

22 March 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](http://www.epingalert.org)) from 11 to 17 March 2023.

Relative thereto, we respectfully invite stakeholders to comment on the six (6) notified draft technical regulations from Burundi and Tanzania:

Document Symbol	Notifying Member	Relevant Dates	Products Covered	Summary
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/163/Add.1</a>	Burundi	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 15 March 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Solid core wooden flush door shutters with face panels of plywood or cross-band and face veneers - Addendum	Burundi, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda would like to inform WTO Members that the Draft East African Standard; DEAS 1065-1: 2021, Wooden flush door shutters of solid core type — Specification — Part 1: Plywood face panels, First Edition; notified in G/TBT/N/BDI/163, G/TBT/N/RWA/554, G/TBT/N/TZA/651 and G/TBT/N/UGA/1483 was adopted by the East African Community Council of Ministers on 24 February 2023.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/164/Add.1</a>	Burundi	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 16 March 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Wooden flush door shutters of solid core type - Addendum	Burundi, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda would like to inform WTO Members that the Draft East African Standard; DEAS 1065-2: 2021, Wooden flush door shutters of solid core type — Specification— Part 2: Particleboards and hardwood face panels, First Edition; notified in G/TBT/N/BDI/164, G/TBT/N/RWA/555, G/TBT/N/TZA/652 and G/TBT/N/UGA/1484 was adopted by the East African Community Council of Ministers on 24 February 2023.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/165/Add.1</a>	Burundi	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 16 March 2023	Wooden flush door shutters of cellular and	Burundi, Kenya, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda would like to inform WTO Members that the Draft East African Standard;

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- World Trade Organization (WTO) Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT)
  - National Enquiry Point (NEP)
  - National Notification Authority (NNA)

		<b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	hollow core type : plywood face panels - Addendum	DEAS 1066-1: 2021, Wooden flush door shutters of cellular and hollow core type — Specification — Part 1: Plywood face panels, First Edition; notified in G/TBT/N/BDI/165, G/TBT/N/RWA/556, G/TBT/N/TZA/653 and G/TBT/N/UGA/1485 was adopted by the East African Community Council of Ministers on 24 February 2023.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/166/Add.1</a>	Burundi	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 16 March 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Wooden flush door shutters of cellular and hollow core type with particleboard face panels (both veneered and unveneered) and hard-board face panels - Addendum	Burundi, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda would like to inform WTO Members that the Draft East African Standard; DEAS 1066-2: 2021, Wooden flush door shutters — Specification for cellular and hollow core type — Part 2: Particleboards and hardwood face panels, First Edition; notified in G/TBT/N/BDI/166, G/TBT/N/RWA/557, G/TBT/N/TZA/654 and G/TBT/N/UGA/1486 was adopted by the East African Community Council of Ministers on 24 February 2023.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/BDI/167/Add.1</a>	Burundi	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 16 March 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> Not Indicated	Wooden door shutters - Addendum	Burundi, Rwanda, Tanzania and Uganda would like to inform WTO Members that the Draft East African Standard; DEAS 1067: 2021, General wooden door shutters — Specification, First Edition; notified in G/TBT/N/BDI/167, G/TBT/N/RWA/558, G/TBT/N/TZA/655 and G/TBT/N/UGA/1487 was adopted by the East African Community Council of Ministers on 24 February 2023.
<a href="#">G/TBT/N/TZA/931</a>	Tanzania	<b>Date of Distribution:</b> 13 March 2023  <b>Deadline for Comments:</b> 11 May 2023	Beehives	This draft Tanzania Standard prescribes the requirements for Type A, Type B and Type C of movable frame beehives.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,

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