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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>UGANDA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Uganda National Bureau of Standards 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 [], other:
4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): Stock remedies. Pesticides and other agrochemicals (ICS 65.100).
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: FDUS 1792-2:2017, Classification of pesticides and stock remedies – Part 2: Stock remedies for sale and handling. (30 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: This Final Draft Uganda Standard covers the classification of pesticides for sale and handling. Each pesticide has been allocated to one of five danger groups in accordance with the degree of its intrinsic toxic properties. The allocation is based on World Health Organization (WHO) guidelines.
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; Protection of the environment
8. Relevant documents: <ol style="list-style-type: none">Guidelines for the RSA classification code of agricultural and stock remedies and associated labelling practices. Halfway House: AVCASA, 1991.International Programme on Chemical Safety (IPCS).The WHO recommended classification of pesticides by hazard and guidelines to classification, Geneva, Switzerland: World Health Organization, 2000-2001.Fertilizers, Farm Feeds, Agricultural Remedies and Stock Remedies Act, 1947 (Act 36 of 1947).
9. Proposed date of adoption: March 2018. Proposed date of entry into force: Upon declaration as mandatory by the Minister for Trade, Industry and Cooperatives.

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:

https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2017/TBT/UGA/17_5253_00_e.pdf