NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, UGANDA, TANZANIA  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Rwanda Standards Board (RSB)  KK 15 Rd, 49  P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda  Tel: +250 788303492  Email: [info@rsb.gov.rw](mailto:info@rsb.gov.rw)  Website: www.rsb.gov.rw  **Name and address (including telephone and fax numbers, email and website addresses, if available) of agency or authority designated to handle comments regarding the notification shall be indicated if different from above:** |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****],3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Tea. Coffee. Cocoa (ICS code(s): 67.140) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DEAS 1090: 2022, Coffee industry — Code of practice; (20 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft East African Standard provides guidance on the best practices during primary production, postharvest handling and processing of coffee to ensure safety, quality and sustainability by stakeholders along the coffee value chain |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** EAS 38, Labelling of pre-packaged foods |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 6 months from adoption |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  KK 15 Rd, 49 Toll Free: 3250  Tel: +250 788303492  Email: [info@rsb.gov.rw](mailto:info@rsb.gov.rw)  Website: www.rsb.gov.rw  P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda    <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/RWA/22_2506_00_e.pdf> |