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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: KENYA
	If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Kenya 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): Fruits
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:
	[X] All trading partners
	[] Specific regions or countries:
5.	Title of the notified document: NC 4:2018 Roasted Macadamia - Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12
6.	Description of content: This Northern corridor Standard specifies the requirements, methods of sampling and testing for roasted macadamia of varieties (cultivars) grown from <i>Macadamia integrifolia, Macadamia tetraphylla and Macadamia ternifolia,</i> and their hybrids intended for direct consumption.
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] 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):
	[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:
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): June 2018
	Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): June 2018

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Proposed date of entry into force: [] **Six months from date of publication**, **and/or** (*dd/mm/yy*): Upon declaration as mandatory by the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of

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Industry, Trade and Co-operatives.

[X] Trade facilitating measure 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 17 March 2018 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Kenya Bureau of Standards (KEBS) P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Tel: +(254) 020 605490 +(254) 020 605506 +(254) 020 6948258 Fax: +(254) 020 609660 +(254) 020 609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org 13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Kenya Bureau of Standards WTO/TBT National Enquiry Point P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Tel: +(254) 020 605490 +(254) 020 605506 +(254) 020 6948258 Fax: +(254) 020 609660 +(254) 020 609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org