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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>UGANDA</u>		
	If applicable, name of local government involved:		
2.	Agency responsible: Uganda National 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): Meat and edible offal, of the poultry of heading 01.05, fresh, chilled or frozen (HS code(s): 0207); Poultry and eggs (ICS code(s): 67.120.20)		
4.	Regio	ns or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:	
	[X]	All trading partners	
	[]	Specific regions or countries:	
5.		of the notified document: DUS DARS 1224: 2021, Chicken meat — Carcasses and First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 14	
	https:	//members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22 4379 00 e.pdf	
6.	requir intend	Description of content: This Draft African standard specifies the quality and safety requirements, methods of sampling and test for raw chicken meat, carcasses and parts intended for human consumption. This excludes products with added ingredients or "chicken preparations".	
	Note:	This Draft Uganda Standard was also notified to the TBT Committee.	
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [X] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.		
8.	Is the	ere 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?	
	[] Ye	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:

- Uganda Gazette
- AOAC 972.25 Official Method of Analysis of Lead in Foods- Atomic Adsorption Spectrophotometry
- CAC/MRL 2, Maximum residue limits for veterinary drugs in food
- ARS 56, Labelling of pre-packaged foods General requirements
- CAC/RCP 1, Recommended international code of practice General principles of food hygiene
- ISO 4833-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms Part 1: Colony count at 30 °C by the pour plate technique
- ISO 6888-1, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (Staphylococcus aureus and other species) — Part 1: Technique using Baird-Parker agar medium
- ISO 16654, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the detection of Escherichia coli 0157
- ISO 16649-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of beta-glucuronidase-positive *Escherichia coli* Part 2: Colony-count technique at 44 °C using 5- bromo-4-chloro-3-indolyl beta-D-glucuronide
- ISO 7937, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of Clostridium perfringens Colony-count technique
- ISO 11290-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Listeria monocytogenes and of *Listeria* spp. — Part 1: Detection method
- ISO 10272-1:2017, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of *Campylobacter* spp. Part 1: Detection method
- ISO 6579, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the detection of *Salmonella* spp.
- ECE/TRANS/165, UNECE Agreement on the International Carriage of Perishable Foodstuffs and on the Special Equipment to be Used for Such Carriage (ATP) (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): 28 August 2022

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