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 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](mailto: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 [****],** **other****:** |
| **4.** | **Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):** Refined Gold; Gold, incl. gold plated with platinum, unwrought or not further worked than semi-manufactured or in powder form (HS 7108); Other metalliferous minerals (ICS 73.060.99) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DUS 2257:2020, Refined Gold — Specification, First Edition (14 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Uganda Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and test for refined gold in cast bar form. |
| **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:**   1. DUS 2258:2020 Test Method for Chemical Analysis of Refined Gold by Direct Current Plasma Atomic Emission Spectrometry 2. ASTM B562 Standard Specification for Refined Gold 3. GDL Gold Bar Specification 4. LBMA Gold Bar Specification |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** June 2021  **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:**  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](mailto:info@unbs.go.ug) Website: <https://www.unbs.go.ug>  <https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2020/TBT/UGA/20_6561_00_e.pdf> |