

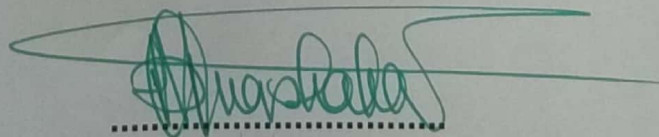
**THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA  
MINISTRY OF MINERALS**

**TENDER No. BLOCK C/01/2022**

**RE: TENDER NOTICE FOR JOINT DEVELOPMENT OF BLOCK C IN  
MIRERANI CONTROLLED AREA**

1. In accordance with the provisions of section 15(1) of the Mining Act, Cap. 123, the Minister of Minerals issued a Government Notice No. 206A of 2022 with a view to designating Block C in Mirerani Controlled Area as described as per geographical coordinates attached hereto as **Appendix A** as an area for which he may invite applications by tender for a Mining Licence.
2. In view of the above paragraph, the Ministry is seeking a strategic investor (Tanzanian Company) with a financial and technical capability to promote the expeditious and beneficial development of the mineral resources of the area.
3. Therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Mining Act and Regulations made thereunder, the Minister of Minerals invites bids from eligible applicants for the development of gemstone mining projects at Block C.
4. The terms and conditions pertaining to the tender are not limited to the foregoing conditions and they include aspects described in a Qualification Criteria as per **Appendix B**.
5. The selection of the successful bidder will base on the criteria as set in paragraph 4 above.
6. All tender applications shall be submitted to the Mining Commission for its consideration and selection of the successful bidder.
7. All tender applications, one original and two copies, must be submitted and delivered to the Mining Commission not later than **26<sup>th</sup> May, 2022 before 1530hours** at the following address:

**The Executive Secretary,**  
The Mining Commission,  
P.O Box 2292,  
**DODOMA.**



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Dr. Doto M. Biteko (MP)  
**MINISTER OF MINERALS**

### Appendix A: Description of the Area

No.	Area Code	Type of Mineral	Area	Location	Proposed Licence Type			
1	Block C	Tanzanite	6.88 km <sup>2</sup>	Mirerani, Simanjiro	Mining Licence			
<b>Coordinates of the Area (Arc 1960)</b>								
Order	Lat Deg	Lat Min	Lat Sec	N/S	Long Deg	Long Min	Long Sec	E/W
1	3	33	24.66	S	37	2	21.56	E
2	3	34	4.14	S	37	1	43.09	E
3	3	33	16.50	S	37	0	58.00	E
4	3	33	38.26	S	37	0	52.89	E
5	3	33	30.90	S	37	0	41.82	E
6	3	31	35.00	S	37	0	38.00	E
7	3	31	12.00	S	37	1	11.00	E
8	3	32	39.89	S	37	1	15.34	E

### Appendix B: Qualification Criteria

Key components	Requirement
	The applicant has to submit certified copies of the following:-
<b>Applicant Information</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proof of Company incorporation in Tanzania, Memorandum and Articles of Association.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Current Company's Directors and Shareholders and their nationalities.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Company Profile and Physical address in Tanzania</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tax Clearance Certificate.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Capital structure (debt/equity ratio) of the bidding company.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Filled Integrity Pledge form.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The company should not have Defaulted in any Mineral Right Licence or similar actions in Tanzania</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants will pay a non-refundable fee of <b>TZS 20 million.</b></li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proof of capital investment of not less than <b>USD 5 million.</b></li> </ul>

<b>Financial Capability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Submission of audited financial statement of at least recent three consecutive years under IFRS compliance.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proof of source of funds (Owner's, Equity, Stock Exchange or Loan), Debt and Balance sheet to enable the company to invest and develop the project to production.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any other financial information to support the tender application.</li> </ul>
<b>Technical Capability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience in operating similar projects in Exploration and Mining of gemstone.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A feasibility study of the area within 6 months from the grant of the licence.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• An Environmental Impact Assessment Report and Certificate of the area within 6 months from the grant of the licence.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proposed Mining Plan.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants should commit to start Mining in 18 months.</li> </ul>
<b>Legal Capacity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Comply with relevant laws related to the mining industry.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agree to have a joint venture with the Government where the Government will acquire 16% Non-Dilutable Free Carried Interest.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any other relevant information in support of the proposal.</li> </ul>
<b>Environmental Management</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applicants should commit to protecting and managing the environment up to mine closure.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Successive Bidder will be required to prepare a mine closure plan and post a rehabilitation bond in accordance with the Mining Act, Cap. 123.</li> </ul>
<b>Local Content</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Succession Plan of experienced professionals (Mining, resources Geology, Engineering, Economy, Safety, and Environments), Technology Transfer for the same.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Procure of goods and services in Tanzania as per the Mining (Local Content) Regulations, 2018.</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Any other information relevant to support the proposal</li> </ul>