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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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### NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

<b>1. Notifying Member:</b> <u>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 <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 [ ], 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> Concrete poles. Articles of cement, of concrete or of artificial stone, whether or not reinforced. (HS 6810); Concrete and concrete products (ICS 91.100.30)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> DUS EAS 489:2006, Concrete poles for telephone, power and lighting purposes - Specification, (28 pages, in English).
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the characteristics of pre-cast reinforced, partially prestressed and prestressed concrete poles. Possible uses for the poles include electrical reticulation and distribution, railway traction, telephone line support, street lighting standards and high mast lighting structures.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Trade facilitation; Quality requirements; Protection of Human health or Safety; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. EAS 131, Concrete - Specification</li><li>2. ISO 1920, Testing of concrete</li><li>3. EAS 18-1, Cement - Part 1: Composition, specification and conformity criteria for common cement</li><li>4. BS EN 12620, Aggregates for concrete</li><li>5. IEC 62305, Protection against lightning</li><li>6. EAS 30, Steel bars for reinforcement of concrete - Specification</li><li>7. EAS 411-1, Steel for the prestressing of concrete - Part 1: General requirements</li><li>8. EAS 411-2, Steel for the prestressing of concrete - Part 2: Cold-drawn wire</li><li>9. EAS 411-3, Steel for the prestressing of concrete - Part 3: Quenched and tempered wire</li><li>10. EAS 411-4, Steel for the prestressing of concrete - Part 4: Strand</li><li>11. KS ISO 6934-5, Steel for the prestressing of concrete - Part 5: Hot rolled steel bars with or without subsequent processing</li><li>12. EN 934-2, Admixtures for concrete, mortar and grout - Part 2: Concrete admixtures - Definitions and requirements</li></ol>

<b>9.</b>	<b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> January 2017 <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Upon declaration as mandatory by the Minister for Trade, Industry and Cooperatives.
<b>10.</b>	<b>Final date for comments:</b> 7 November 2016
<b>11.</b>	<b>Texts available from: National enquiry point [ X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:</b> <a href="https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/UGA/16_3787_00_e.pdf">https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2016/TBT/UGA/16_3787_00_e.pdf</a>