amendment) Regulations, 2021, and shall be read together with the National Payment Systems (Electronic Mobile Money Transfer and Withdrawal Transactions Levy) Regulations, 2021 hereinafter referred to as the “principal Regulations”.

(2) These Regulations shall come into effect on the 1st day of September, 2021.

Amendment of
regulation 3

2. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 3, by-

(a) adding in the appropriate alphabetical order the following new definitions:

“electronic mobile money” means electronic money whose access is through a mobile money menu or mobile application of the electronic money issuer on a user’s mobile phone and through which the user may effect payment, transfer or withdrawal and shall also include money

*National Payment Systems (Electronic Mobile Money
Transfer And Withdrawal Transactions Levy) (Amendment)*

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transferred or withdrawn through an approved payment system administered by a bank or financial institution which allows a bank customer to transfer or withdraw money through a mobile phone;

“transfer” means the transfer of electronic mobile money from-

- (a) the user’s mobile money account to another mobile money account;
- (b) the user’s mobile money account to bank account; or
- (c) a bank account to bank account,

but does not include transfer from a bank account to a mobile money account;

“withdrawal” means withdrawal of cash from a user’s mobile money account or bank account in a payment system through a collector’s agent;”

- (b) deleting the definition of the term “user” and substituting for it the following:

““user” means a person who accesses a mobile money menu or bank account in the payment system on a mobile phone and through which he may effect payment, transfer or withdrawal;”

Amendment of
Schedule

3.-(1) The principal Regulations are amended by deleting the Schedule and substituting for it the following:

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“SCHEDULE
(Made under regulation 4)

CHARGEABLE RATE FOR ELECTRONIC MOBILE MONEY
TRANSFER AND WITHDRAWAL TRANSACTIONS LEVY

S/N	Electronic Mobile Money Transfer and Withdrawal Amount in TZS	Chargeable rate in TZS
1.	0 to 999	0
2.	1,000 to 1,999	10
3.	2,000 to 2,999	11
4.	3,000 to 3,999	19
5.	4,000 to 4,999	39
6.	5,000 to 6,999	70
7.	7,000 to 9,999	88
8.	10,000 to 14,999	224
9.	15,000 to 19,999	427
10.	20,000 to 29,999	672
11.	30,000 to 39,999	770
12.	40,000 to 49,999	1,050
13.	50,000 to 99,999	1,435
14.	100,000 to 199,999	1,771
15.	200,000 to 299,999	2,058
16.	300,000 to 399,999	2,450
17.	400,000 to 499,999	2,870
18.	500,000 to 599,999	3,640
19.	600,000 to 699,999	4,480
20.	700,000 to 799,999	4,970
21.	800,000 to 899,999	5,264
22.	900,000 to 1,000,000	6,230
23.	1,000,001 to 3,000,000	6,580
24.	3,000,001 and above	7,000

(2) Notwithstanding subregulation (1) and regulation 1(2), the rates prescribed in the principal Regulations shall continue in force during the time which collectors align the necessary systems of collection with the new rates, but in any case not later than seven days from the 1st day of September, 2021.

Dodoma,
31st August, 2021

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