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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

| 1. | Notifying Member: <u>KENYA</u> |
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| | 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): Sugar |
| 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: DEAS 8:2019 Raw cane sugar - Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 10 |
| | https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/SPS/KEN/20 2113 00 e.pdf |
| 6. | Description of content: This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and methods of test for raw sugar produced from sugarcane (<i>Saccharum officinarum</i>), and intended for further processing to make it fit for human consumption" |
| 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: |
| 9. | Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available: |
| 10. | Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): June 2020 |
| | Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): June 2020 |

11. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Upon declaration as mandatory by the relevant Cabinet Secretary.

Trade facilitating measure [X]

12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 27 March 2020

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