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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>BOTSWANA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: MINISTRY OF INVESTMENT TRADE AND INDUSTRY PRIVATE BAG 004 GABORONE TEL: (+267) 3601200 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: BOTSWANA BUREAU OF STANDARDS PRIVATE BAG BO 48 GABORONE BOTSWANA TEL: (+267) 3903200 FAX: (+267) 3903120 EMAIL: infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw
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): Low voltage switchgear and controlgear (ICS 29.130.20).
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: 1. BOS 659-1:2017, Low-voltage switchgear – Part 1: Circuit-breakers – Specification (3 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: This part of BOS 659 covers circuit-breakers, the main contacts of which are intended to be connected to circuits with rated voltages not exceeding 1 000 V a.c. or 1 500 V d.c. This part of BOS 659 does not cover: a) circuit-breakers for equipment (CBE) covered by IEC 60934, or b) circuit-breakers that incorporate residual current protection, covered by Annex B of IEC 60947-2:2009, or c) modular residual current devices (without integral current breaking device) covered by Annex M of IEC 60947-2:2009.
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; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements

8.	Relevant documents: IEC 60947-2:2009, Low voltage switchgear and controlgear- Part 2: Circuit breakers
9.	Proposed date of adoption: 22 December 2018 Proposed date of entry into force: 22 June 2019
10.	Final date for comments: 24 August 2018
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: BOTSWANA BUREAU OF STANDARDS PRIVATE BAG BO 48 GABORONE BOTSWANA TEL:(+267) 3903200 FAX: (+267) 3903120 EMAIL: infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw