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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): Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)
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 12 (4154) DTZS, Artificially sweetened flavoured drink in solid form — Specification, Second Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 7 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/TZA/26_01363_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and test for artificially sweetened flavoured drinks in solid form intended for human consumption for people on diet as a ready to drink beverage after reconstitution with potable water. 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. CXS 192, Permitted food additives
2. TZS 4, Rounding off numerical values
3. TZS 114, Soft drink manufacturing units – Code of hygiene
4. TZS 118, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs – Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms – Colony-count technique at 30 °C
5. TZS 119, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs – Horizontal method for detection and enumeration of coliforms – Most probable number technique
6. TZS 122, Microbiology of food and feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the detection of *Salmonella* spp.
7. TZS 125-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs – Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (*Staphylococcus aureus* and other species) – Part 2: Technique using rabbit plasma fibrinogen agar medium
8. TZS 131, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuff - General guidance for enumeration of yeasts and moulds - Colony count technique at 25 °C
9. TZS 268, General atomic absorption spectrophotometric method for determination of lead in food and food stuffs
10. TZS 538, General standard on packaging, marking and labeling
11. TZS 585, Ready to drink non-carbonated non-alcoholic beverage - Specification
12. TZS 789, Drinking (potable) water – Specification
13. TZS 1318, Spices and condiments – Determination of moisture content – Entrainment method
14. TZS 1491, Fruits and Vegetables – Determination of Ph
15. TZS 1492 / ISO 2447, Fruit and vegetable products – Determination of tin content
16. TZS 1502, Fruits, vegetables and derived products – Determination of arsenic content \- Silver diethyldithiocarbamate spectrophotometric method
17. TZS 2616, Foodstuffs-Determination of mercury by flameless atomic absorption spectrophotometric method

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.

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12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 9 May 2026

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