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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>KENYA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2.	Agency responsible: Kenya 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): Chlorine (HS: 280110). Chemicals for purification of water (ICS: 71.100.80)
5.	Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: DKS 2637:2016 Chlorine tablets. Specification (8 pages, in English)
6.	Description of content: Prescribes the requirements and methods of sampling and test for chlorine tablets. It applies to chlorine tablets used for treating drinking water only and not swimming pool. Chlorine tablets are disinfecting agents for chlorination of small quantities of water meant for use in houses, hospitals, offices, hotels and such other places where safe potable water is not available.
7.	Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements; Protection of human health or safety
8.	Relevant documents: IS 9825: Chlorine tablets. Specification
9.	Proposed date of adoption: June 2016 Proposed date of entry into force: Upon declaration as mandatory by the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Industrialization and Investment
10.	Final date for comments: 28 April 2016
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: Kenya Bureau of Standards WTO/TBT National Enquiry Point P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Telephone: + (254) 020 605490, 605506/ 6948258 Fax: + (254) 020 609660/ 609665 E-mail: mailto:info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org