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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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NOTIFICATION

1. Notifying Member: UGANDA

If applicable, name of local government involved:

- 2. Agency responsible: Uganda National 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): Edible mushrooms
- 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: DUS DEAS 1059:2021, Processed cultivated edible mushrooms Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 17

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/SPS/UGA/21_3945_00_e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for processed cultivated edible mushrooms intended for human consumption or for other use in the food industry.
- 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:
 - ISO 2447, Fruit and vegetable products Determination of tin
 - ISO 4833-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms - Part 1: Colony count at 30 degrees C by the pour plate technique

ISO 4833-2, Microbiology of the food chain - Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms - Part 2: Colony count at 30 degrees C by the surface plating technique ISO 6633, Fruits, vegetables and derived products - Determination of lead content -Flameless atomic absorption spectrometric method ISO 6579, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal methods for the detection of Salmonella spp. ISO 16649-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of beta-glucuronidase-positive Escherichia coli - Part 2: Colony-count technique at 44 degrees C using 5- bromo-4-chloro-3-indolyl beta-D-glucuronide Uganda Gazette (available in English) 10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy): September 2021 **Proposed date of publication (***dd/mm/yy***):** To be determined. Proposed date of entry into force: [] Six months from date of publication, and/or 11. (dd/mm/yy): Upon declaration as mandatory by the Minister for Trade, Industry and Cooperatives. [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): 7 August 2021 Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.uq 13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug

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