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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>RWANDA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Rwanda Standards Board (RSB) <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>  Rwanda Standards Board KK 15 Rd, 49 P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda Tel: +250 788303492 Email: <a href="mailto:info@rsb.gov.rw">info@rsb.gov.rw</a> Website: <a href="http://www.rsb.gov.rw">www.rsb.gov.rw</a>
<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> Textile fabrics (ICS 59.080.30)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> DEAS 1016: 2019 Textiles — Maasai Shuka — Specification (12 page(s), in English)
<b>6. Description of content:</b> This Draft East African Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods of Maasai Shuka.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Protection of the environment; Quality requirements
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b>  ISO 1833 (all parts), Quantitative chemical analysis of mixed fibres ISO 6330, Domestic washing and drying procedures for textile testing ISO 3801, Mass per unit area of woven fabrics ISO 105-B01, Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part B01: Colour fastness to light: Daylight ISO 105-C10, Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part C10: Colour fastness to washing with soap or soda ISO 105-D01, Colour fastness to dry cleaning using perchloroethylene solvent ISO 105-E04, Tests for colour fastness – Part E04: Colour fastness to perspiration ISO 105-X11, Colourfastness to hot pressing ISO 105-X12, Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part X12: Colour fastness to rubbing ISO 12945-2, Textiles – Determination of the fabric propensity to surface pilling, fuzzing or matting – Part 2: Modified Martindale Method ISO 13934-1, Textiles – Tensile properties of fabrics – Part 1: Determination of maximum

	<p>force and elongation at maximum force using the strip method  ISO 13936-1, Textiles – Determination of the slippage resistance of yarns at a seam in woven fabrics – Part 1: Fixed seam opening method  ISO 13937-2, Textiles – Tear properties of fabrics – Part 2: Determination of tear force of trouser shaped specimens (Single tear method)  ISO 14362-1, Textiles – Methods for determination of certain aromatic amines derived from azo colourants – Part 1: Detection of the use of certain azo colourants accessible with and without extracting the fibres  ISO 14362-3, Textiles – Methods for determination of certain aromatic amines derived from azo colourants – Part 3: Detection of the use of certain azo colourants accessible which may release 4-aminoazobenzene  ISO 16373-2, Textiles – Dyestuffs – Part 2: General method for determination of extractable dyestuffs including allergenic and carcinogenic dyestuffs (method using pyridine-water)  ISO 16373-3, Textiles – Dyestuffs – Part 3: Method for determination of certain carcinogenic dyestuffs (method using trimethylamine/methanol)  ISO 22198, Textiles – Fabrics – Determination of width and length  ISO 24153, Random sampling and randomization procedures</p>
<b>9.</b>	<p><b>Proposed date of adoption:</b> To be determined  <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> to be determined</p>
<b>10.</b>	<p><b>Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from notification</p>
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