



NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>BURUNDI, KENYA, RWANDA, TANZANIA, UGANDA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.ug 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:
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): Vegetable seeds, for sowing (HS code(s): 120991); Plant growing (ICS code(s): 65.020.20)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: DEAS 1265: 2025, Pea seed — Requirements for certification, First Edition; (22 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: This Draft East African Standard specifies the certification requirements for the production of pre-basic, basic and certified, and standard seed of pea (<i>Pisum sativum</i>). It covers requirements for eligible varieties, field standards, field inspections, seed sampling, laboratory requirements, certificates, packaging, labelling, and post control tests.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of animal or plant life or health; Quality requirements
8. Relevant documents: <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Schemes for Varietal Certification or the Control of Seed Moving in the International Trade2. International Union for the Protection of New Varieties of Plants (UPOV) test guidelines3. International Seed Testing Association ISTA Rules

9.	Proposed date of adoption: To be determined 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: Uganda National Bureau of Standards Plot 2-12 ByPass Link, Bweyogerere Industrial and Business Park P.O. Box 6329 Kampala, Uganda Tel: +(256) 4 1733 3250/1/2 Fax: +(256) 4 1428 6123 E-mail: info@unbs.go.ug Website: https://www.unbs.go.ug https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2025/TBT/UGA/25_03316_00_e.pdf