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DEPUTY PERMANENT SECRETARY CALLS ON ERB TO STRENGTHEN OVERSIGHT OF ENGINEERING PROJECTS

Readers note:

Welcome to the ERB Newsletter (August Edition)

Throughout August, the Engineers Registration Board continued to push forward key initiatives aimed at elevating Tanzania's engineering sector.

Key highlights of the month included:

Stakeholder Engagements at Nane Nane:

We showcased our core activities at the Nane Nane Exhibition in Dodoma, where we engaged with key stakeholders, including the Deputy Permanent Secretary for the Ministry of Works Dr. Charles Msonde.



Capacity Building: We successfully hosted the Structured Engineers Apprenticeship Programme (SEAP) Induction Seminar and Mentors Workshop.

As we look ahead to our major September events, we encourage all stakeholders to register and book their places early.

We also invite exhibitors and sponsors to join hands with us as partners in these milestone events.

Eng. Bernard Kavishe
Registrar - ERB

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Deputy permanent secretary calls on ERB to strengthen oversight of Engineering Projects



PHOTO: The Deputy Permanent Secretary for Works, Dr. Charles Msonde, signs the official visitors' logbook at the Engineers Registration Board (ERB) pavilion during the Nane Nane Exhibition in Dodoma

The Deputy Permanent Secretary in the Ministry of Works, Dr. Charles Msonde, has called on the Engineers Registration Board (ERB) to strengthen its oversight of engineering projects implemented across the country to ensure that they comply with required professional standards.

Dr. Msonde made the call during his visit to the ERB exhibition booth at the National Farmers' Exhibition (Nanenane), which took place at the John Malecela Grounds in Dodoma.

He emphasized that, in addition to registering engineers, ERB has an important responsibility to monitor and oversee the professional performance of registered engineers involved in the implementation

of various projects across the country.

According to Dr. Msonde, effective oversight is essential to ensuring that engineering projects are implemented according to the required standards, while also safeguarding the quality and value of investments made in development projects.

He noted that Tanzania's National Development Vision 2050 places emphasis on strengthening the capacity of local contractors, many of whom are engineers.

He therefore stressed the importance of ensuring that funds invested in development projects are effectively utilized and that a greater share of the economic benefits remains within the country.

“It is the responsibility of ERB to ensure that projects implemented by engineers meet the required standards while safeguarding value for money in the use of public funds,” said Dr. Msonde.

Speaking during the occasion, Eng. Daniel Kasanga said that ERB’s participation in the Nanenane Exhibition has provided an important opportunity to bring registration services closer to engineers and engineering technicians, while also providing the public and stakeholders with information about the Board’s services.

He added that the exhibition has also enabled ERB to promote and facilitate registration for major events scheduled to take place in Dar es Salaam in September 2026.

These include the 23rd Annual Engineers Day (AED), Youth in Engineering Forum (YEF), ERB Run for STEM, and the Mikumi Excursion.

The visit provided an opportunity for the Ministry of Works and ERB to further strengthen collaboration in promoting professional standards, accountability and quality in the engineering sector.

ERB’s continued engagement with stakeholders through platforms such as Nanenane remains an important avenue for enhancing public awareness, improving service delivery and reinforcing the Board’s role in regulating and promoting professional engineering practice in Tanzania.



ERB emphasizes discipline, practical skills and experience for Graduate Engineers

The Engineers Registration Board (ERB) has emphasized the importance of professional discipline, continuous learning, and practical experience for graduate engineers transitioning into registered professional status.

The emphasis was made by ERB Board Chairman Prof. Eng. Bakari Mwinyiwiwa while opening the two-day 24th SEAP Induction Seminar at PSSSF Hall in Dar es Salaam, which brought together over 200 physical and virtual participants.

SEAP is a three-year professional development program designed to equip graduate engineers with the practical skills, workplace experience, and core competencies required for professional registration.

Addressing the participants, Prof. Eng. Mwinyiwiwa reminded the graduates that they have roughly 40 years of professional life ahead and urged them to leverage this apprenticeship period to lay a solid career foundation.

He stressed that the workplace differs significantly from academia, cautioning young engineers against relying solely on design software. Instead, he encouraged them to gain hands-on expertise by learning directly from experienced engineers, technicians, and artisans on-site, while maintaining strict time management and professional integrity.

Speaking on behalf of the ERB Registrar, Assistant Registrar for Professional Development Eng. Veronica Ninalwo urged participants to strictly follow work procedures and uphold professional ethics. She reminded them that SEAP requires active integration into the broader workplace environment rather than isolating themselves from fellow team members.

