

**Contributory Factors to Adherence to Ethics in Public Institutions Procurement
The Case Study of Moshi Municipality**

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The main objective of this study was to identify the contributory features that lead to adherence with ethics in public procurement. Specifically, the research aimed at identifying contributory features, to find out anti-corruption measures taken to reduce corruption instances, and to examine the role of ethics in improving the quality of goods procured in the public sector. Relevant literature was reviewed to bring out salient issues on the subject matter of this thesis. The main source of information for this write up is secondary method of data collection and primary data. In order to accomplish the thesis, data were gathered from primary and secondary sources in the study area in order to accomplish the thesis, data were gathered from primary and secondary sources in the study areas. The primary sources were from questionnaires and interviews. The sample was drawn from the members of Moshi Municipal Council, MUCCCobS, TANESCO, GPSA and Kilimanjaro Regional Office and TANROADS. The use of closed and open-ended questions was applied and the responses were analysed using percentage frequency tables. From the analysis of data, it was found that ethics had positive impact on procurement activities, thus local governments and other Government institutions must adhere to it in order to run (government development projects, for the sake of the Nation. This ~~sertation~~ recommends among others, further Training and seminars procurement officers, and enforcement of Laws to those caught against Public Procurement Act of 2011.