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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>KENYA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):
2. Agency responsible: Kenya 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: P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Telephone: + (254) 020 605490, 605506/6948258 Fax: + (254) 020 609660/609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org
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): Radiation protection (ICS 13.280)
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: KS 2029:2019 Corpses containing radioactive materials — Safe handling — Code of practice (10 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: The Code is intended as a guide to the safe handling of the bodies of persons who have died while undergoing treatment with radioactive substances, whether sealed or unsealed, and which still retain, in or on the body, significant amounts of radioactivity. Such corpses may act as sources of ionizing radiations to which pathologists and others attending them may unknowingly be exposed. As ionizing radiations may cause adverse biological effects in those exposed to them it is desirable to keep such exposure to a minimum.
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Protection of human health or safety
8. Relevant documents: ICRP, 1996. Radiological Protection and Safety in Medicine. ICRP Publication 73. Ann. ICRP 26 (2) ICRP, 1988. Radiation Dose to Patients from Radiopharmaceuticals. ICRP Publication 53. Ann. ICRP 18 (1-4) National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements, Dose limits for individuals who receive exposure from radionuclide therapy patients, NCRP. The Radiation Protection Act, CAP 243, of the Laws of Kenya, 1985 (revised) Radiation Protection and Safety of Radiation Sources: International Basic Safety Standards, General Safety Requirements Part 3

9.	Proposed date of adoption: September 2019 Proposed date of entry into force: Upon declaration as mandatory by the relevant Cabinet Secretary
10.	Final date for comments: 2 June 2019
11.	Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body: Kenya Bureau of Standards WTO/TBT National Enquiry Point P.O. Box: 54974-00200, Nairobi, Kenya Telephone: + (254) 020 605490, 605506/6948258 Fax: + (254) 020 609660/609665 E-mail: info@kebs.org Website: http://www.kebs.org https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2019/TBT/KEN/19_2192_00_e.pdf