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Číslo/Dátum	Notifikujúca strana	Charakteristika notifikácie	Pripomienková doba
G/TBT/N/BDI/724 09/03/2026	Burundi	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1326:2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First Edition;</p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L.) Willdenow var. <i>senegal</i> or <i>Acacia seyal</i> (family Leguminosae) also known as <i>Acacia gum</i> intended for human consumption</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/BDI/725 09/03/2026	Burundi	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327:2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First Edition.;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L) Wild, <i>Acacia seyal</i> (L) Wild, or of related species of <i>Acacia</i> (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/EU/1195 09/03/2026	European Union	<p><i>Single-use plastic beverage bottles that are made of polyethylene terephthalate as the major component, including caps, lids, labels and sleeves, with a volume of up to 3 litres (hereafter referred to as "PET bottles") and intermediate materials of the supply chain of recycled plastic that is used in such bottles</i></p> <p>Commission Implementing Decision laying down rules for the application of Directive (EU) 2019/904 of the European Parliament and of the Council as regards the calculation, verification and reporting of data on recycled plastic content in single-use plastic beverage bottles and repealing Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2023/2683; D113092/01 - Comitology Register;</p> <p>The implementing decision lays down rules for the calculation, verification and reporting of recycled content in PET bottles. EU Member States will have to apply these rules to demonstrate compliance with the recycled plastic content targets set in Article 6(5) of the Single-Use Plastics Directive (EU) 2019/904. The rules depend on the applied recycling technologies: For the mechanical recycling of PET, they are based on the system that is already established by EU food contact legislation (Regulation (EU) 2022/1616 on the use of recycled plastic materials in articles intended to come into contact with food). For chemical recycling, mass balance</p>	23/04/2026

accounting has to be applied, and chemical recyclers are subject to additional third-party certification. The geographical scope for the recycling (including sorting) to take place in order to allow the output to count as recycled content is part of the definition of "recycled plastic" in Article 1(1).

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This proposal amends a broad range of legislations with their various product coverages, as indicatively listed below: Food and feed obtained using genetically modified organisms, as covered by Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003. Preparations of a kind used in animal feeding, as covered by Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003. Live animals as covered by Regulation (EC) No 1099/2009. Live animals and certain commodities (bovine collagen and gelatine), as covered by Regulation (EC) No 999/2001. Biocidal Products, as covered by Regulation (EU) No 528/2012. Plants, plant products and other objects referred to in Article 47(1)(c) of Regulation (EU) 2017/625 [only for the amendment of Article 50(3)]. Plant protection products, as covered by Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009.

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Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulations (EC) No 999/2001, (EC) No 1829/2003, (EC) No 1831/2003, (EC) No 852/2004, (EC) No 853/2004, (EC) No 396/2005, (EC) No 1099/2009, (EC) No 1107/2009, (EU) No 528/2012, (EU) 2017/625 as regards the simplification and strengthening of food and feed safety requirements (Text with EEA relevance) (COM(2025) 1030 final) Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 as regards the extension of certain data protection periods (COM/2025/1020 final);

Regulation (EC) No 1829/2003: clarification of legal status of food and feed obtained using genetically modified microorganisms. Amendments to Regulation (EC) No 1831/2003: the draft act provides for 1) unlimited duration of authorisation of feed additives (except coccidiostats and histomonostats) accompanied by safety safeguards, 2) simplification and clarification of procedures for modification of feed additives authorisations and 3) allowing digital labelling of feed additives and premixtures for certain non-safety information. Regulation (EC) No 1099/2009: this part of the proposal removes the obligation in Article 18(4) of Regulation (EC) No 1099/2009 for Member States to submit a separate annual report on depopulation operations. Information on compliance with animal welfare requirements during depopulation activities will instead continue to be reported through the existing annual reports under Regulation (EU) 2017/625 on official controls. Amendment to Regulation (EC) No 999/2001: the proposal will make more flexible Regulation (EC) No 999/2001 to ensure that the control measures of that disease can be updated in a swifter and more proportionate manner to enable that it becomes more science-based and more aligned with the relevant Chapter 11.4 of the WOAH Terrestrial Code. Amendment to Regulation (EU) No 528/2012: The draft Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending

