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(CAP. 283)

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(Made under section 117(3))

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PART I
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Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Wildlife Conservation (Payment of Rewards) Regulations, 2020.

Interpretation
Cap. 283

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—
“Act” means the Wildlife Conservation Act;
“authorised association” means a community-based organisation whose primary objective is to conserve wildlife resources for the benefit of local community members ordinarily residing in that particular area;
“authorised officer” has the meaning ascribed to it under the Act;
“Authority” means the Tanzania Wildlife Management Authority, Tanzania National Parks, Ngorongoro Conservation Area Authority or Authorised Association;
“Director” means the Director of Wildlife appointed under the Act;
“informer” means a person who gives information leading to recovery of trophy, arrests or convictions for offences under the Act;
“Minister” means the Minister responsible for wildlife; and
“reward” means a sum of money given to a person who has given material information leading to recovery of trophy, arrests or convictions for offences under the Act.

PART II

ELIGIBILITY, REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURE FOR PAYMENT OF REWARDS

Objective of
payment of
reward

3. The objective and purpose of payment of reward shall be to-
- (a) obtain reliable information that assists in reduction of poaching, illegal wildlife trade and disruption of illegal wildlife trade syndicates;
 - (b) increase public awareness and participation in wildlife conservation;
 - (c) recognise the contribution of informers; and
 - (d) obtain reliable information that facilitates the arrest of suspects, recovery of Government trophy and convictions.

Procedure for
giving
information

4.-(1) For the purpose of the Act, a person who discloses any information leading to recovery of trophy, arrests or conviction of accused person under the Act may qualify to receive a reward under these Regulation.

(2) Information under these Regulations may be given to an authorised officer in writing or orally.

(3) Where information is given in writing, it shall contain the name and signature of the informer.

(4) Where information is given orally, the Director shall cause it to be reduced into writing and require the informer to sign it.

Eligibility for
reward

5. Reward may be given under these Regulations to an informer who-

- (a) has given material information which facilitates the recovery of trophy, arrest or conviction of a person for contravention of the provisions of the Act;
- (b) did not participate in the commission of the offence in respect of which information is given; and
- (c) is not an authorised officer or any person who is employed by the Government.

Application for
reward

6.-(1) A person who is eligible to receive a reward shall apply to the Director for reward using a form as set out in the First Schedule to these Regulations.

(2) Any person who gives false information in an application for reward under subregulation (1) commits an offence and shall, upon conviction, be liable to a fine of not less than three million

shillings but not exceeding five million shillings or to imprisonment for a term of not less than one year but not exceeding two years or to both.

Payment of reward

7.-(1) The Director shall, upon being satisfied that the informer is eligible for a reward, pay such amount of money as a reward in accordance with the Second Schedule to these Regulations.

(2) The Director shall, where the information is jointly reported, divide equally the amount of reward to the co-informers.

Restrictions on payment

8. The Director shall not, where payment has been made under any other arrangement or law for the same disclosure, make any payment under these Regulations.

PART III
GENERAL PROVISIONS

Right to appeal

9.-(1) A person who is aggrieved by the decision of the Director under these Regulations may, within thirty days after receiving the decision of the Director, appeal to the Minister.

(2) The decision of the Minister shall be final and conclusive.

Protection of informers
Cap. 446

10. A person who gives information under these Regulations shall be protected in accordance with the Whistleblower and Witness Protection Act.

General penalty

11. A person who contravenes any provision of these Regulations commits an offence and shall, upon conviction, be liable to a fine of not less than one million shillings but not exceeding three million shillings or to imprisonment for a term of not less than six months but not exceeding one year or to both.

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SCHEDULES
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FIRST SCHEDULE
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(Made under regulation 6(1))

APPLICATION FORM FOR REWARD

Passport size photograph

A. INFORMER'S PERSONAL PARTICULARS

1. Informer 's names.....National ID No/Voters
ID/Passport/
Driving Licence
2. Age..... Date of birth Place of
birth.....
3. Tribe.....Marital
status.....
4. Residential area:
Hamlet.....Village..... District.....
Region.....
5. Phone
number.....
6. Name of the Hamlet
Chairperson.....
7. Occupation..... Place of
work.....

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8. Details of Informer's parents

Father's name.....residential area..... phone
number.....

Mother's name.....residential area..... phone
number.....

B. DETAILS REGARDING THE DISCLOSURE

9. Date of disclosure of wildlife crime information

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10. Brief statement of disclosed information

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11. Was this information jointly reported? YES NO

If YES, name the co-informer(s)
(The co-informer shall be required to fill a separate application form)

12. Name of the office / officer to whom the information was disclosed

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13. Have you been rewarded or applied for payment of reward in respect of the same disclosed information by another Authority or under any other arrangement?

