



### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, TANZANIA, UGANDA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: <a href="mailto:info@unbs.go.ug">info@unbs.go.ug</a> Website: <a href="https://www.unbs.go.ug">https://www.unbs.go.ug</a> <b>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:</b>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [X], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [X], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Baby powder; Make-up or skin care powders, incl. baby powders, whether or not compressed (excl. medicaments) (HS 330491); Cosmetics. Toiletries (ICS 71.100.70)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> DEAS 425-2:2021, Skin powders — Specification — Part 2: Baby powder, Second Edition (12 page(s), in English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for baby powders. This standard does not apply to medicated powders for which medicinal claims are made.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements; Harmonization; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. EAS 377 (all parts), Cosmetics and cosmetic products</li><li>2. EAS 846, Glossary of terms relating to the cosmetic industry</li><li>3. EAS 847-2, Cosmetics — Analytical methods — Part 2: Determination of moisture content and volatile matter content</li></ol>

4. EAS 847-16, Cosmetics — Analytical methods — Part 16: Determination of lead, mercury and arsenic content
5. EAS 847-17, Cosmetics — Analytical methods — Part 17: Determination of pH
6. EAS 847-23, Cosmetics — Analytical methods —Part 23: Test for absence of grit in powders
7. EAS 847-24, Cosmetics — Analytical methods —Part 24: Determination of matter insoluble in boiling water
8. EAS 847-25, Cosmetics — Analytical methods —Part 25: Determination of fineness
9. EAS 847-26, Cosmetics — Analytical methods —Part 26: Determination of boric acid
10. ISO 16212, Cosmetics — Microbiology — Enumeration of yeast and mould
11. ISO 18416, Cosmetics — Microbiology — Detection of Candida albicans
12. ISO 21149, Cosmetics --Microbiology --Enumeration and detection of aerobic mesophilic bacteria
13. ISO 21150, Cosmetics — Microbiology — Detection of Escherichia coli
14. ISO 22717 Cosmetics — Microbiology — Detection of Pseudomonas aeruginosa
15. ISO 22718, Cosmetics — Microbiology — Detection of Staphylococcus aureus
16. ISO 24153, Random sampling and randomisation procedures
17. KS 1570-2: 2007, Skin powders — Specification — Part 2: Baby powder
18. EAS 425-2: 2017, Skin powders — Specification — Part 2: Baby powder
19. US 488:2003, Skin powders — Specification — Part 2: Baby powders

**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:**

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