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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): Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200.20)
- 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 888:2022 Raw, roasted and fried groundnuts Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/KEN/22 4110 00 e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Draft East Africa Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for raw, roasted and fried groundnuts of the plant *Arachis hypogea* intended for direct human consumption. The standard does not apply groundnuts for further processing.
- 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:
	 EAS 38, General standard for labelling of pre-packaged foods EAS 39, Code of practice for hygiene for food and drink industries EAS 101, Food stuffs Methods of determining of arsenic content EAS 769, Fortified edible oils and fats — Specification CXS 192, General Standards for Food Additives ISO 5555, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Sampling ISO 661: Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Preparation of test sample ISO 3960, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of peroxide value — Iodometric (visual) endpoint determination ISO 3596, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Determination of unsaponifiable matter — method using diethyl ether extraction ISO 3961, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of iodine value ISO 3961, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of refractive index ISO 662, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of refractive index ISO 663, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of noisture and volatile matter content ISO 663, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of insoluble impurities content ISO 3657, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of lead by direct graphite furnace atomic absorption spectroscopy ISO 8294, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of conventional mass per volume (litre weight in air) ISO 15305, Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of conventional mass per volume (litre weight in air)
10.	Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): To be determined.
	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): 14 August 2022
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