(i) If YES state the Authority or other arrangement
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14. Declaration

I (informer) hereby declare that the information provided in this application is true in every respect.

Name.....Signature.....Date.....
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15. Comments of the officer in charge of intelligence in Anti-Poaching Section.

How long have you known the informer

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Are you aware of the arrest/seizure/recovery of trophy in respect of which the disclosed information was used.....

Was the disclosed information reliable (Attach a detailed report on how the disclosed information facilitated the arrest, recovery of trophy or conviction)

Does he/she deserve payment of reward

Any other comments (if any)

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16. Details and description of the case in respect of which the informer is eligible for payment of reward (*where applicable*)

(i) Police investigation report number (IR)

(ii) Judicial case number

(iii) Court name.....

(iv) Name of suspects/ offenders

(v) Place of arrest

.....Street.....Ward.....District.....Region...

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(vi) Name of trophy involved

(vii) Weight of the trophy

(viii) Value of the trophy

(ix) Amount of reward applicable.....

Name Signature

Date

17. Comments of the Head of Anti-Poaching Section

I do/do not recommend the payment of the reward.

Reason

NameSignature.....

Date.....

18. Comments of the Director of Wildlife

I do/do not endorse the payment of reward.

Name Signature..... Date

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SECOND SCHEDULE

(Made under regulation 7(1))

RATES FOR PAYMENT OF REWARD(TZS)

A-ANIMALS	Type of Trophy	Value of Trophy (TZS)	Reward (10% of Value of Trophy) for information leading to arrests	Reward (5% of Value of Trophy) for information leading to recovery of trophy
1	Olive Baboon	253,000	25,300	12,650
2	Yellow Baboon	253,000	25,300	12,650
3	Buffalo	4,370,000	437,000	218,500
4	Bushpig	966,000	96,600	48,300
5	Bushbuck	1,380,000	138,000	69,000
6	Caracal	345,000	34,500	17,250
7	Civet-Cat	460,000	46,000	23,000
8	Genets	575,000	57,500	28,750
9	Serval-Cat	690,000	69,000	34,500
10	Wild Cat	575,000	57,500	28,750
11	Crocodile	3,910,000	391,000	195,500
12	Dikdik	575,000	57,500	28,750
13	Abbot's Duiker	644,000	64,400	32,200
14	Blue Duiker	575,000	57,500	28,750
15	Common Duiker	575,000	57,500	28,750
16	Red Duiker	575,000	57,500	28,750
17	Eland	3,910,000	391,000	195,500
18	Elephant	34,500,000	3,450,000	1,725,000

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19	Galago	414,000	41,400	20,700
20	Bat-Eared Fox	575,000	57,500	28,750
21	Grant's Gazelle	1,035,000	103,500	51,750
22	Gazelle Thomson	1,150,000	115,000	57,500
23	Gerenuk	5,750,000	575,000	287,500
24	Giraffe	34,500,000	3,450,000	1,725,000
25	African Hare	172,500	17,250	8,625
26	Jumping Hare	172,500	17,250	8,625
27	Coke's Hartebeest	1,495,000	149,500	74,750
28	Lichtenstein Hartebeest	1,495,000	149,500	74,750
29	Hippopotamus	3,450,000	345,000	172,500
30	Hedgehog	230,000	23,000	11,500
31	Giant Forest Hog	1,023,500	102,350	51,175
32	Spotted Hyena	1,265,000	126,500	63,250
33	Rock Hyrax	230,000	23,000	11,500
34	Tree Hyrax	230,000	23,000	11,500
35	Impala	897,000	89,700	44,850
36	Golden Jackal	575,000	57,500	28,750
37	Striped Jackal	575,000	57,500	28,750
38	Black-Backed Jackal	575,000	57,500	28,750
39	Klipspringer	2,760,000	276,000	138,000
40	Greater-Kudu	5,060,000	506,000	253,000
41	Lesser-Kudu	5,980,000	598,000	299,000
42	Leopard	8,050,000	805,000	402,500
43	Lion	11,270,000	1,127,000	563,500
44	Mongoose - all races	138,000	13,800	6,900
45	Colobus Monkey - all races	828,000	82,800	41,400
46	Blue Monkey	276,000	27,600	13,800

