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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

NOTIFICATION

1.	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): Cereals
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 1:2018 Wheat flour - specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12
	https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/KEN/18_6256_00_e.pdf
6.	Description of content: This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for wheat flour prepared from common wheat, <i>Triticum aestivum L</i> . or club wheat, <i>Triticum compactum Host</i> , or mixtures thereof intended for human consumption. It does not apply to wheat flour obtained from <i>Triticum durum</i> and fortified wheat flour.
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: Not applicable

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): March 2019Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): March 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 Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Co-operatives.

[X] Trade facilitating measure

12. Final date for comments: [] Sixty days from the date of circulation of the notification and/or (dd/mm/yy): 16 December 2018

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