

Mkwawa Free Zone Company Limited

Company Profile

About Us

Mkwawa Free Zone Company Limited is a Tanzanian-registered logistics and freight services company specializing in Inland Container Depot (ICD) and Container Freight Station (CFS) operations. Strategically located in Morogoro, we serve as a critical inland hub for containerized cargo movement, offering reliable, secure, and efficient solutions to importers, exporters, freight forwarders and shipping lines.

Our operations are designed to decongest port facilities, streamline customs processes, and promote trade facilitation in line with Tanzania's logistics and industrial development goals.

Our Vision

To be the leading inland logistics hub in East and Central Africa, driving regional trade through innovation, reliability, and excellence in ICD and CFS services.

Our Mission

To provide world-class container handling, warehousing, and logistics support services that exceed customer expectations while supporting the growth of Tanzania's logistics infrastructure.

Core Values

- **Integrity:** We operate with transparency and accountability.
- **Efficiency:** We prioritize timely and effective service delivery.
- **Customer Focus:** We align our operations with our clients' needs.
- **Innovation:** We leverage technology and continuous improvement.
- **Safety & Security:** We maintain the highest standards in cargo and workplace safety.

Our Services

1. Inland Container Depot (ICD) Operations

- **Container Handling:** Receiving and dispatching containers
- **Storage:** Temporary holding for full container loads (FCL)
- **Inspection & Docs:** Container checks and documentation support
- **Customs:** Clearance services and bonded warehousing
- **Import Facilitation:** Coordinating logistics for inbound cargo.
- **EDI:** Enables fast, efficient communication with shipping lines.
- **Onsite Support:** Quickly resolves cargo and regulatory issues.
- **Stripping & Stuffing:** Efficient container loading/unloading
- **LCL Handling:** Dedicated space to prevent cargo damage
- **Reefer Points:** Modern facilities with ample connections.
- **Cargo Deconsolidation** – Breaking down imported containers into individual shipments.

2. Container Freight Station (CFS) Operations

- **Container Handling** – Receiving, stacking, dispatching, stripping, and stuffing of containers.
- **LCL Cargo Handling** – Consolidation and deconsolidation of Less than Container Load cargo.
- **Temporary Storage** – Safe storage for Full Container Load (FCL) and LCL cargo.
- **Customs Clearance** – Bonded warehousing, customs examination, and cargo release.
- **Documentation Support** – Assistance with shipping, customs, and regulatory paperwork.
- **Cargo Consolidation** – Combining smaller shipments into one container for export.
- **Reefer Handling** – Specialized services for refrigerated containers.
- **Export Facilitation** – Coordinating logistics for outbound cargo.

3. Value-Added Services

- **System Automation:** Enables quick container location in the yard and fast loading/unloading.
- **Tracking:** Real-time cargo tracking and reporting
- **Security:** 24/7 surveillance with damage prevention protocols

- **Equipment:** Modern machinery for safe handling
- **Integration:** Connected with port and customs systems
- **Support:** Dedicated team for issue resolution and updates
- **Efficiency:** Streamlined cargo handling operations

Location Advantage

Situated in Morogoro, a key transit corridor between the Dar es Salaam port and the hinterland, Mkwawa Free Zone Company Limited provides a strategic advantage for importers and exporters seeking inland clearance and logistics solutions. Our location reduces port congestion, lowers operational costs, and accelerates cargo turnaround times.

- **Faster Transit:** Reduced delays via port decongestion
- **Highway Access:** Direct links to T1, T3, and key logistics corridors
- **Regional Reach:** Serving Zambia, Congo, Rwanda, Burundi, and more
- **Rail Connectivity:** Easy access to rail transport options

Why Choose Us

- **Strategic Location:** Close to major trade routes and industrial hubs
- **Government Collaboration:** Strong ties with agencies and customs
- **Expert Team:** Skilled, experienced operations staff
- **Scalable Facilities:** Handles high cargo volumes efficiently
- **Regulatory Compliance:** Adheres to all standards and requirements
- **Customer Focus:** Dedicated to reliable service and satisfaction
- **Advanced Systems:** Modern cargo handling technology

Contact Us

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Message from the CEO

At Mkwawa Free Zone Company Limited, we are driven by a singular vision—to become a cornerstone of logistics transformation in Tanzania and the greater East African region. In today's fast-paced global trade environment.

We're not just moving cargo—we're shaping the future of logistics in Tanzania and beyond. Our mission is to transform inland logistics with smart infrastructure, seamless operations, and strong partnerships.

Located strategically in Morogoro, we are proud to contribute to the economic development of the region by promoting trade, creating jobs, and supporting the national agenda of industrialization and infrastructure development by building systems that cut port congestion, speed up cargo flow, and empower businesses to grow.

The future is exciting—through digital innovation, regional expansion, and rail integration, **Mkwawa Freezone** is driving efficiency, reliability, and sustainable impact.

Thank you for choosing Mkwawa Free Zone Company Limited. We look forward to serving you.

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Chief Executive Officer

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