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47	Sykes Monkey	276,000	27,600	13,800
48	Vervet Monkey	276,000	27,600	13,800
49	Oribi	575,000	57,500	28,750
50	Oryx	6,440,000	644,000	322,000
51	Ostrich	2,760,000	276,000	138,000
52	Otter	391,000	39,100	19,550
53	Pigmy Antelope	368,000	36,800	18,400
54	Porcupine	345,000	34,500	17,250
55	Puku - Male	1,840,000	184,000	92,000
56	Python	828,000	82,800	41,400
57	Ratel Honey Badger	690,000	69,000	34,500
58	Bohor	1,035,000	103,500	51,750
59	Mountain- Reedbuck	1,035,000	103,500	51,750
60	Southern Reedbuck	1,035,000	103,500	51,750
61**	Black Rhino	87,400,000	5,000,000	2,250,000
62	Roan Antelope	5,865,000	586,500	293,250
63	Sable Antelope	5,865,000	586,500	293,250
64	Sharpe's Grysbok	805,000	80,500	40,250
65	Sitatunga	4,600,000	460,000	230,000
66	Steenbuck	575,000	57,500	28,750
67	Topi	1,840,000	184,000	92,000
68	Warthog	1,035,000	103,500	51,750
69	Common- Waterbuck	1,955,000	195,500	97,750
70	Defassa- Waterbuck	1,840,000	184,000	92,000
71	Nyasa Wild Beest	1,495,000	149,500	74,750
72	Wild dog	2,760,000	276,000	138,000
73	White- Bearded Wildebeest	1,495,000	149,500	74,750
74	Zebra	2,760,000	276,000	138,000

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75	Zorilla (polecat)	345,000	34,500	17,250
76	Ground Pangolin	2,208,000	220,800	110,400
77	Aardvark	1,518,000	151,800	75,900
78	Cheetah	11,270,000	1,127,000	563,500
79	Aard Wolf	966,000	96,600	48,300
80	Other races of Hyenas	1,265,000	126,500	63,250
81	Tanganyika Chimpanzee	11,960,000	1,196,000	598,000
82	Edward Potto	1,518,000	151,800	75,900
83	Black Mangabey	1,357,000	135,700	67,850
84	White-Nosed Monkey	460,000	46,000	23,000
85	Patas (Red) Monkey	690,000	69,000	34,500
86	Rhino horn 1 kg	17,250,000	1,725,000	862,500
87	Elephant tusks -unpolished	1,265,000	126,500	63,250
B – BIRDS				
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1	Ostrich	2,760,000	276,000	138,000
2	Pelicans	276,000	27,600	13,800
3	Grebes	276,000	27,600	13,800
4	Cormorants and Darters	230,000	23,000	11,500
5	Hérons, Egrets, Bitterns	184,000	18,400	9,200
6	Hamerkop	138,000	13,800	6,900
7	Whale-Headed Stork	805,000	80,500	40,250
8	Storks (others)	690,000	69,000	34,500
9	Lesser Bustards	828,000	82,800	41,400
10	Kori Bustard	828,000	82,800	41,400
11	Ibises and Spoonbills	333,500	33,350	16,675
12	Flamingos	506,000	50,600	25,300
13	Ducks and	345,000	34,500	17,250

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	Geese			
14	Francolins	230,000	23,000	11,500
15	Guinea fowls	345,000	34,500	17,250
16	Gruils	230,000	23,000	11,500
17	Rails and Crakes and Coots	230,000	23,000	11,500
18	Jacanas, snipes	230,000	23,000	11,500
19	Plovers	230,000	23,000	11,500
20	Thickhead	230,000	23,000	11,500
21	Coursers and Pratincoles	230,000	23,000	11,500
22	Sand Grouse	23,000	2,300	1,150
23	Pigeons and Doves	230,000	23,000	11,500
24	Vultures	747,500	74,750	37,375
25	Eagles	747,500	74,750	37,375
26	Hawks	747,500	74,750	37,375
27	Buzzard and Allies	747,500	74,750	37,375
28	Falcons, Kite, Osprey (and allies)	667,000	66,700	33,350
29	Secretary Bird	782,000	78,200	39,100
30	Owls	264,500	26,450	13,225
31	Night Jars	264,500	26,450	13,225
32	Swifts	115,000	11,500	5,750
33	Woodpeckers	115,000	11,500	5,750
34	Bee-Eaters and Honeyguides	115,000	11,500	5,750
35	Broad Bills	115,000	11,500	5,750
36	Cranes	575,000	57,500	28,750
37	Gulls and Terns and Skimmers	138,000	13,800	6,900
38	Procellanidae (Petrels and Shearwaters)	138,000	13,800	6,900
39	Fin Foot	138,000	13,800	6,900

