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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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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): Others (HS code(s): 040790); Poultry and eggs (ICS code(s): 67.120.20)
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: DUS DARS 1202: 2022, Preserved eggs-in-shell, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 16 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22_4305_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: This Draft Uganda Standard specifies quality and safety requirements, methods of test for preserved hen eggs-in-shell fit for direct human consumption. This standard on Preserved eggs-in-shell aims to facilitate economic exchanges between countries and will contribute to the availability of quality products for the African population. It will contribute to the protection of consumers' health. Note: This Draft Uganda Standard was also notified to the TBT Committee.
7. Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input checked="" 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:

<p>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uganda Gazette • ISO 6579-1 Microbiology of the food chain — Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella — Part 1: Detection of <i>Salmonella</i> spp. • 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 the food chain — Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase positive staphylococci (<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and other species) — Part 1: Method using Baird- Parker agar medium • AOAC 952.13, Arsenic in food. Silver diethyldithiocarbamate • AOAC 972.25, Lead in food. Atomic absorption spectrophotometry • AOAC 973.34, Cadmium in food. Atomic absorption spectrophot • AOAC 971.21, Mercury in food. Flameless atomic absorptions • CAC/MRL 2 Maximum residue limits (MRLs) and risk management recommendations (RMRS) for residues of veterinary drugs in foods • CAC/RCP 1 recommended international code of practice general principles of food hygiene • Regulations Governing the Voluntary Grading of Shell Eggs, 7 CFR Part 56, Effective 30 March 2008 • United States Standards, Grades, and Weight Classes for Shell Eggs, AMS 56, Effective 20 July 2000 • UNECE EP 45:1976/1994, Preserved eggs-in-shell (available in English)
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined. 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): 28 August 2022 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: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.ug</p>
<p>13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.ug</p>