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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 1792-1: 2017, Classification of pesticides and stock remedies – Part 1: Pesticides for sale and handling. (102 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">1. Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Association of South Africa (AVCASA) also known as Crop Protection and Animal Health Association, formerly known as the Agricultural and Veterinary Chemicals Association of South Africa).2. British Crop Protection Council. The pesticide manual. Eleventh edition. 1997.3. Guidelines for the RSA classification code of agricultural stock remedies and associated labeling practice. AVCASA, 1991.4. SANS 10228, The identification and classification of dangerous goods for transport.5. SANS 10229-1, Transport of dangerous goods – Packaging and large packaging for road and rail transport – Part 1: Packaging.6. US ISO 7010, Graphical symbols – Safety colours and safety signs – Registered safety signs.7. US ISO 8317, Child-resistant packaging – Requirements and testing procedures for reclosable packages.

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_5279_00_e.pdf