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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>UNITED ARAB EMIRATES</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
- 2. Agency responsible: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA)

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: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) P. O. Box 2166 Abu Dhabi United Arab Emirates Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2613 Fax: (+971) 2 671 0999 Email: esma@esma.ae Website: http://www.esma.ae

## 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): Honeys produced by honey bees - Fruits and derived products (ICS 67.180.10)
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: UAE Conformity Scheme for the Registration of the Honey Bee According to the Standard # UAE.S / GSO 147 (8 pages, in Arabic)
- 6. Description of content: This UAE Scheme will apply to all honeys produced by honey bees and covers all styles of honey presentations which are intended for direct consumption. This Standard also covers honey which is packed for sale in bulk containers, which may be repacked into retail packs and does not include the honey used in the industry (Baker's Honey).
- 7. **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements
- 8. **Relevant documents:** UAE standards # UAE.S GSO 147:2008
- 9. Proposed date of adoption: NA Proposed date of entry into force: NA
- **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: Emirates Authority for Standardization and Metrology (ESMA) UAE TBT Enquiry Point Tel.: (+971) 2 403 2657 Fax: (+971) 2 671 5999 E-mail: <u>uaetbt@esma.gov.ae</u> Website: <u>http://www.esma.gov.ae</u>