NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Uganda **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Uganda National 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):** Bed blankets; Blankets and travelling rugs (HS 6301); Home textiles. Linen (ICS 97.160) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DUS 914‑1:2019, Bed blankets — Part 1: Blankets made from suitable flame resistant fabrics — Specification, Second Edition (12 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This part of DUS 914 specifies the requirements, method of sampling and test for a flame resistant blanket composed of suitable flame resistant fabrics |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** 1. G/TBT/N/UGA/218
2. ISO 4920, Textiles — Determination of resistance to surface wetting (spray test) of fabrics
3. ISO 5659-2, Plastics — Smoke generation — Part 2: Determination of optical density by a single chamber test
4. ISO 12952-4, Textiles — Burning behaviour of bedding items — Part 4: Specific test methods for the ignitabilityby a small open flame
5. ISO 13937-1, Textiles — Tear properties of fabrics — Part 1: Determination of tear force of fabrics usingballistic pendulum method (Elmendorf)
6. ISO 14419, Textiles – Oil repellency – Hydrocarbon
7. US EAS 248, Textiles — Methods for determination of threads per centimetre in woven fabrics
8. US EAS 254, Textiles — Tear properties of fabrics — Determination of tear resistance by fallingpendulum (Elmendorf) apparatus
9. US ISO 105-B01, Textiles —Tests for colour fastness — Part B01: Colour fastness to light: Daylight
10. US ISO 105-C10, Textiles —Tests for colour fastness — Part C10: Colour fastness to washing with soap or soap and soda
11. US ISO 105-X12, Textiles —Tests for colour fastness — Part X12: Colour fastness to rubbing
12. US ISO 3801, Textiles — Woven fabrics — Determination of mass per unit length and mass per unit area
13. ISO 4589, Plastics — Determination of burning behaviour by oxygen index (all parts)
14. US ISO 5077, Textiles — Determination of dimensional change in washing and drying
15. US ISO 13934-1, Textiles —Tensile properties of fabrics — Part 1: Determination of maximum force and elongation at maximum force using the strip method
16. US 914-1:2011, Bed blankets — Part 1: Blankets made from suitable flame resistant fabrics — Specification (First Edition)
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| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** December 2019**Proposed date of entry into force:** Upon declaration as mandatory by the Minister for Trade, Industry and Cooperatives. |
| **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:** <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/UGA/19_2231_00_e.pdf> |