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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): Crude palm oil (HS code(s): 151110); Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200.20)
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 04 (3877) DTZS, Crude palm kernel oil – Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 7 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2026/SPS/TZA/26_01286_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for crude palm kernel oil derived from the kernel of the fruit of the palm species <i>Elaeis guineensis</i> intended for further processing in the food industry. 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. TZS 4, Rounding off numerical values 2. TZS 54, Animal and vegetable fats and oils – Sampling

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. TZS 76, Methods for determination of arsenic 4. TZS 109, Food processing units — Code of hygiene — General 5. TZS 268, General atomic absorption — Spectrophotometric method for determination of lead in food stuffs 6. TZS 538, Packaging and labeling of Foods-General requirement 7. TZS 1324, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of peroxide value-Iodometric (visual) end point determination 8. TZS 1325, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of saponification value 9. TZS 1326, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of moisture and volatile matter 10. TZS 1327, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of iodine value 11. TZS 1328, Essential oils — Determination of relative density at 20 °C — Reference method 12. TZS 1329, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of refractive index 13. TZS 1330, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of lovibondcolour 14. TZS 1331, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of acid value and acidity 15. TZS 1335, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of copper, iron and nickel content graphite furnace atomic absorption 16. TZS 1333, Animal and vegetable fats and oils- Determination of melting point in open capillary tubes (slip point) 17. TZS 1336, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of insoluble impurities content 18. TZS 4646, Code of Practice for the storage and transport of edible fats and oils in bulk
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined and notified. 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. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 5 May 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 Ubungu, 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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