

TANZANIA REVENUE AUTHORITY (TRA) TRANSPORT OFFICER WRITTEN INTERVIEW

General Knowledge of TRA and Transport Management

1. **What is the primary role of the Tanzania Revenue Authority (TRA)?**

- A) Managing transport operations
- B) Collecting government revenue
- C) Issuing driver's licenses
- D) Regulating fuel prices

Answer: B) Collecting government revenue

2. **Which department within TRA is responsible for vehicle taxation?**

- A) Domestic Revenue Department
- B) Customs and Excise Department
- C) Large Taxpayer Department
- D) Transport and Logistics Department

Answer: B) Customs and Excise Department

3. **Which tax is imposed on imported vehicles in Tanzania?**

- A) Value Added Tax (VAT)
- B) Import Duty
- C) Excise Duty
- D) All of the above

Answer: D) All of the above

4. **Which document is required for registering a new vehicle with TRA?**

- A) Logbook
- B) Insurance certificate
- C) Import declaration form
- D) All of the above

Answer: D) All of the above

5. **Which system does TRA use for electronic tax collection?**

- A) EFDMS
- B) TRA PAY
- C) TANCIS
- D) LGA Tax Portal

Answer: C) TANCIS

Transport Laws and Regulations

6. **What is the legal minimum tire tread depth for commercial vehicles in Tanzania?**

- A) 1.6 mm
- B) 2.5 mm
- C) 0.8 mm

D) 3.0 mm

Answer: A) 1.6 mm

7. **Which authority issues driving licenses in Tanzania?**

A) TRA

B) SUMATRA

C) TANROADS

D) Police Traffic Department

Answer: A) TRA

8. **What is the speed limit for heavy commercial vehicles in urban areas in Tanzania?**

A) 50 km/h

B) 30 km/h

C) 80 km/h

D) 100 km/h

Answer: A) 50 km/h

9. **Which document must a driver carry when operating a commercial vehicle?**

A) Roadworthiness certificate

B) Driving license

C) Motor vehicle insurance

D) All of the above

Answer: D) All of the above

10. **What is the penalty for overloading a truck beyond the permissible weight limit?**

A) TZS 50,000 fine

B) Suspension of the vehicle

C) Fine based on excess weight

D) Confiscation of the vehicle

Answer: C) Fine based on excess weight

Logistics and Fleet Management

11. **Which factor is most important in reducing transport costs?**

A) Buying new vehicles frequently

B) Regular maintenance

C) Using old vehicles

D) Ignoring fuel consumption

Answer: B) Regular maintenance

12. **Which of the following is a major cause of fuel inefficiency in vehicles?**

A) High-quality fuel

B) Proper tire inflation

C) Unnecessary idling

D) Regular servicing

Answer: C) Unnecessary idling

13. **What is the best way to prevent vehicle breakdowns?**

A) Ignoring minor repairs

B) Waiting until the vehicle breaks down

- C) Conducting regular preventive maintenance
- D) Using the vehicle non-stop

Answer: C) Conducting regular preventive maintenance

14. **Which type of fuel is commonly used by heavy commercial vehicles?**

- A) Petrol
- B) Diesel
- C) Kerosene
- D) Jet fuel

Answer: B) Diesel

15. **What does a GPS tracking system help with in fleet management?**

- A) Increasing vehicle theft
- B) Monitoring vehicle location
- C) Increasing fuel consumption
- D) Reducing road safety

Answer: B) Monitoring vehicle location

Safety and Risk Management

16. **Which organization is responsible for road safety regulations in Tanzania?**

- A) SUMATRA
- B) TANROADS
- C) OSHA
- D) LATRA

Answer: D) LATRA

17. **What is the first step to take in case of a road accident?**

- A) Run away from the scene
- B) Inform your employer
- C) Contact the police and emergency services
- D) Continue driving

Answer: C) Contact the police and emergency services

18. **What is the main cause of road accidents in Tanzania?**

- A) Poor road infrastructure
- B) Driver negligence
- C) Bad weather
- D) Vehicle defects

Answer: B) Driver negligence

19. **Which safety measure is mandatory for commercial drivers?**

- A) Wearing a seatbelt
- B) Keeping headlights on at all times
- C) Avoiding traffic police
- D) Using mobile phones while driving

Answer: A) Wearing a seatbelt

20. **How often should a commercial vehicle be serviced?**

- A) Once a year

- B) Every 50,000 km
 - C) As recommended by the manufacturer
 - D) Only when a problem occurs
- Answer:** C) As recommended by the manufacturer
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Customs and Taxation on Transport

21. **Which tax is applied to fuel purchases in Tanzania?**
- A) Import Duty
 - B) VAT
 - C) Excise Duty
 - D) Both B and C
- Answer:** D) Both B and C
22. **What is the role of the Tanzania Integrated Customs System (TANCIS)?**
- A) Regulate vehicle speed
 - B) Process import/export taxes
 - C) Issue driving licenses
 - D) Control public transport fares
- Answer:** B) Process import/export taxes
23. **Which of the following vehicles is exempt from import duty?**
- A) Ambulances
 - B) Commercial buses
 - C) Private SUVs
 - D) Rental cars
- Answer:** A) Ambulances
24. **What is the purpose of road tolls collected by TRA?**
- A) To fund government salaries
 - B) To maintain and improve road infrastructure
 - C) To control traffic congestion
 - D) To regulate fuel prices
- Answer:** B) To maintain and improve road infrastructure
25. **Which document proves a vehicle has paid its road license fees?**
- A) Logbook
 - B) Road license sticker
 - C) Insurance certificate
 - D) Driver's license
- Answer:** B) Road license sticker
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Ethics and Professionalism

26. **Which of the following is a professional conduct for a Transport Officer?**
- A) Accepting bribes for quick processing

- B) Following transport regulations strictly
- C) Ignoring road safety rules
- D) Favoring friends in vehicle inspections

Answer: B) Following transport regulations strictly

27. **What is the impact of corruption in transport operations?**

- A) Increased road safety
- B) Fair taxation
- C) Poor service delivery
- D) Improved vehicle standards

Answer: C) Poor service delivery

28. **Which of the following improves service delivery in transport management?**

- A) Delaying tax payments
- B) Using untrained drivers
- C) Adopting digital tracking systems
- D) Ignoring vehicle servicing

Answer: C) Adopting digital tracking systems

29. **What is the best approach to handling customer complaints in TRA transport services?**

- A) Ignoring them
- B) Addressing them professionally
- C) Referring them to police
- D) Asking for a bribe

Answer: B) Addressing them professionally

30. **What is the key principle of ethical decision-making?**

- A) Integrity
- B) Favoritism
- C) Corruption
- D) Discrimination

Answer: A) Integrity
