NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Uganda  **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 [****],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****X],** **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):** Premixes, fortified foods; - Other, including invert sugar and other sugar and sugar syrup blends containing in the dry state 50% by weight of fructose (HS 170290); Food additives (ICS 67.220.20) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DUS DEAS 1025:2019, Monitoring and sampling of premixes and fortified foods — Guidelines, First Edition. (19 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard provides the guidelines for monitoring, sampling and documentation of nutrient premixes and fortified foods. These guidelines are primarily applicable to premixes, fortified flours, edible salt, sugar, fat spreads, edible fats and oils. They may also be used for all other fortified food products.  Note: This draft standard was also notified to the SPS Committee. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements; Harmonization; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   1. Guidelines on food fortification with micronutrients, 2006, WHO/FAO 2. CAC/GL 09 – 1987: General principles for the addition of essential nutrients to foods. 3. ECSA manuals for internal and external monitoring of fortified foods. 4. Vitamin and Mineral requirements in Human Nutrition, WHO/FAO, 2004, 2nd Edition. 5. EAS 39, Code of practice for hygiene in the food and drink manufacturing industry 6. EAS 900, Cereals and pulses — Sampling 7. ISO 5555, Animal and vegetable fats and oils — Sampling |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** June 2020  **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/2020/TBT/UGA/20_0327_00_e.pdf> |