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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: TANZANIA If applicable, name of local government involved: 2. Agency responsible: Tanzania 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): Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding (excl. dog or cat food put up for retail sale) (HS code(s): 230990); Animal feeding stuffs (ICS code(s): 65.120); Rabbit feed 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: DARS 1831:2024, Rabbit feeds - Specification, First edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 25 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/TZA/25 01460 00 e.pdf 6. Description of content: This Draft African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for rabbit feeds. Note: This Draft African Standard was also notified under TBT Committee. 7. Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [X] 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: Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex [] standard or related text): World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic [] Animal Health Code, chapter number): International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): [] [X] None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? []Yes []No If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

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9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:		
	1. FDARS 2139, Code of practice on good animal feeding	
	 FDARS 1828, ARS 1828, Animal feeds — Code of practice for production, processing, storage, transport, and distribution 	
	3. AOAC 932.16, Determination of Vitamin D3	
	4. AOAC Official Method 935.14, Iodine in mineral mixed feeds — Elmslie–Caldwell method	
	 AOAC Official Method 942.23, Thiamine (vitamin B1) in human and pet foods – Fluorometric method 	
	 AOAC Official Method 944.12, Folic acid (pteroylglutamic acid) in vitamin preparations — Microbiological methods 	
	7. AOAC Official Method 945.74, Pantothenic acid in vitamin preparations -	
	Microbiological methods 8. AOAC Official Method 952.20, Cobalamin (vitamin B12 activity) in vitamin preparations	
	 Microbiological methods AOAC Official Method 961.14, Niacin and niacinamide in drugs, foods, and feeds — 	
	Colorimetric method	
	10. AOAC Official Method 961.15, Vitamin B6 (pyridoxine, pyridoxal, pyridoxamine) in food extracts — Microbiological method	
	11. AOAC Official Method 965.28, Antioxidants in food — Qualitative colour tests	
	12. AOAC Official Method 968.17, Butylated hydroxyanisole and butylated hydroxytoluene	
	in Cereals — Gas chromatographic method 13. AOAC Official Method 970.65, Riboflavin (vitamin B2) in foods and vitamin	
	preparations — Fluorometric method	
	14. AOAC Official Method 974.29, Vitamin A in mixed feeds, premixes, and human and pet	
	foods — Colorimetric method 15. AOAC Official Method 974.30, Menadione sodium bisulfite (water-soluble vitamin K3) in feed premixes — Gas chromatographic method	
	 16. AOAC Official Method 975.08, Fluorine in animal feed — Distillation method — Ion selective electrode method 	
	17. AOAC Official Method 977.26, <i>Clostridium botulinum</i> and its toxins in foods – Microbiological method	
	18. AOAC Official Method 981.15, Riboflavin in foods and vitamin preparations —	
	Automated method 19. AOAC Official Method 981.16, Niacin and niacinamide in foods, drugs, and feeds —	
	Automated method	
	20. AOAC Official Method 983.26, Differentiation of members of Bacillus cereus group — Microbiological method	
	21. AOAC Official Method 984.26, Vitamin C (Total) in Food — Semiautomated Fluorometric Method	
	22. AOAC Official Method 988.15, Tryptophan in foods and food and feed ingredients – Ion exchange chromatographic method	
	23. AOAC Official Method 994.12, Amino acids in feeds - Performic acid oxidation with	
	acid hydrolysis — Sodium metabisulfite method 24. AOAC Official Method 996.16, Selenium in feeds and premixes	
	25. AOAC Determination of biotin by high-performance liquid chromatography in infant	
	formula, medical nutritional products, and vitamin premixes	
	26. AOAC Official Method 999.13, Lysine, methionine, and threonine in feed grade amino acids and premixes	
	 27. AOAC Official Method 999.14, Choline in infant formula and milk — Enzymatic colorimetric method 	
	28. ISO 2591-1, Test sieving — Part 1: Methods using test sieves of woven wire cloth and	
	perforated metal plate 29. ISO 5510:1984, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of available lysine	
	30. ISO 5984:2002, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of crude ash	
	31. ISO 5985, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid 32. ISO 6490-1, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of calcium content — Part 1:	
1	Titrimetric method	

33. ISO 6491, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of phosphorus content — Spectrometric method

34. ISO 6492, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of fat content 35. ISO 6496, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of moisture and other volatile matter content 36. ISO 6497:2002, Animal feeding stuffs - Sampling 37. ISO 6654, Animal feeding stuffs - Determination of urea content 38. ISO 6865, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of crude fibre content — Method with intermediate filtration 39. ISO 6866, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of free and total gossypol 40. ISO 6867, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of vitamin E content — Method using high-performance liquid chromatography 41. ISO 6869, Animal feeding stuffs – Determination of the contents of calcium, copper, iron, magnesium, manganese, potassium, sodium and zinc — Method using atomic absorption spectrometry 42. ISO 7937, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs – Horizontal method for the enumeration of *Clostridium perfringens* — Colony-count technique 43. ISO 13903, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of amino acids content 44. ISO 13904, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of tryptophan content 45. ISO 14565, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of vitamin A content — Method using high-performance liquid chromatography 46. ISO 14718, Animal feeding stuffs - Determination of aflatoxin B1 content of mixed feeding stuffs — Method using high-performance liquid chromatography 47. ISO 16634-1, Food products - Determination of the total nitrogen content by combustion according to the Dumas principle and calculation of the crude protein content — Part 1: Oilseeds and animal feeding stuffs 48. ISO 17375, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of aflatoxin B1 49. ISO 27085, Animal feeding stuffs - Determination of calcium, sodium, phosphorus, magnesium, potassium, iron, zinc, copper, manganese, cobalt, molybdenum, arsenic, lead and cadmium by ICP-AES 50. ISO 6495, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of water-soluble chlorides content 51. N.R.C. (1977) Nutrient Requirements of Rabbits. National Research Council, Washington DC, ES 3463/2005 Processed rabbit feed (available in English) 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined and notified. 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 April 2025 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: Tanzania Bureau of Standards Ubungo, Morogoro Road/Sam Nujoma Road P. O. Box 9524 DAR ES SALAAM, TANZANIA Tel: +(255 22) 245 0298 +(255 22) 245 0206 Fax: +(255 22) 245 0959 E-mail: info@tbs.go.tz Website: http://www.tbs.go.tz

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