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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

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| 1. Notifying Member: <u>RWANDA</u> If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2): |
| 2. Agency responsible: Rwanda Standards Board (RSB) KK 15 Rd, 49 P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda Tel: +250 788303492 Email: info@rsb.gov.rw Website: www.rsb.gov.rw 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 [], 3.2 [], 7.2 [], other: |
| 4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable): (ICS code(s): 13.220.40) |
| 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: DRS 186-1: 2023, Fire safety for buildings — Code of practice — Part 1: General principles of fire grading and classification; (71 page(s), in English) |
| 6. Description of content: This Draft Rwanda Standard covers the general principles for fire grading/types and classification of buildings according to the use or the character of occupancy. |
| 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; Protection of the environment; Quality requirements; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade; Cost saving and productivity enhancement |
| 8. Relevant documents: 1. RS ISO 13943, Fire safety — Vocabulary 2. RS ISO 23932-1, Fire safety engineering — General principles — Part 1: General |
| 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 [] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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