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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>UGANDA</u> 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): Pure-bred cattle for breeding (HS code(s): 010221); Animal husbandry and breeding (ICS code(s): 65.020.30); Dairy cattle
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: ☒ All trading partners ☐ Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: DARS 1860:2025, Farm animal welfare — Dairy cattle, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 23 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/SPS/UGA/25_08022_00_e.pdf
6.	Description of content: This Draft African Standard provides welfare management of dairy cattle of all ages in the farm (bull calves, heifers, dry cows, lactating cows, and bulls) production systems include a rearing, housing, good nutrition, health care, suitable environment, pain control, and positive human-animal interactions intended for the sustainable and safe milk production.
7.	Objective and rationale: ☒ 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: ☐ 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): ☒ 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: - Uganda Gazette - ASEAN Good Animal Husbandry Practices for Layers and Broilers Food Safety Module - Guide to Good Farming Practices for Animal Production Food Safety. 2009. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations and World Organisation for Animal Health - PNS/BAFPS 60: 2008. Code of Good Animal Husbandry Practices. Department of Agriculture. Philippines - PNS/BAFS 163: 2015. Animal Feed Ingredients. Department of Agriculture, Philippines (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): 17 January 2026 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 Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.ug
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