



MALAWI BUREAU OF STANDARDS

Promoting Standardization and Quality Assurance in Malawi

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COMMEMORATION OF THE 2024 WORLD STANDARDS DAY

As you may be aware, the World Standards Day is commemorated on 14 October of each year. World Standards Day is a day when the members of the Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), the International Organisation of Standardisation (ISO) and the International Telecommunication celebrate the birth of ISO, which was set up some 77 years ago. It is also a way of highlighting the importance of standardization to the economies of nations and the world as a whole, and to pay tribute to efforts of thousands of experts worldwide who collaborate with the IEC, ISO, and ITU, to develop standards that facilitate trade, spread knowledge and share technological advances. The MBS will lead the commemoration of the World Standards Day with the theme:

“A Shared Vision for a Better World: Role of standards in mitigating climate change.”

To commemorate the day, the MBS has planned several activities as follows:

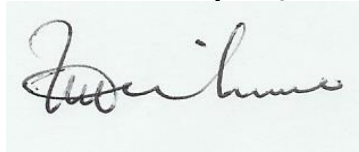
- a) Will place messages on MBC TV and Radio, Zodiak Radio, Times TV and Radio, from 11 – 17 October 2024.
- b) Will place a Press Release in The Daily Times and The Nation Newspapers on 14th October 2024.
- c) Will place a Press Release on the website and social media.

d) Will hold a Press briefing on 14 October 2024 at 14h00 in the MBS Boardroom in Blantyre.

e) Will hold a seminar for stakeholders, which will take place at **Crossroads Hotel** in Lilongwe on **17 October 2024**.

Participation to the Seminar by MBS Staff is by invitation, and the concerned staff will be communicated separately.

Thank you,

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Fred E Sikwese
Director of Standards Development