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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, TANZANIA, UGANDA

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible:

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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 [X], 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): ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS; PERFUMERY, COSMETIC OR TOILET PREPARATIONS (HS code(s): 33); Cosmetics. Toiletries (ICS code(s): 71.100.70); anti-aging skincare products; anti-wrinkle skincare products
- **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DEAS 1205-1: 2024, Skincare special purpose product—Specification—Part 1: anti-aging, First Edition; (18 page(s), in English)
- **Description of content:** This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for anti-aging/ antiwrinkle products. This standard does not apply to skincare products covered by EAS 786, aromatherapy substances, sun protection products and hair creams, lotions and gels.
- 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; Quality requirements; Harmonization; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade
- 8. Relevant documents:
 - 1. EAS 346, Labelling of cosmetics General requirements
 - 2. EAS 377 (all parts), Cosmetics and cosmetic products

- 3. EAS 846, Glossary of terms relating to the cosmetic industry
- 4. EAS 847-1, Cosmetics Analytical methods Part 1: Glossary of terms
- EAS 847-16, Cosmetics Analytical methods Part 16: Determination of lead, mercury and arsenic content
- 6. EAS 847-17, Cosmetics Analytical methods Part 17: Determination of pH
- 7. EAS 847-18, Cosmetics Analytical methods Part 18: Determination of thermal stability
- 8. ISO 18416, Cosmetics Microbiology Detection of Candida albicans
- 9. ISO 21149, Cosmetics Microbiology Enumeration and detection of aerobic mesophilic bacteria
- 10. ISO 21150, Cosmetics Microbiology Detection of Escherichia coli
- 11. ISO 22717, Cosmetics Microbiology Detection of Pseudomonas aeruginosa
- 12. ISO 22718, Cosmetics Microbiology —Detection of Staphylococcus aureus
- 13. ISO 24153, Random sampling and randomization procedures
- 14. Bhavesh, J., Piyush, A., Deepak, S., & Ashok, D. (2013). Anti-aging Cosmetics. Journal of Drug Delivery & Therapeutics, 3(3), 158-62.
- 15. EAS 786: 2013, Skin care creams, lotions and gels Specification
- 16. Li, X. (2015, June). Anti-aging cosmetics and its efficacy assessment methods. In IOP Conference Series: Materials Science and Engineering (Vol. 87, No. 1, p. 012043). IOP Publishing.
- 17. Official Journal of the European Communities N. L26217
- 18. Lee, K. T., Lee, S. Y., Jeong, J. H., & Jo, B. K. (2002). New anti-wrinkle cosmetics. Journal of the Society of Cosmetic Scientists of Korea, 28(1), 71-79.
- 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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