

**SPEECH BY THE MINISTER FOR FINANCE  
HON. MUSTAFA HAIDI MKULO (MP.), INTRODUCING TO THE NATIONAL  
ASSEMBLY, THE ESTIMATES OF GOVERNMENT REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE  
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2011/2012**

**INTRODUCTION:**

1. ***Madam Speaker,*** I beg to move that this esteemed House now resolves to debate and approve Government proposals for Revenue and Expenditure estimates for Fiscal Year 2011/12. Together with this speech, there are four volumes of books which provide detailed explanation of the budget estimates: volume **one** presents revenue estimates; volume **two** describes recurrent expenditure estimates for ministries, and government independent departments while volume **three** provides recurrent expenditure estimates for regions and local government authorities, and volume **four** presents development expenditure estimates for ministries, government independent departments, regions and local government authorities. In addition, there is a Finance Bill of the year 2011 which is part of this budget.
2. ***Madam Speaker,*** I am privileged at this juncture, to take this opportunity to congratulate His Excellency Dr. Jakaya Mrisho Kikwete for having been elected for a second term to lead the fourth phase Government. I would also like to congratulate Hon. Dr. Mohamed Gharib Billal for being elected as Vice President of the United Republic of Tanzania. Similarly, I congratulate Hon. Mizengo Kayanza Peter Pinda (MP.) for being elected Member of Parliament and re- appointed by the President and endorsed by the Parliament to become the Prime Minister for the second term of the fourth phase Government.
3. ***Madam Speaker,*** I congratulate you, Hon. Speaker Anne Makinda (MP.) for being elected as Speaker and thus become the first woman to lead the Parliament in East Africa. This signifies the confidence vested in you by the Honourable Members of Parliament on account of your wisdom, ability and experience in this Parliament. I would also like to congratulate Hon. Job Ndugai (MP.) for being elected as Deputy