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 [****X],** **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):** Semi-gloss (egg shell) solvent borne paints; Paints and varnishes (including enamels and lacquers) based on synthetic polymers or chemically modified natural polymers, dispersed or dissolved in an aqueous medium (HS 3209); Paints and varnishes (ICS 87.040) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DUS DEAS 937:2019, Semi-gloss (egg shell) solvent borne paints for interior and exterior use — Specification, First Edition (17 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and test for semi-gloss (egg-shell) solvent borne paints for interior and exterior use. This standard does not apply to automotive, road marking and Industrial applications. |
| **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; Quality requirements; Harmonization; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   1. ISO 4618, Paints and varnishes — Terms and definitions 2. ISO 6503 Paints and varnishes -- Determination of total lead — Flame atomic absorption spectrometric method 3. ISO 6504-3, Paints and varnishes — Determination of hiding power — Part 3: Determination of contrast ratio of light coloured paints at a fixed spreading rate 4. ISO 17132, Paints and varnishes — T-bend test 5. ISO 3251, Paints varnishes and plastics — Determination of non- volatile matter content 6. ISO 1514, Paints and varnishes — Standard panels for testing 7. ISO 1518-1, Paints and varnishes — Determination of scratch resistance — Part 1: Constant-loading method 8. ISO 1524, Paints, varnishes and printing ink — Determination of fineness of grind 9. ISO 15528, Paints, varnishes and raw materials for paints and varnishes — Sampling 10. ISO 3270, Paints and varnishes and their raw materials — Temperatures and humidities for conditioning and testing 11. ISO 1514, Paints and varnishes — Standard panels for testing 12. ISO 2884-2, Paints and varnishes — Determination of viscosity using rotary viscometers — Part 2: Disc or ball viscometer operated at a specified speed 13. ISO 3856-6, Paints and varnishes — Determination of "soluble" metal content — Part 6: Determination of total chromium content of the liquid portion of the paint — Flame atomic absorption spectrometric method 14. ISO 9117-1, Paints and varnishes — Drying tests — Part 1: Determination of through-dry state and throughdry Time 15. ISO 2813, Paints and varnishes — Determination of specular gloss of non-metallic paint films at 20°, 60° and 85° 16. ISO 6504-3, Paints and varnishes — Determination of hiding power — Part 3: Determination of contrast ratio of light coloured paints at a fixed spreading rate 17. ISO 16474-1, Paints and varnishes — Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources — Part 1: General guidance 18. ISO 16474-2, Paints and varnishes — Methods of exposure to laboratory light sources — Part 2: Xenon-arc l 19. ASTM D4828-94, Standard test methods for practical washability of organic coatings amps 20. ISO 20566, Paints and varnishes — Determination of the scratch resistance of a coating system using a laboratory-scale car-wash 21. ISO 4628-10, Paints and varnishes — Evaluation of degradation of coatings — Designation of quantity and size of defects, and of intensity of uniform changes in appearance — Part 10: Assessment of degree of filiform corrosion 22. KS 909:1991, Specification for semi-gloss solvent borne paints for interior and exterior use 23. TZ 726:2011 Semi-gloss solvent borne paints for interior and exterior use – Specification |
| **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_0255_00_e.pdf> |