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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 (TBS)
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 (HS code(s): 2309); Animal feeding stuffs (ICS code(s): 65.120)
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[ ] Specific regions or countries:
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> DARS 1839: 2024, Prosopis meal for compounded animal feeds — Specification, First edition. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 15
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/TZA/25 02165 00 e.pdf
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This Draft African standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for prosopis meal used in compounded animal feed.
	Note: This Draft East 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:

## 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:

- 1. FDARS 2139, Code of good practice on animal feeding
- 2. FDARS 1828, Animal feeds Code of practice for production, processing, storage, transport, and distribution
- 3. ISO 2591-1, Test sieving Part 1: Methods using test sieves of woven wire cloth and perforated metal
- 4. ISO 5984:2002, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of crude ash
- 5. ISO 5985, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid
- 6. ISO 6492, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of fat content
- 7. ISO 6496, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of moisture and other volatile matter content
- 8. ISO 6497 Animal feeding stuffs Sampling
- 9. ISO 6865, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of crude fibre content Method with intermediate
- 10. ISO 6869, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of the contents of calcium, copper, iron, magnesium, manganese, potassium, sodium and zinc Method using atomic absorption spectrometry
- 11. ISO 14718, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of aflatoxin B1 content of mixed feeding stuffs Method using high-performance liquid chromatography
- 12. 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
- 13. ISO 17375, Animal feeding stuffs Determination of aflatoxin B1
- 14. ISO 16050, Foodstuffs Determination of aflatoxin B1, and the total content of aflatoxins B1, B2, G1 and G2 in cereals, nuts and derived products High-performance liquid chromatographic method
- **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 and notified.
  - [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): 17 May 2025

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