

**PROFESSIONAL PROCUREMENT ETHICS AND PROCUREMENT
PERFORMANCE IN PUBLIC SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN
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ABSTRACT

This study aimed at establishing the relationship between professional procurement ethics and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , four specific objectives guided this study and these were; To examine the relationship between compliance and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , to establish the relationship between transparency and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , to assess the relationship between integrity and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , and to determine the relationship between due diligence and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania . Using a descriptive survey design, the researcher administered a questionnaire to 114 respondents; Slovene's formula was used to arrive at sample size. The following were the findings of the study: there is significantly relationship between compliance and procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , which implied that compliance as a professional procurement ethic has positive relationship with procurement performance. Transparency had a positive relationship on procurement performance in Tanzania , this was so because transparency had a significant correlation on procurement performance, which implied that the more transparent the workers are, it improves procurement performance in Monduli District Tanzania , the findings still indicated that integrity has a significant relationship on procurement performance in Tanzania , there was a significant correlation between due-diligence and procurement performance in Tanzania . The researcher concluded that: compliance as a professional procurement ethic had a positive relationship on procurement performance. the more transparent the workers are, it improves procurement performance in Tanzania , high levels of integrity among workers, it improves procurement performance in Tanzania , and finally high levels of integrity among workers, it improves procurement performance in Tanzania . The researcher recommended that Monduli District Tanzania should always strengthen compliance of all organizational units.