



- has scaled up extension services to ASM through provision of on the site trainings and demonstrations of good practises;
- will set mechanisms of providing financial support to ASM either through SACCOS or other effective financial arrangements;
- will initiate mineral trade fares particularly for gemstones to provide fare and reliable markets for ASM mineral commodities as well as scaling up value addition (gem-cutting and jewellery) in the country;

In the new policy it is categorically stated that shares of indigenou in the joint ventures for gemstone mining should be not less that 50% in total and this is an attempt to enhance cooperation between local and foreign investors, to facilitate transfer of technology and to increase benefits to the local community.

In administering the Large Scale Mining operations, among other things, Tanzania is insisting that issues of:-

- Environmental Impact Assessment,
- participation of mining companies in Community Development