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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

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>UGANDA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Uganda National Bureau of Standards <b>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:</b>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Monoammonium phosphate fertilizers, diammonium phosphate fertilizers . Mineral or chemical fertilizers, phosphatic. (HS 3103), Mineral or chemical fertilizers containing two or three of the fertilizing elements nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium; other fertilizers; goods of this Chapter in tablets or similar forms or in packages of a gross weight not exceeding 10 kg. (HS 3105). Fertilizers (ICS 65.080).
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> DUS 759:2017, Monoammonium phosphate (MAP) and Diammonium phosphate (DAP) fertilizers – Specification. (10 page(s), in English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and tests methods for Monoammonium phosphate (MAP) and Diammonium phosphate (DAP) fertilizers.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. G/TBT/N/UGA/22</li><li>2. AOAC 950.01, Water (Total) in fertilizers</li><li>3. ISO 5316, Fertilizer— Extraction of water-soluble phosphates</li><li>4. ISO 8157, Fertilizers and soil conditioners—Vocabulary</li><li>5. ISO 8397, Solid fertilizers and soil conditioners— Test sieving</li><li>6. ISO 8633, Solid fertilizers – Simple sampling method for small lots</li><li>7. ISO 8634, Solid fertilizers – Sampling plan for the evaluation of a large delivery</li><li>8. ISO 17318, Fertilizers and soil conditioners—Determination of arsenic, cadmium,</li></ol>

chromium, lead and mercury contents

9. ISO 25475, Fertilizers— Determination of ammoniacal nitrogen
10. US 759: 2007, Monoammonium phosphate (MAP) and Diammonium phosphate (DAP) fertilizers — Specification
11. FAO Mineral fertilizer Specifications 2010
12. Agricultural Chemicals (Control) Act, 2006 (Act No.1 of 2007)
13. The Fertilizer Control Regulations, 2010

**9. Proposed date of adoption:** December 2017

**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:**

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