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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

Original: English

NOTIFICATION

1.	Notifying Member: TANZANIA			
	If applicable, name of local government involved:			
2.	Agency responsible: Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)			
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 meat offal (HS code(s): 02); Food technology (ICS code(s): 67)			
4.	Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:			
	[X] All trading partners			
	[] Specific regions or countries:			
5.	Title of the notified document: TBS/AFDC 22 (2946) DTZS:2024, Poultry Processing - Code of Hygiene, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 9			
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2024/SPS/TZA/24_07702_00_e.pdf			
6.	Description of content: This Tanzania Standard describes the hygiene requirements for the processing of poultry intended for human consumption whether by direct sale or through further processing. It covers all poultry species, poultry carcasses, poultry parts and other edible offal which have not been treated in any way to ensure their preservation except that they may have been chilled or frozen.			
	Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under TBT Committee.			
7.	Objective and rationale: [X] food safety, [] animal health, [] plant protection, [] protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, [] protect territory from other damage from pests.			
8.	Is there 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?			
	[]Yes []No			
	If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:			

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9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:				
	1. TZS 109, Code of hygiene for food processing units – General				
	 TZS 115, Permissible food additives – Schedule TZS 4402, Design and operation of slaughterhouse - Requirements 				
10. Proposed date of adoption (<i>dd/mm/yy</i>): To be determined and notified.					
	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): 11 January 2025				
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