NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Rwanda  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Rwanda Standards Board (RSB)  **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:**  Rwanda Standards Board KK 15 Rd, 49  P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda  Tel: +250 788303492 Email: [info@rsb.gov.rw](mailto:info@rsb.gov.rw)  Website: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://www.rsb.gov.rw) |
| **3.** | **Notified under Article 2.9.2 [****X],** **2.10.1 [****],** **5.6.2 [****],** **5.7.1 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Adhesives (ICS 83.180) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DRS 480-2: 2021, Wood adhesives — Specification — Part 2: Urea-Formaldehyde Resin-based glue (13 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Rwanda Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for three types of urea-formaldehyde thermosetting resin adhesives suitable for use on wood, wood-based substrates, or plastic laminates. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Quality requirements; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  ASTM D907, Terminology for Adhesives ASTM B417, Test Method for Apparent density of non-free-flowing metal powders using the carney funnel ASTM D1875, Test methods of density of adhesives in fluid form ASTM D1490, Test Method for Non-volatile content of Urea-Formaldehyde Resin Solutions ISO 3251, Paints varnishes and plastics — Determination of non- volatile matter content ASTM D905, Test method for strength properties of adhesive bonds in shear by compression loading ASTM D906, Test method for strength properties of adhesives in plywood type construction in shear by tension loading ASTM D1583, Test methods for hydrogen ion concentration of dry adhesive films ASTM D905, Test method for strength properties of adhesive bonds in shear by compression loading ASTM D906, Test method for strength properties of adhesives in plywood type construction in shear by tension loading RS OIML R 87, Quantity of product in pre-packages ISO 15605, Adhesives — Sampling |
| **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:**  KK 15 Rd, 49  Toll Free: 3250  Tel: +250 788303492 Email: [info@rsb.gov.rw](mailto:info@rsb.gov.rw) Website: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://www.rsb.gov.rw) P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/TBT/RWA/21_4893_00_e.pdf> |