

20 December 2023

NOTICE TO RELEVANT STAKEHOLDERS

Dear Sir/Ma'am:

This refers to the draft regulations distributed through the World Trade Organization – Technical Barriers to Trade (WTO-TBT) website (www.epingalert.org) from 09 to 15 December 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the five (5) notified draft technical regulations from Burundi:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
G/TBT/N/B/DI/430	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 13 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 10 February 2024	Floor polish : water emulsion buffable type	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for buffable water based (emulsion) floor polish This standard does not cover water emulsion floor polish buffable type used on wooded, cork or magnesite floors unless these are properly sealed. This standard does not cover floor polish solvent type (liquid and paste) covered by EAS 290-1
G/TBT/N/B/DI/434	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 15 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 12 February 2024	Auto-refinishing paint : synthetic resin base	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for synthetic resin-based auto-refinishing paint.
G/TBT/N/B/DI/435	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 15 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 12 February 2024	Floor polish : solvent type	This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for solvent-based floor polishes (liquid and paste) intended for use on all wooden and solvent resistant surfaces.
G/TBT/N/B/DI/436	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 15 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 12 February 2024	2pack acrylic resin-based auto-refinishing paint	This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for water-thinned priming paints for wood.

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G/TBT/N/B DI/437	Burundi	Date of Distribution: 15 December 2023 Deadline for Comments: 12 February 2024	Water-thinned priming paints for wood	This Draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for water-thinned priming paints for wood.
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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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