NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, TANZANIA, UGANDA  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)  MOROGORO/Sam Nujoma Road, Ubungo  P O BOX 9524, Dar es Salaam, Tanzania  Tel: +255 222450206,  E- mail: [nep@tbs.go.tz](mailto:nep@tbs.go.tz)  Website: www.tbs.go.tz  **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 [****X],** **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):** - Soap and organic surface-active products and preparations, in the form of bars, cakes, moulded pieces or shapes, and paper, wadding, felt and nonwovens, impregnated, coated or covered with soap or detergent : (HS code(s): 34011); Surface active agents (ICS code(s): 71.100.40) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DEAS 816: 2022, Synthetic liquid laundry detergent — Specification, Second Edition; (18 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for hand wash and machine wash synthetic liquid laundry detergents. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Quality requirements; Harmonization |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * EAS 217-1-1, Methods for the microbiological examination of foods — Part 1-1: General procedures and techniques * EAS 794, Determination of the microbial inhibition of cosmetic soap bars and liquid hand and body washes — Test method * EAS 814, Determination of biodegradability of surfactants —Test method * ISO 2870, Surface active agents — Detergents — Determination of anionic-active matter hydrolysable and non-hydrolysable under acid conditions * ISO 2871-1, Surface active agents — Detergents — Determination of cationic-active matter content — Part 1: High-molecular-mass cationic-active matter * ISO 2871-2, Surface active agents — Detergents — Determination of cationic-active matter content — Part 2: Cationic-active matter of low molecular mass (between 200 and 500) * SO 4316, Surface active agents — Determination of pH of aqueous solution — Potentiometric method |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** To be determined |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 60 days from notification |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****X]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Contact person(s):  Ms. Bahati Samillani (NEP officer) and Mr. Clavery Chausi  Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)  Morogoro/Sam Nujoma Road, Ubungo  P O Box 9524  Dar Es Salaam  Tel: +(255) 22 2450206  Email: [nep@tbs.go.tz](mailto:nep@tbs.go.tz); [bahati.samillani@tbs.go.tz](mailto:bahati.samillani@tbs.go.tz)  Website: <http://www.tbs.go.tz>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/TZA/22_6583_00_e.pdf> |