NOTIFICATION

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| **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):** Millet flour, Cereal flours (excl. wheat, meslin and maize) (HS Code(s): 110290); Cereals, pulses and derived products (ICS Code(s): 67.060) |
| **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 ARS 469:2022, Millet flour - Specification, First Edition.**Language(s):** English. **Number of pages:** 16  [https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22\_2932\_00\_e.pdf](https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/SPS/UGA/22_2932_00_e.pdf" \t "_blank) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and test for millet flour obtained from whole or decorticated pearl millet from varieties *Penicum maliaceum* or finger millet grown from *Eleusine coracana* (L.) Gaertner. or proso millet from *Panicum millaceum* for human consumption. It does not apply to grits obtained from pearl millet. |
| **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:** |
| **9.** | **Other relevant documents and language(s) in which these are available:**   1. Uganda Gazette 2. ISO 3310 - 1, Test sieves-technical requirements and testing – Part 1: Test sieves of metal wire cloth 3. ISO 9648, Sorghum determination of tannin content 4. ISO 27085, Animal feeding stuffs – Determination of calcium, sodium, phosphorus, magnesium, potassium, iron, zinc, copper, manganese, cobalt, molybdenum, arsenic, lead and cadmium by ICPAES 5. ISO 6633, Fruits, vegetables and derived products -- Determination of lead content -- Flameless atomic absorption spectrometric method 6. ISO 6561-1, Fruits, vegetables and derived products -- Determination of cadmium content -- Part 1: Method using graphite furnace atomic absorption spectrometry 7. ISO 6561-2, Fruits, vegetables and derived products -- Determination of cadmium content -- Part 2: Method using flame atomic absorption spectrometry 8. ARS 463, Pearl millet grains — Specification 9. ARS 857, Finger millet grains — Specification 10. ARS 53, General principles of food hygiene — Code of practice 11. ARS 56, Prepackaged foods — Labelling 12. AOAC Official Method 2001.04, Determination of Fumonisins B1 and B2 in corn and corn flakes — Liquid chromatography with immunoaffinity column cleanup 13. CODEX Stan 192, General standard for food additives 14. CODEX STAN 193, Codex general standard for contaminants and toxins in food and feed 15. ISO 711, Cereals and cereal products — Determination of moisture content (Basic reference method) 16. ISO 712, Cereals and cereal products — Determination of moisture content — Routine reference method 17. ISO 1871, Food and feed products — General guidelines for the determination of nitrogen by the Kjeldahl method 18. ISO 2171, Determination of ash content 19. ISO 4833, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms — Colony-count technique at 30 degrees C 20. ISO 5498, Agricultural food products — Determination crude fibre content — General method 21. ISO 5985, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of ash insoluble in hydrochloric acid 22. ISO 6490-1, Animal feeding stuffs — Determination of calcium content — Part 1: Titrimetric method 23. ISO 6579, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the detection of *Salmonella* spp. 24. ISO 6888-1, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the enumeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (*Staphylococcus aureus* and other species) — Part 1: Technique using Baird-Parker agar medium 25. 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 26. ISO 6888-3, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs — Horizontal method for the numeration of coagulase-positive staphylococci (*Staphylococcus aureus* and other species) — Part 3: Detection and MPN technique for low number 27. ISO 16649-1, Microbiology of the food chain — Horizontal method of the for the numeration of betaglucuronidase-positive Escherichia coli- Part 1; Colon- count technique at 44 degrees C using 5-Bromo-4-Chloro-3-Indolyl Beta -D-Glucuronide 28. ISO 11085, Cereals, cereals-based products and animal feeding stuffs — Determination of crude fat and total fat content by the Randall extraction metho 29. ISO 16050, Foodstuffs — Determination of aflatoxin B1, and the total content of aflatoxins B1, B2, G1 and G2 in cereals, nuts and derived products — High-performance liquid chromatographic method 30. 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 31. ISO 24333, Cereals and cereal products — Sampling (available in English) |
| **10.** | **Proposed date of adoption *(dd/mm/yy)*:** To be determined.  **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)*:** To be determined.  **[****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)*:** 19 June 2022  **Agency or authority designated to handle comments: [****]****National Notification Authority, [****]****National Enquiry Point.** **Address, fax number and e‑mail address (if available) of other body:**  Uganda National Bureau of Standards  Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park  P.O. Box 6329  Kampala, Uganda  Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2  Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123  E-mail: [info@unbs.go.ug](mailto:info@unbs.go.ug)  Website: <https://www.unbs.go.ug> |
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