

TAASISI YA SAYANSI JAMII (TASAJA)

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report is in compliance of the Societies Acts (2002) and the constitutions of TASAJA of 2013 and covers the status, the activities, and the financial affairs of the association as at the end of 2014

2.0 STATUS OF THE ASSOCIATION

TASAJA was registered on November 5th, 2013 and there are no changes as pertaining to change of address, name, office bearers, constitution and objective (s) of the association that was recorded in 2013.

3.0 ACTIVITIES OF THE ASSOCIATION

During the time under report TASAJA in the course of pursuing its objectives performed the following activities

3.1 Members' mobilization.

The management complied and contacted sociologist graduates and made them aware of the existence of the association with the view of luring them to seek membership in the association Meeting with sociologists and sociology students were organized jointly with sociology departments and sociology students association at the University of Dar es salaam, the university of Dodoma and Saint Augustine university of Tanzania (SAUT) main campus Mwanza

3.2 The International Sociological Association membership.

TASAJA maintained its collective membership status with the International Sociologist Association which facilitates the sharing of information with ISA and other individual members and enjoyment of all benefits arising from the membership including receiving copies of journals and other publications

3.3 Shikome Sociology day

Tasaja in collaboration with BASO Foundation a sociology students' organization at SAUT organized a sociology day called SHIKOME a forum where traditional values are evoked as part of socialization of the young generation and promotion of traditional dances



Sociology students dancing around the Shikome during the sociology day

3.4 Attitude changes program

TASAJA in collaboration with the Mwanza based Desk and Chair Foundation and Nyanza Bottling Company Limited, the coca cola bottlers based in Mwanza, started attitude change project targeting civil servants in the sector of education, health, public health, and agricultures aiming at changing their attitude towards their work, people they are supposed to serve. Kiloleli Secondary School in Ilemela Municipality was picked as a pilot case. Using focus group discussion with teacher, school management and students, the alternative view was established, started to be implemented and the results are encouraging, indeed the attitude is changing.

3.5 Advancement of Sociology

TASAJA distributed copies of journals received from ISA to departments of sociology at universities in Tanzania. Introduction to sociology classes were introduced at Montessori Teachers Centre for certificate students, diploma students, and academic staff.

3.6 Organization of cultural dances and promotion of culture

TASAJA in collaboration with Nyanza Bottling Company Limited, the coca cola bottlers based in Mwanza organized a cultural event as part of 2014 Christmas and end of the year celebration involving traditional dances that was targeting the children

and youth aiming at exposing them to our traditional values that seems not to be attracting them.



Utandawazi traditional dance group from Ukerewe entertaining Mwanza resident on 2014 Christmas day



The young generation in action signifying that dances festivals are the assurances for the survival of traditional values (Tasaja).

TASAJA in collaboration with AIESEC SAUT managed a group of international students who were in Tanzania for a cultural exchange program under the globalization and culture theme organized by AIESEC.



University students from China learning to dance sukuma dances with Mwanalyaku dance group of Lugeye village Magu Tanzania



Ready to dance with Utandawazi group of Nansore village Ukerewe



Chinese students showing sukuma family of Lugeye Magu Chinese food preparation and cooking



Time to eat

3.7 Policy formulation

TASAJA contributed inputs towards two tax law- The Tax Administration Act of 2014 and The Value Added Act of 2014 before the Budget committee of the Parliament of Tanzania. (See annexure 2)

3.8 Information dissemination

During the year under report TASAJA issued one press release echoing the proceeding of the ISA Congress in Yokohama that was about inequality- a social issue that the world faces (see annexure 3). An article about the same topic appeared in the Guardian on Sunday

4.0 FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

The full version of the financial affair is as shown in the accompanying financial statement.

5.0 CONCLUSION

Generally the report present the situation of the organization as required by the governing laws and regulation as well as the TASAJA's own constitution.

ANNEXURE 1: THE MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

TAARIFA YA MKUTANO MAALUMU WA TAASISI YA SAYANSI JAMII (TASAJA)

1.0 TAREHE YA MKUTANO: 22.03.2015

2.0 MAHALI MKUTANO ULIPOFANYIKA: MEGHJI INDIAN PUBLIC LIBRARY

3.0 MAHUDHURIO:

Waliohudhuria (Tazama kiambatanisho)

NA.	JINA	CHEO	
1	Paul Mashimba	Mwenyekiti	
2	Abdul Mashauri	Makamu mwenyekiti	
3	Erasto Masawe	Katibu	
4	Beatrice Thobias	Katibu Msaidizi	
5	Bituro Kazeri	Mwanachama	
6	Edwin Magongo	Mwanachama	
7	Emmanuel Ndomomdo	Mwanachama	
8	Mwanjombe Mukasa	Mwanachama	
9	Felister Ngonyani	Mwanachama	
10	Ndumieshi Nkya	Mwanachama	
11	Zabibu Idrissa	Mwanachama	
12	Lawi Baran	Mwanachama	
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Wasiohudhuria na sababu

1.Benadetha Mashala(Kwa Taarifa)

2.Erica Steven(Safarini)

3.Daissy Mbelle(Kwa taarifa)

4.Rita Leonard(Kwa Taarifa)

5.Lina Kabula(Kwa Taarifa)

6.James Kalekwa(Kwa Taarifa)

4.0 Kufunguliwa kwa mkutano

Mwenyekiti wa muda alifungua mkutano kwa kuwashukuru wajumbe waliofika. Baadaye alimkaribisha katibu kusoama agenda za mkutano.

Katibu alibainisha kuwa mkutano ulikuwa ni mkutano maalumu na agenda zake zilikuwa ni:

1.Kupitia taarifa ya mwaka ya taasisi

5.0 Majadiliano

5.1 taarifa ya mwaka ya taasisi

Wajumbe walipia taarifa ya mwaka ya Taasisi ya mwaka wa kalenda wa 2014 pamoja na taarifa ya mapato na matumizi na kuipitisha. Aidha waliagiza itumwe kwa wakati kwa mamlaka husika na wanachama.

5.4 Kufungwa kwa mkutano

Mwenyekiti alifunga kikao kwa kuwashukuru wanachama kwa michango yao na kutaarifu kuwa kikao kingine kwa mujibu wa katiba kitakua ni kikao cha robo mwaka kitakacho fanyika mwishoni mwa mwezi machi(Jumapili ya mwisho- 26.04.2015).

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MWENYEKITI

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KATIBU