NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** UNITED ARAB EMIRATES, KINGDOM OF BAHRAIN, THE STATE OF KUWAIT, OMAN, QATAR, KINGDOM OF SAUDI ARABIA, YEMEN  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** Qatar General Organization for Standardization (QS)  Standards and Metrology Department  P.O Box 23277  Doha - State of Qatar  E-mail : [standard@qatar.net.qa](mailto:standard@qatar.net.qa) |
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| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****], 3.2 [****], 7.2 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** 67.100.20 |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** Shea Butter; (9 page(s), in Arabic), (8 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This standard applies to unrefined shea butter intended for direct consumption, or as an ingredient in the manufacture of food products. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  Codex standard CAS No. 325:2017  Unrefined shea butter |
| **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:**  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/QAT/22_8310_00_e.pdf>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2022/TBT/QAT/22_8310_00_x.pdf> |