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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

## Original: English

#### 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): Milk powders
- 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 49:2018 Milk powders and cream powders.
  Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/KEN/18\_3084\_00\_e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for milk powders and cream powder intended for direct human consumption or 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:
- 9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:
- **10. Proposed date of adoption (***dd/mm/yy***):** September 2018

Proposed date of publication (*dd/mm/yy*): September 2018

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Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or (dd/mm/yy): Upon declaration as mandatory by the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Co-operatives.
 [Y] Trade facilitating measure

### [X] Trade facilitating measure

12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (*dd/mm/yy*): 17 July 2018

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