The induction seminar serves as a key platform for clarifying apprenticeship expectations and responsibilities. Through SEAP, ERB continues to bridge the gap between academic theory and practical engineering through structured mentorship and hands-on professional training.



ERB Urges Senior Engineers to Prioritize Practical Guidance and Ethics in SEAP Mentorship



The Engineers Registration Board (ERB) organized a one-day mentorship workshop in Dar es Salaam for over 100 senior engineers serving as mentors under the Structured Engineers Apprenticeship Programme (SEAP).

The session focused on strengthening mentors' roles in guiding graduate engineers through practical workplace experience, professional ethics, and effective career development.

Officially opening the workshop on behalf of the ERB Board Chairman, Vice Chairperson Prof. Eng. Hanibal Bwire urged mentors to ensure guidance is planned, purposeful, and practical.

He emphasized involving graduates across the full project lifecycle from design and calculations to field implementation rather than restricting them to administrative tasks.

Prof. Eng. Bwire further stressed the importance of honest feedback, ethical role modeling, and rejecting safety shortcuts.

He also recognized the strategic partnership between ERB and the Government of Norway, which supports SEAP capacity-building initiatives with a specific focus on empowering female engineers across Tanzania.

Speaking on behalf of the ERB Registrar, Head of Enforcement and Compliance Eng. Eric Nestory highlighted that effective mentorship is essential for sustaining the profession and supporting Tanzania's National Development Vision 2050. He called on senior engineers to leverage their expertise to build a skilled, competent, and highly ethical engineering workforce.

The workshop reinforced ERB's ongoing commitment to enhancing mentorship within SEAP, ensuring graduate engineers gain meaningful practical exposure as they work toward professional registration.

PHOTOS:ERB AT NANE NANE EXHIBITION DODOMA



ERB Strengthens Public Outreach and Stakeholder Engagement at National Nanenane Exhibition

The Engineers Registration Board (ERB) participated in the National Farmers' Exhibition (Nanenane) as part of its ongoing efforts to bring its services closer to engineers, the public and stakeholders across the engineering sector.

Through its participation, ERB provided information, education and services on various engineering-related matters, including engineers' registration, renewal of practicing licences, and guidance on registration requirements and procedures governing the engineering profession.

The exhibition provided an important opportunity for members of the public and engineering stakeholders to interact directly with ERB officials and obtain clarification on matters related to the engineering profession. Visitors were also sensitized on the importance of engaging registered and licensed engineering professionals and adhering to the laws, regulations and professional standards governing engineering practice.

ERB's participation in Nanenane also aimed to strengthen communication and engagement with stakeholders, increase public awareness of the Board's services and ensure that important information concerning the engineering profession reaches the public in an accessible manner.

In addition to providing services and public education, ERB used the exhibition as an opportunity to promote and register participants for a number of major events scheduled for September 2026.

These include the 23rd Annual Engineers Day (AED), Youth in Engineering Forum (YEF), ERB Run for STEM, and the Mikumi Excursion.

The September events are expected to provide important platforms for engineers and other stakeholders to engage in discussions on professional

development, innovation, leadership, youth participation and the contribution of engineering to national development.

ERB's participation in the Nanenane Exhibition reflects the Board's commitment to enhancing public awareness, improving service delivery and strengthening engagement with stakeholders in the engineering sector.

Through platforms such as Nanenane, ERB continues to bring its services closer to the community while promoting awareness of the vital role of the engineering profession in advancing sustainable national development.



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23RD ANNUAL ENGINEERS DAY (AED) 2026

YOUTH IN ENGINEERING FORUM (YEF)

Innovate, network, and launch your engineering startup here.



PARTICIPATION FEES

TSH 350,000
Physical with souvenir
TSH 250,000
Virtually with Souvenir
TSH 150,000
Virtually without a Souvenir

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23RD ANNUAL ENGINEERS' DAY (AED) 2026

Theme:
"Leveraging Engineering Innovation and Digital Transformation for Sustainable Development"

Sept 23 - 25, 2026

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23 ANNUAL ENGINEERS DAY (AED) 2026

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Run for STEM Teachers, Laboratories and Books



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MIKUMI EXCURSION

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YOUTH IN ENGINEERING FORUM (YEF)

21 - 23 SEPT, 2026

PSSSF COMMERCIAL
COMPLEX Dar es Salaam

ANNUAL ENGINEERS' DAY (AED)

23 - 25 SEPT, 2026

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26 SEPT, 2026

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