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THE BRITISH PHILATELIC ASSOCIATION, LTD.  
EXPERT COMMITTEE

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The Committee is of the opinion that the

Tanganyika 1915, G.E.A. Trade  
Statistical Charge fiscal stamp  
50 h. slate overprinted "O.H.B.S.  
MAFIA" vertical pair, lower stamp  
without overprint, unused, is  
genuine but made par complaisance  
for a collector.



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Date 19-1-2004.....

The Committee is of the opinion that the

Mafia Island 1915 (September) 50 h. slate  
of German East African fiscal stamp,  
vertical pair, handstamped "O.H.B.M.S.  
MAFIA" in circle in blue, lower stamp  
without handstamp (S.G. M24a)  
unused with original gum is genuine.



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