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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>TANZANIA</u> 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): Waffles and wafers (HS code(s): 190532); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: AFDC 15 (766) DTZS, Waffles – Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 6 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/TZA/26_00375_00_e.pdf
6.	Description of content: This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and testing for waffles intended for human consumption. Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under TBT Committee.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
8.	Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard: <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> 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. CODEX STAN 193, Codex General Standard for Contaminants and Toxins in foods 2. CODEX STAN 192, Codex General Standard for foods additives

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. TZS 4, Rounding off numerical values 4. TZS 109, Food processing units - Code of hygiene - General 5. TZS 111, Bakery units - Code of hygiene 6. TZS 118, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms - Colony-count technique at 30 °C 7. TZS 122-1, Microbiology of food and feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the detection of <i>Salmonella</i> spp. 8. TZS 125-1, Microbiology of the food chain — Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase- positive staphylococci (<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and other species) Part 1: Method using Baird- Parker agar medium 9. TZS 155, Sugar confectionery - Methods of sampling and analysis 10. TZS 538, Pre -packaged food labeling - general requirements 11. TZS 731, Microbiology of food and feeding-stuffs - Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of presumptive <i>Escherichia Coli</i> - Most Probable Number Technique 12. TZS 2426-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of yeasts and moulds Part 2: Colony count technique in products with water activity less than or equal to 0.95 13. TZS 2753, Bakery products - methods of sampling 14. TZS 3229, Foodstuffs-Determination of water activity
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined and notified.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p>[X] Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 17 March 2026</p> <p>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:</p> <p>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</p>
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