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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: <u>KENYA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved:
2. Agency responsible: Kenya 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): Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)
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: DARS 472: 2024 Fruits juices, nectars, puree and pulp – Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 27 https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/KEN/24_06039_00_e.pdf
6. Description of content: This draft African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for fruit juices, nectars, puree and pulp intended for direct human consumption or for further processing.
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. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: 1. CXS 192, General standard for food additives 2. CXS 1, General standard for Labelling of pre-packaged Foods 3. CAC/GL 23, Guidelines for Use of Nutrition and Health Claims (Amended 2013)

<p>4. ISO 763, Fruits and vegetable products — Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid</p> <p>5. ISO 2172, Fruit juice — Determination of soluble solids content — Pycnometric method</p> <p>6. ISO 2173, Fruit and vegetable products — Determination of soluble solids — Refractometric method</p> <p>7. ISO 2448, Fruit and vegetable products — Determination of ethanol content</p> <p>8. ISO 4833-2, Microbiology of the food chain — Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms — Part 2: Colony count at 30 °C by the surface plating technique</p> <p>9. ISO 5522, Fruits, vegetables and derived products — Determination of total sulphur dioxide content</p> <p>10. ISO 5523, Liquid fruit and vegetable products — Determination of sulphur dioxide content (Routine method)</p> <p>11. ISO 6633, Fruits, vegetables and derived products — Determination of lead content — Flameless atomic absorption spectrometric method</p>
<p>10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): 31 December 2024</p> <p>Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): 31 December 2024</p>
<p>11. Proposed date of entry into force: [X] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy):</p> <p>[X] Trade facilitating measure</p>
<p>12. Final date for comments: [X] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 16 November 2024</p> <p>Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [X] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:</p> <p>Kenya Bureau of Standards WTO/TBT National Enquiry Point P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Tel: +(254) 020 605490 +(254) 020 605506/6948258 Fax: +(254) 020 609660/609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org</p>
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