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Committee on Sanitary and Phytosanitary Measures

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**NOTIFICATION**

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>UGANDA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved:</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Uganda National Bureau of Standards
<b>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):</b> Roasted coffee beans, roasted ground coffee
<b>4. Regions or countries likely to be affected, to the extent relevant or practicable:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All trading partners <input type="checkbox"/> Specific regions or countries:
<b>5. Title of the notified document:</b> DUS DEAS 105:2019, Roasted coffee beans and roasted ground coffee - Specification, Second Edition. <b>Language(s):</b> English. <b>Number of pages:</b> 19 <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/UGA/19_1688_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/SPS/UGA/19_1688_00_e.pdf</a>
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for roasted coffee beans and roasted ground coffee. This standard applies to decaffeinated roasted ground coffee.
<b>7. Objective and rationale:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> food safety, <input type="checkbox"/> animal health, <input type="checkbox"/> plant protection, <input type="checkbox"/> protect humans from animal/plant pest or disease, <input type="checkbox"/> protect territory from other damage from pests.
<b>8. Is there a relevant international standard? If so, identify the standard:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Codex Alimentarius Commission (e.g. title or serial number of Codex standard or related text): <input type="checkbox"/> World Organization for Animal Health (OIE) (e.g. Terrestrial or Aquatic Animal Health Code, chapter number): <input type="checkbox"/> International Plant Protection Convention (e.g. ISPM number): <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> None <b>Does this proposed regulation conform to the relevant international standard?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>If no, describe, whenever possible, how and why it deviates from the international standard:</b>
<b>9. Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:</b> – AOAC 2000.09, Ochratoxin A in roasted coffee, Immunoaffinity Column HPLC Method – AOAC 999.10, Lead, Cadmium, Zinc, Copper, and Iron in Foods

- CODEX STAN 192, General Standard for Food Additives
- EAS 130, Green coffee beans - Specification
- EAS 38, General Standard for the Labelling of Pre-packaged Foods
- EAS 39, Hygiene in the food and drink manufacturing industry - Code of practice
- ISO 11294, Roasted ground coffee - Determination of moisture content -- Method by determination of loss in mass at 103 degrees C (Routine method)
- ISO 20481, Coffee and coffee products - Determination of the caffeine content using high performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) - Reference method
- ISO 21527-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of yeasts and moulds - Part 2: Colony count technique in products with water activity less than or equal to 0.95
- ISO 3509, Coffee and coffee products - Vocabulary
- ISO 4832, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of coliforms - Colony-count technique
- 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 6579-1, Microbiology of the food chain - Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella - Part 1: Detection of *Salmonella* spp.
- ISO 6670, Instant coffee - Sampling method for bulk units with liners
- EAS 105:2008, Roasted coffee beans and roasted ground coffee, Green coffee beans - Specification
- Uganda Gazette

**10. Proposed date of adoption (dd/mm/yy):** June 2020

**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):** 26 May 2019

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