NOTIFICATION

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** UGANDA**If applicable, name of local government involved:**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Uganda National Bureau of Standards |
| **3.** | **Products covered (provide tariff item number(s) as specified in national schedules deposited with the WTO; ICS numbers should be provided in addition, where applicable):** Wheat grains, Wheat and meslin (excl. seed for sowing, and durum wheat) (HS Code(s): 100199); Cereals, pulses and derived products (ICS Code(s): 67.060) |
| **4.** | **Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:****[****X]** **All trading partners** **[****]** **Specific regions or countries:**  |
| **5.** | **Title of the notified document:** DUS ARS 465:2022, Wheat grains - Specification, First Edition.**Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** [https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22\_2931\_00\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22_2931_00_e.pdf%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for wheat grains of varieties (cultivars) grown from common wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.), club wheat (*T. compactum* Host.) and *Triticum tauschii* (soft wheat) intended for human consumption. Durum wheat (*Triticum durum*) is excluded from this standard. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale: [****X]****food safety, [****]****animal health, [****]****plant protection, [****]****protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [****]****protect territory from other damage from pests.**  |
| **8.** | **Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:****[****X]** **Codex Alimentarius Commission *(e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text)*:** CXS 199-1995, Standard for Wheat and Durum Wheat**[****]** **World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) *(e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number)*:** **[****]** **International Plant Protection Convention *(e.g. ISPM number)*:** **[****]** **None****Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?** **[****X]** **Yes [****]** **No****If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:**  |
| **9.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:** 1. Uganda Gazette
2. ISO 605, Pulses — Determination of impurities, size, foreign odours, insects, and species and variety — Test methods
3. ISO 712, Cereals and cereal products — Determination of moisture content — Routine reference method
4. ISO 3093, Wheat, rye and respective flours, durum wheat and durum wheat semolina —Determination of the Falling Number according to Hagberg-Perten
5. ISO 5223, Test sieves for cereals
6. ISO 6639-1, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 1: General principles
7. ISO 6639-2, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 2: Sampling
8. ISO 6639-3, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 3: Reference method
9. ISO 6639-4, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 4: Rapid methods
10. ISO 7932, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of presumptive Bacillus cereus — Colony-count technique at 30 degrees C
11. ISO 7971-1, Cereals — Determination of bulk density, called "mass per hectolitre" — Part 1: Reference method
12. ISO 7971-2, Cereals — Determination of bulk density, called "mass per hectolitre" — Part 2: Routine method
13. ISO 13690, Cereals, pulses and milled products — Sampling of static batches
14. ISO 16050, Foodstuffs — Determination of aflatoxin B1, and the total content of aflatoxin B1, B2, G1 and G2 in cereals, nuts and derived products — High performance liquid chromatographic method
15. ISO 20483, Cereals and pulses — Determination of the nitrogen content and calculation of the crude protein content — Kjeldahl method
16. CODEX STAN 1, General Standard for the labelling of prepackaged foods
17. CAC/RCP 1, Recommended international code of practice — General principles of food hygiene
18. CODEX STAN 193, Codex general standard for contaminants and toxins in food and feed

(available in English) |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined.**Proposed date of publication *(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined. |
| **11.** | **Proposed date of entry into force: [****]****Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** ***(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined.**[****X]** **Trade facilitating measure**  |
| **12.** | **Final date for comments: [****X]****Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or *(dd/mm/yy)*:** 19 June 2022**Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****]****National Notification Authority, [****]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:** Uganda National Bureau of StandardsPlot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business ParkP.O. Box 6329Kampala, UgandaTel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123E-mail: info@unbs.go.ugWebsite: <https://www.unbs.go.ug> |
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