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40	Avocet	138,000	13,800	6,900
41	Stints	138,000	13,800	6,900
42	Sandpipers	138,000	13,800	6,900
43	Phalaropes	138,000	13,800	6,900
44	Hoopoes and Scimitar-Bills	138,000	13,800	6,900
45	Pittas	115,000	11,500	5,750
46	Parrots and Lovebirds	184,000	18,400	9,200
47	Turacos and Goawaybirds	207,000	20,700	10,350
48	Cuckoos and Coucals	138,000	13,800	6,900
49	Mouse Birds	115,000	11,500	5,750
50	King Fishers	138,000	13,800	6,900
51	Rollers	138,000	13,800	6,900
52	Hornbills	230,000	23,000	11,500
53	Barbets	126,500	12,650	6,325
54	Larks	92,000	9,200	4,600
55	Wagtails	115,000	11,500	5,750
56	Crown and Ravens	138,000	13,800	6,900
57	Babblers	126,500	12,650	6,325
58	Bulbuls	126,500	12,650	6,325
59	Flycatchers	126,500	12,650	6,325
60	Thrushes and Chats	149,500	14,950	7,475
61	Warblers	126,500	12,650	6,325
62	Shrikes	138,000	13,800	6,900
63	Swallows and Martins	126,500	12,650	6,325
64	Starlings and Oxpeckers	138,000	13,800	6,900
65	Drongos	138,000	13,800	6,900
66	Bishops	115,000	11,500	5,750
67	Hypocolis	115,000	11,500	5,750
68	Weavers	115,000	11,500	5,750
69	Tits	115,000	11,500	5,750
70	Quelea	57,500	5,750	2,875

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71	Orioles	80,500	8,050	4,025
72	Whydahs	80,500	8,050	4,025
73	White eyes	80,500	8,050	4,025
74	Waxbills	57,500	5,750	2,875
75	Sunbirds	57,500	5,750	2,875
76	Finches	57,500	5,750	2,875
77	Sparrows	57,500	5,750	2,875
78	Buntings, Canaries and Seed eaters	80,500	8,050	4,025
79	Trogons	161,000	16,100	8,050
C	REPTILES	-	-	-
1	Gekko Lizard	57,500	5,750	2,875
2	Lacertid Lizards	57,500	5,750	2,875
3	Plated Lizards	69,000	6,900	3,450
4	Monitor Lizard	57,500	5,750	2,875
5	Skin of all lizards	34,500	3,450	1,725
6	Giant Chameleon	115,000	11,500	5,750
7	Chameleons (others)	69,000	6,900	3,450
8	Other Lizards	57,500	5,750	2,875
9	Tortoises	161,000	16,100	8,050
10	Terrapins	172,500	17,250	8,625
11	Turtles	276,000	27,600	13,800
D-	AMPHIBIANS	-	-	-
1	Frogs	46,000	4,600	2,300
2	Toads	46,000	4,600	2,300
3	Caecilians	46,000	4,600	2,300
4	Newts and Salamanders	46,000	4,600	2,300
5	Kassinas	46,000	4,600	2,300
6	Others	46,000	4,600	2,300

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INSECTS		-	-	-
1	Butterflies	23,000	2,300	1,150
2	Praying Mantis	34,500	3,450	1,725
3	Millipedes	23,000	2,300	1,150
4	Centipedes	23,000	2,300	1,150
5	Scorpions	23,000	2,300	1,150
6	Spiders	23,000	2,300	1,150
F	-			
SNAKES		-	-	-
	AGLYPHA: Fangless, Solid- toothed, non- poisonous	-	-	-
1	Blind Buvover	115,000	11,500	5,750
2	Worm Snakes	115,000	11,500	5,750
3	Pythons (Rock)	828,000	82,800	41,400
4	Fangless Snakes (Columbridae)	115,000	11,500	5,750
5	Sand Boa	161,000	16,100	8,050
6	Green Snake	172,500	17,250	8,625
7	Egg Eater	195,500	19,550	9,775
	OPISTHOGLY PHA: Back- fanged	-	-	-
1	Boomslang	195,500	19,550	9,775
2	Others	115,000	11,500	5,750
	PROCTEROG LYPHA: Front rigid-fanged Snakes	172,500	17,250	8,625
1	Water Cobra	172,500	17,250	8,625
2	Garter	172,500	17,250	8,625
3	Cobras	195,500	19,550	9,775

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4	Mambas	172,500	17,250	8,625
5	Dea Elapidae	172,500	17,250	8,625
6	Others	172,500	17,250	8,625

NOTE: **The basis for Reward in respect of a Black rhino is not subject to value of the trophy.

Dodoma,
3rd August, 2020

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Minister for Natural Resources and Tourism

