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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1.	<b>Notifying Member:</b> <u>TANZANIA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
2.	<b>Agency responsible:</b> Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)
3.	<b>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):</b> Residues and waste from the food industries; Prepared animal fodder (HS code(s): 23); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65)
4.	<b>Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>All trading partners</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Specific regions or countries:</b>
5.	<b>Title of the notified document:</b> DARS 1844:2024, Dried insect products for compounded animal feeds — Specification, First Edition. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 13 <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/TZA/24_04970_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/TZA/24_04970_00_e.pdf</a>
6.	<b>Description of content:</b> This Draft African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling, and test methods for dried insect products as animal feed ingredient. Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under TBT Committee.
7.	<b>Objective and rationale:</b> <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.	<b>Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>None</b> <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>

<b>9.</b>	<p><b>Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. CODEX STAN 193, Codex general standard for contaminants and toxins in food and feed</li> <li>2. DARS 2139, Code of good practice on animal feeding</li> <li>3. DARS 1828, Animal feeds — Code of practice for production, processing, storage, transport, and distribution</li> <li>4. ISO 4832, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of coliforms — Colony-count technique</li> <li>5. 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</li> <li>6. ISO 5498, Agricultural food products — Determination of crude fibre content — general method</li> <li>7. ISO 5983-1, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of nitrogen content and calculation of crude protein content — Part 1: Kjeldahl method</li> <li>8. ISO 5984, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of crude ash</li> <li>9. ISO 5985, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid</li> <li>10. ISO 6490-1, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of calcium content — Part 1: titrimetric method</li> <li>11. ISO 6491, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of phosphorus content — Spectrometric method</li> <li>12. ISO 6495, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of water-soluble chlorides content — Part 1: titrimetric method</li> <li>13. ISO 6496, Animal feeding stuffs — determination of moisture and other volatile matter content</li> <li>14. ISO 6497, Animal feeding stuffs — Sampling</li> <li>15. 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.</li> <li>16. ISO 11085, Cereals-based products and animal feeding stuffs — determination of crude fat and total fat content by the randall extraction method</li> <li>17. ISO 16050, Foodstuffs — determination of aflatoxin b1, and the total content of aflatoxins b1, b2, g1 and g2 in cereals, nuts and derived products — High-performance liquid chromatographic method</li> <li>18. 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-bromo4-chloro-3-indolyl beta-d-glucuronide</li> <li>19. ISO 17375, Animal feeding stuffs — determination of aflatoxin B1</li> <li>20. ISO 27085, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of calcium, sodium, phosphorus, magnesium, potassium, iron, zinc, copper, manganese, cobalt, molybdenum, arsenic, lead and cadmium by ICP-AES</li> </ol>
<b>10.</b>	<p><b>Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined and notified.</p> <p><b>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p>
<b>11.</b>	<p><b>Proposed date of entry into force: [ ] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> To be determined.</p> <p><b>[X] Trade facilitating measure</b></p>
<b>12.</b>	<p><b>Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy):</b> 30 September 2024</p> <p><b>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:</b></p> <p>Tanzania Bureau of Standards          Ubungo, Morogoro Road/Sam Nujoma Road          P. O. Box 9524          DAR ES SALAAM, TANZANIA          Tel: +(255 22) 245 0298          +(255 22) 245 0206</p>

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