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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

- I.
 Notifying Member: KENYA

 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

NOTIFICATION

- 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: DKS 2166:2018 Icing Sugar Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 9

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/KEN/19_1502_00_e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Kenya Standard specifies the requirements and methods of test for icing sugar intended 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:
 - [X] Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): CAC/VOL III-Ed 1 Codex Standard Stan 4, Codex standard for white sugar
 - [] World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number):
 - [] International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number):
 - [] None

Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?

[X] 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:
 - US 29: 1993, Specification for icing sugar
 - KS 38 2007, Mill white sugar

10. Proposed date of adoption (*dd/mm/yy*): September 2019

Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): September 2019

- **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.
 - [X] Trade facilitating measure
- 12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 26 April 2019

Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [X] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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