



## **TAARIFA KWA VYOMBO VYA HABARI**

### ***WATEJA WAONGEZEWA MUDA KUREKEBISHA TAARIFA BENKI***

BENKI Kuu ya Tanzania imeongeza muda wa mwaka mmoja kwa wateja wa benki zote nchini kuboresha taarifa zao kuanzia kesho Machi 15, 2012 hadi Machi 14, 2013.

Benki na taasisi zote za fedha zimejulishwa kuzingatia kikamilifu agizo hili. Agizo la awali lilitamka kwamba muda wa kuboresha taarifa za wateja wa benki ungelimalizika leo.

Mwaka jana (2011) Waziri wa Fedha na Uchumi, Bw. Mustafa Mkulo, alitoa kipindi cha muda wa mwaka mmoja kuanzia Machi 15, 2011 hadi Machi 14, 2012 kwa ajili ya zoezi hilo. Hii ilikuwa ni kuziwezesha benki zote kuzingatia kanuni zilizomo katika Sheria ya Kudhibiti Fedha Haramu.

Wakati huo huo, Benki Kuu ya Tanzania inawataka wananchi na wateja wa benki nchini kutimiza wajibu wao kwa kujaza fomu za taarifa zao ili kuepuka usumbufu unaoweza kujitokeza kwa kushindwa kutimiza sharti hilo la kisheria.

**Imetolewa na Idara ya Uhusiano na Itifaki**

**BENKI KUU YA TANZANIA**

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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### ***CUSTOMERS GIVEN MORE TIME TO UPDATE BANK RECORDS***

THE **Bank of Tanzania (BoT)** has extended the deadline for bank customers to update their bank data for a period of one year starting from tomorrow March 15, 2012 to March 14, 2013. Following this new development, all banks and financial institutions have been informed and asked to comply as the initial deadline issued last year was expected to end today.

The extension follows consultations with the Ministry of Finance and Economic Affairs.

The Minister for Finance and Economic Affairs, Mr. Mustafa Mkulo, granted a one-year moratorium (March 15, 2011 to March 14, 2012) for banks to comply with the Anti-Money Laundering Regulations, 2007 to enable banks to regularize/update all accounts opened prior to the coming into force of the Anti-Money Laundering Act.

**Meanwhile**, the Bank of Tanzania urges members of the public to comply with the requirement in order to avoid inconveniences that could result from failure to adhere to the directive of updating their personal information.

**Issued by the Public Relations and Protocol Department**

**BANK OF TANZANIA**

March 14, 2012