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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

- Notifying Member: UGANDA If applicable, name of local government involved:
 Agency responsible: Uganda National Bureau of Standards
 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): Wheat grains, Wheat and meslin (excl. seed for sowing, and durum wheat) (HS Code(s): 100199); Cereals, pulses and derived products (ICS Code(s): 67.060)
- 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: DUS ARS 465:2022, Wheat grains Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages:

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22_2931_00_e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for wheat grains of varieties (cultivars) grown from common wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.), club wheat (*T. compactum* Host.) and *Triticum tauschii* (soft wheat) intended for human consumption. Durum wheat (*Triticum durum*) is excluded from this standard.
- 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:
 - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): CXS 199-1995, Standard for Wheat and Durum Wheat
 - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
 - [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
 - [] None

Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

[X] Yes [] No

If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:

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9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
	1. Uganda Gazette
	 ISO 605, Pulses — Determination of impurities, size, foreign odours, insects, and species and variety — Test methods
	 ISO 712, Cereals and cereal products — Determination of moisture content — Routine reference method
	4. ISO 3093, Wheat, rye and respective flours, durum wheat and durum wheat semolina —Determination of the Falling Number according to Hagberg-Perten
	 ISO 5223, Test sieves for cereals ISO 6639-1, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 1:
	General principles 7. ISO 6639-2, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 2:
	Sampling 8. ISO 6639-3, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 3:
	Reference method 9. ISO 6639-4, Cereals and pulses — Determination of hidden insect infestation — Part 4: Rapid methods
	10. ISO 7932, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of presumptive Bacillus cereus — Colony-count technique at 30 degrees C
	 11. ISO 7971-1, Cereals — Determination of bulk density, called "mass per hectolitre" — Part 1: Reference method 12. ISO 7071-2, Cereals — Determination of bulk density, called "mass per hectolitre"
	 12. ISO 7971-2, Cereals — Determination of bulk density, called "mass per hectolitre" — Part 2: Routine method 13. ISO 13690, Cereals, pulses and milled products — Sampling of static batches
	 13. ISO 13090, Cereals, pulses and inner products — Sampling of static batches 14. ISO 16050, Foodstuffs — Determination of aflatoxin B1, and the total content of aflatoxin B1, B2, G1 and G2 in cereals, nuts and derived products — High performance liquid chromatographic method
	 15. ISO 20483, Cereals and pulses — Determination of the nitrogen content and calculation of the crude protein content — Kjeldahl method 16. CODEX STAN 1, General Standard for the labelling of prepackaged foods
	 17. CAC/RCP 1, Recommended international code of practice — General principles of food hygiene
	18. CODEX STAN 193, Codex general standard for contaminants and toxins in food and feed
	(available in English)
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
	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.
	[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): 19 June 2022
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