NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Tanzania  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Tanzania 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:** |
| **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):** Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs (ICS 67.250) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** AFDC 2(229) CD2 Determination of overall migration of constituents of plastics materials and articles intended to come in contact with foodstuffs- Method of analysis (8 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This standard prescribes the methods of analysis for determination of overall migration of constituents of single or multi-layered heat-sealable films, single homogenous non-sealable films, finished containers and closures for sealing as lids, in the finished form, preformed or converted form. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**   * AFDC 2 (231) CD2: Specification for plastic materials for food contact applications part 3: Colorants * AFDC 2 (227) CD2: Guide on suitability of plastics for food packaging |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** July 2021  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 6 months from adoption |
| **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:**  Contact person(s): Ms. Bahati Samillani (NEP officer) and Mr. Clavery Chausi Tanzania Bureau of Standards (TBS)  Morogoro/Sam Nujoma Road, Ubungo P O Box 9524 Dar Es Salaam  +(255) 22 2450206 [nep@tbs.go.tz](mailto:nep@tbs.go.tz); [bahati.samillani@tbs.go.tz](mailto:bahati.samillani@tbs.go.tz) <http://www.tbs.go.tz>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2021/TBT/TZA/21_2554_00_e.pdf> |