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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): Cheese		
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 2682:2019 Camembert cheese - Specification. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12		
	https:/	/members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/KEN/19 1045 00 e.pdf	
6.	Description of content: This Kenya Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and test for camembert cheese intended for direct consumption or for further processing, in conformity with the description in Clause 3 of this standard.		
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 the	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): General standard for cheese, Camembert cheese (CXS 276-1973)	
	[]	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 t	this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?	
	[X] Ye	[X] Yes [] No	
		, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the ational standard:	
9.	Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:		

10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): June 2019
Proposed date of publication (dd/mm/yy): June 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): 30 March 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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