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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): Cake mixes
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:  [X] All trading partners  [] Specific regions or countries:
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> KS 2954:2021 Cake Mixes - Specification. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 16
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/KEN/22 0979 00 e.pdf
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This Kenya Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for cake mixes.
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:

- AOAC 999.10, Official method for lead, cadmium, zinc, copper, and iron in foods Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometry after microwave Digestion
- CXS 192, Codex General Standard for food additives
- KS EAS 901, Cereals and pulses Test methods
- KS EAS 39, Code of practice for hygiene in the food and drink manufacturing industry
- KS EAS 38, Labelling of pre-packaged foods
- KS ISO 6579-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella Part 1: Detection of Salmonella spp
- ISO 11866-1, Milk and milk products Enumeration of presumptive Escherichia coli -Part 1: Most probable number technique using 4-methylumbelliferyl-beta-Dglucuronide (MUG)
- KS ISO 6888-3, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (Staphylococcus aureus and other species) Part 3: Detection and MPN technique for low numbers
- KS ISO 21528-2, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Enterobacteriaceae Part 2: Colony-count technique
- Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): March 2022
   Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): March 2022
- 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): 27 March 2022

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