NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Jamaica  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Bureau of Standards Jamaica  **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:**  Regional and International Trade Branch 6 Winchester Road Kingston 10 Jamaica W.I. Email: [tbtenquirypoint@bsj.org.jm](mailto:tbtenquirypoint@bsj.org.jm) Website: <http://www.bsj.org.jm> Tel.: 1 (876) 926-3140-5/ (876) 618-1534/ (876) 632-4275; Fax: 1 (876) 929-4736 |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Protection against dangerous goods (ICS 13.300) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Standard Specification Labelling of household chemicals. (14 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This standard specifies requirements for the labelling of household chemicals sold in Jamaica, whether locally-made or imported, and presents a series of warning labels corresponding to the designated classes of dangerous goods as detailed in appendix A.  This standard shall be read in conjunction with JS 349 and JS 350. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** The revision of the standard was undertaken to review and harmonize the classification of household chemicals with the global harmonized system.  This standard is intended to be compulsory.; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** A notice of the ***Standard Speciﬁcation for Labelling of household chemicals*** will appear in The Jamaica Gazette Supplement - Proclamations, Rules and Regulations. The document will appear as a Jamaican Standard Specification, with compulsory status, and will be available for sale. |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 30 December 2022  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 30 December 2022 |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 14 March 2022 |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [** **]** **or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Regional & International Trade Branch Bureau of Standards Jamaica (BSJ) 6 Winchester Road  Kingston 10  +(876)-618-1534; (876)-632-4275 [tbtenquirypoint@bsj.org.jm](mailto:tbtenquirypoint@bsj.org.jm); <http://www.bsj.org.jm;> [info@bsj.org.jm](mailto:info@bsj.org.jm) |