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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): Unsweetened condensed milk
- 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 1980:2018, Unsweetened condensed milk Specification, First Edition. Language(s): English. Number of pages: 12

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/SPS/UGA/18\_4458\_00\_e.pdf

- **6. Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard prescribes the requirements for unsweetened condensed milks, intended for direct consumption or 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:

Uganda Gazette:

- Kenya draft standard for unsweetened condensed milk;
- US 45, General standard for food additives;
- US ISO 6731, Milk, cream and evaporated milk Determination of total solids content (reference method);
- US ISO 8262, Milk products and milk based foods Determination of fat content by Weibull Berntrop gravimetric Method;
- US ISO 3727-1, Butter Determination of moisture, non-fat solids and fat content -Part 1: Determination of moisture content (Reference Method);
- US ISO 8851-1, Butter Determination of moisture, non-fat solids and fat contents (Routine methods) - Part 1: Determination of moisture content;
- US CODEX STAN 206, General standard for the use of dairy terms;
- US ISO 707, Milk and milk products Guidance on sampling;
- US ISO 11866-1, Milk and milk products Enumeration of presumptive *Escherichia coli* Part 1: Most probable number technique using 4-methylumbelliferyl-beta-D-glucuronide (MUG);
- US ISO 11290-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the detection and enumeration of Listeria monocytogenes - Part 2: Enumeration method;
- US ISO 6579-1, Microbiology of the food chain Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella - Part 1: Detection of Salmonella spp.;
- US ISO 6611, Milk and milk products Enumeration of colony-forming units of yeasts and/or moulds - Colony-count technique at 25 C;
- US ISO 6888-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (*Staphylococcus aureus* and other species) - Part 2: Technique using rabbit plasma fibrinogen agar medium;
- US ISO 7937, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs Horizontal method for the enumeration of Clostridium perfringens - Colonycount technique;
- US EAS 68-2-1, Milk and milk products Methods for microbiological examination Part
  2-1: Enumeration of coliforms Colony count technique at 30°C;
- US EAS 38, Labelling of pre-packaged foods;
- US CODEX STAN 193-1995, General Standard for Contaminants and Toxins in Food and Feed;
- US CAC/MRL 02-2006, Maximum residue limits for veterinary drug residues and pesticides;
- US EAS 67, Raw cow milk Specification.
- **10.** Proposed date of adoption (*dd/mm/yy*): December 2018.

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)*: 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*): 15 October 2018

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#### 13. Text(s) available from: [] National Notification Authority, [] National Enquiry Point. Address, fax number and e-mail address (if available) of other body:

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