



NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>KENYA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Kenya Bureau of Standards 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: Kenya Bureau of Standards WTO/TBT National Enquiry Point P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Telephone: + (254) 020 605490, 605506/6948258 Fax: + (254) 020 609660/609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org ; Website: http://www.kebs.org
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): Oilseeds (ICS code(s): 67.200.20)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: DKS 693: 2023 Seed for bulb vegetable crops – Requirements for certification; (13 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: This Kenya Standard specifies minimum and quality field requirements in seed production and seed quality for bulb vegetable crops in the family <i>Alliaceae</i> that are locally produced or imported.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Quality requirements
8. Relevant documents: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The Seeds and Plant Varieties Act, Cap. 326 of the Laws of Kenya.2. Minimum seed certification standard, United States.3. International Crop Improvement Association, Publication No. 21.4. OECD Schemes for seed certification.5. KS 790: 2023 Glossary of terms for seeds
9. Proposed date of adoption: 30 September 2024 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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