



MINISTRY OF WATER AND ENVIRONMENT

Approved Tariffs for Gazetted Water Authorities effective 1st July, 2022

The Minister of Water and Environment has, in accordance with Section 94 (4) of the Water Act; Cap 152 approved the following tariffs to be charged by the gazetted Water Authorities for the period 1st July, 2022 to 30th June, 2023. The Water Authorities include National Water and Sewerage Corporation (NWSC), 6 Umbrella Organizations of Water and Sanitation (Eastern, Central, Northern, South Western, Mid-Western and Karamoja), Kalangala Infrastructure Services Limited (KIS) and Buikwe District Local Government.

National Water and Sewerage Corporation tariff structure is governed by the *NWSC Act, Cap 317*. This tariff structure is uniform across all towns and service areas under its jurisdiction (large urban centers, small towns, rural growth centers and gravity flow schemes) but differentiated by customer groups. The tariffs are currently being charged in 262 urban centers managed by NWSC across the Country.

The tariff structure in the other Water Authorities is governed by the *Tariff Policy for Small Towns, Rural Growth Centres and Large Gravity Flow Schemes 2009*, and the *Water Act, Cap 152*. The Umbrellas of Water and Sanitation are currently managing water supply services in 546 gazetted areas with system specific tariffs in the areas due to differences in service levels and technology mix. Buikwe District Local Government is managing water supplies in 24 service areas serving fishing communities and small towns while Kalangala Infrastructure Services is managing 7 water supply schemes on Bugala Island.

National Water and Sewerage Corporation Tariff Structure: 1st July 2022 - 30th June 2023

Category	Public Stand Pipes		Domestic Customer	Institution/ Gov't	Commercial <1500m ³ / Month	Commercial >1500m ³ / Month	Industrial <1000m ³ / Month	Industrial >1000m ³ / Month
	UGX per 20ltr Jerrycan	Tariff UGX per m ³						
Tariff (VAT Inclusive)	21	1,060	3,727	3,771	4,473	3,575	4,473	2,500

Tariff Structure for Umbrellas of Water and Sanitation: 1st July 2022 – 30th June 2023

Category	Public Stand Pipes		Pumping (Grid) Tariff UGX per m ³	Pumping (Solar) Tariff UGX per m ³	Gravity Flow Schemes Tariff UGX per m ³
	UGX per 20ltr Jerrycan	Tariff UGX per m ³			
Central	50	2,500	2,990	2,545	1,950
South-Western	17	848	2,990	2,500	2,118
Mid-Western	21	1,060	2,050 - 2,990*	2,000 - 2,990*	1,500 - 2,990*
Karamoja	42	2,119	2,996	2,119	N/A
Northern	41	2,050	1700 - 2,950*	850 - 2500*	2,200
Eastern	20-40	1,000 - 2,000*	2,419 - 2,870*	830 - 2,542*	1,000 - 2,050*

Tariff Structure for Kalangala Infrastructure Services: 1st July 2022 – 30th June 2023

Category	Public Stand Pipes		Domestic Consumer Tariff UGX per m ³	Commercial consumer Tariff UGX per m ³
	UGX per 20 ltr Jerrycan	Tariff UGX per m ³		
Tariff	42	2,100	3,418	3,500

Tariff Structure for Buikwe District Local Government: 1st July 2022 – 30th June 2023

Category	AQ-Taps/ Public Stand Pipes UGX per 20 ltr Jerrycan	Domestic Consumer UGX/m ³	Gravity Flow Schemes UGX/m ³
Tariff	50	2,500	1,500

- *Tariff range for different sizes of schemes
- All tariffs are exclusive of 18% VAT

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