



NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: <u>BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, TANZANIA, UGANDA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2.	Agency responsible: Tanzania 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): Fish livers, roes and milt, dried, smoked, salted or in brine (HS code(s): 030520); Fish and fishery products (ICS code(s): 67.120.30); Fresh/frozen fish roe
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: DEAS 1203: 2024, Fresh/frozen fish roe -- Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 7 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/TZA/24_03986_00_e.pdf
6.	Description of content: This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for fresh/frozen fish roe intended for human consumption. Note: This Draft East African Standard was also notified under TBT Committee.
7.	Objective and rationale: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input 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:

9.	<p>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. EAS 12, Potable water — Specification 2. AOAC 972.23, Lead in fish — Atomic absorption spectrophotometric method 3. AOAC 973.34, Cadmium in food — Atomic absorption spectrophotometric method 4. AOAC 2015.01, Heavy Metals in Food - Inductively Coupled Plasma–Mass Spectrometry 5. CXG 50, General guidelines on sampling 6. CXC 52, Code of practice for fish and fishery products 7. ISO 5985, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid 8. CXS 192, General standard for food additives 9. EAS 39, Hygiene in the food and drink manufacturing industry — Code of practice 10. EAS: 35 Edible Salt Specifications 11. EAS 38, Labelling of pre-packaged foods — Requirements 12. ISO 6495-1, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of water-soluble chlorides content Part 1: Titrimetric method 13. ISO 6579, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the detection of <i>Salmonella</i> spp. 14. ISO/TS 21872 (all parts), Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the detection of potentially enteropathogenic <i>Vibrio</i> spp. 15. ISO 16649-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of beta-glucuronidase-positive <i>Escherichia coli</i> Part 2: Colony-count technique at 44 degrees C using 5-bromo-4-chloro-3-indolyl beta-D-glucuronide 16. ISO 4833-1, Microbiology of food chain — Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms — Part 1: Colony-count at 30 degrees C by the pour plate technique 17. ISO 6888-1, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive <i>staphylococci</i> (<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> and other species) — Part 1: Technique using Baird-Parker agar medium (available in English)
10.	<p>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined and notified.</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p>
11.	<p>Proposed date of entry into force: <input type="checkbox"/> Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Trade facilitating measure</p>
12.	<p>Final date for comments: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 25 August 2024</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: <input type="checkbox"/> National Notification Authority, <input type="checkbox"/> National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Tanzania Bureau of Standards Ubungu, Morogoro Road/Sam Nujoma Road P. O. Box 9524 DAR ES SALAAM, TANZANIA Tel: +(255 22) 245 0298 +(255 22) 245 0206 Fax: +(255 22) 2450959 E-mail: info@tbs.go.tz Website: http://www.tbs.go.tz</p>

13. Text(s) available from: ☐ National Notification Authority, ☐ National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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