NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Rwanda **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Rwanda Standards Board (RSB)**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:** Rwanda Standards BoardKK 15 Rd, 49 P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda Tel: +250 788303492Email: info@rsb.gov.rw Website: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://www.rsb.gov.rw) |
| **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):** Milk and processed milk products (ICS 67.100.10). |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DEAS 49: 2018 Milk powders and cream powder - Specification (12 page(s), in English)  |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for milk powders and cream powder intended for direct human consumption or for further processing. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** AOAC 999.10, Official method for lead, cadmium, zinc, copper, and iron in foods Atomic absorption Spectrophotometry after microwave DigestionCAC/RCP 1, General principles for food hygieneCAC/RCP 57, Code of Hygienic Practice for Milk and Milk ProductsCODEX STAN 192, Codex general standard for food additivesEAS 38, Labelling of pre- packaged foods - General requirementsEAS 67, Raw cow milk - SpecificationEAS 69, Pasteurized milk - SpecificationEAS 803, Nutrition labelling - RequirementsISO 1736, Dried milk and dried milk products - Determination of fat content -- Gravimetric method (Reference method)ISO 4832, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of coliforms - Colony count techniqueISO 4833-1, Microbiology of the food chain - Horizontal method for the enumeration of microorganisms - Part 1: Colony count at 30 degrees C by the pour plate techniqueISO 5537, Dried milk - Determination of moisture content (Reference method)ISO 6091, Dried milk - Determination of titratable acidity (Reference method)ISO 6579-1, Microbiology of the food chain - Horizontal method for the detection, enumeration and serotyping of Salmonella - Part 1: Detection of Salmonella spp.ISO 6611, Milk and milk products - Enumeration of colony-forming units of yeasts and/or moulds - Colony-count technique at 25 degrees CISO 8156, Dried milk and dried milk products - Determination of insolubility indexISO 8968-1, Milk and milk products - Determination of nitrogen content - Part 1: Kjeldahl principle and crude protein calculationISO 14501, Milk and milk powder - Determination of aflatoxin M1 content - Clean-up by immunoaffinity chromatography and determination by high-performance liquid chromatographyISO 11866-1, Milk and milk products - Enumeration of presumptive Escherichia coli - Part 1: Most probable number technique using 4-methylumbelliferyl-beta-D-glucuronide (MUG)  |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:**To be determined**Proposed date of entry into force:**To be determined |
| **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:** KK 15 Rd, 49 Toll Free: 3250 Tel: +250 788303492Email: info@rsb.gov.rwWebsite: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://www.rsb.gov.rw)P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2018/TBT/RWA/18_3897_00_e.pdf> |