Regulation (EU) No 528/2012 proposes to extend the data protection of data of existing active substances still under evaluation in the review programme due to delays in the completion of the review programme, and also proposes a number of changes to lower administrative burden, including the possibility for certain active substances to have unlimited approval. Amendment to Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009: The draft Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council amending Regulation (EC) No 1107/2009 proposes a number of changes to lower administrative burden and allow for faster market access, without reducing the existing protection standards for health and the environment. The proposal aims to accelerate access to innovative biocontrol solutions. This will be achieved by, among others, tackling procedural inefficiencies, defining biocontrol substances, allowing provisional authorisations of products containing biocontrol substances, and reallocating or increasing resources in Member State authorities and the European Food Safety Authority. The possibility for certain active substances to have unlimited approval periods is proposed, alongside new provisions to allow for the renewal or targeted reassessment of those substances. Existing provisions concerning derogation from the approval criteria and grace periods are also amended. The proposal also intends to expand market access for plant protection products through stronger mutual recognition of product authorisations between Member States and strengthened support for minor uses. In addition, the proposal intends to clarify provisions related to basic substances, seed treatment and data protection to increase harmonisation of implementation across Member States. Amendment to Regulation (EU) 2017/625: Two amendments are proposed on the official controls Regulation (OCR): (a) Article 50(3) is amended to provide the possibility to competent authorities of border control posts to split the consignments of plants and plant products before completing the official controls on the entirety of the consignment, in order to release the parts for which official controls have been finalised while other parts still need further controls. (b) Articles 41, 93, 100 and 144 are amended so that the Commission is empowered to adopt delegated acts concerning the cases where, and the conditions under which, laboratories may be designated as official laboratories, national reference laboratories and EU reference laboratories, while operating and being accredited in accordance with similar laboratory standards to EN ISO/IEC 17025 and/or not being accredited for all the methods they use for official controls or other official activities.

[G/TBT/N/KEN/1997](#)
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Kenya

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)
DEAS 1326:2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First Edition;

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This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from *Acacia senegal* (L.) Willdenow var. *senegal* or *Acacia seyal* (family Leguminosae) also known as *Acacia gum* intended for human consumption

G/TBT/N/KEN/1998 09/03/2026	Kenya	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327:2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First Edition.;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L) Wild, <i>Acacia seyal</i> (L) Wild, or of related species of <i>Acacia</i> (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/PAN/160 09/03/2026	Panama	<p><i>Bebidas no alcohólicas (Código(s) de la ICS: 67.160.20)</i></p> <p>Reglamento Técnico Agua Envasada. Requisitos Generales (segunda Revisión);</p> <p>El presente reglamento técnico tiene como objeto establecer los requisitos fisicoquímicos, microbiológicos, organolépticos y radiológicos, así como las condiciones sanitarias que garanticen la inocuidad y calidad del agua envasada destinada al consumo humano de la República de Panamá.</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/PRY/154 09/03/2026	Paraguay	<p><i>Cemento. Si. California. Mortero (Código(s) de la ICS: 91.100.10)</i></p> <p>DECRETO N° 5507/2026 "POR EL CUAL SE ACTUALIZAN Y MODIFICAN LOS ARTÍCULOS 1° y 5° DEL DECRETO N° 18.352 DEL 26 DE AGOSTO DE 2002".</p> <p>DECRETO N° 5507/2026 "POR EL CUAL SE ACTUALIZAN Y MODIFICAN LOS ARTÍCULOS 1° y 5° DEL DECRETO N° 18.352 DEL 26 DE AGOSTO DE 2002".</p>	
G/TBT/N/RWA/1366 09/03/2026	Rwanda	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1326:2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First Edition;</p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L.) Willdenow var. <i>senegal</i> or <i>Acacia seyal</i> (family Leguminosae) also known as <i>Acacia gum</i> intended for human consumption</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/RWA/1367 09/03/2026	Rwanda	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327:2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First Edition.;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L) Wild, <i>Acacia seyal</i> (L) Wild, or of related species of <i>Acacia</i> (Family. Leguminosae) raw</p>	08/05/2026

material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.

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Slovenia

Childcare articles

08/05/2026

REGULATION on the restriction of CMR 1A/1B substances in childcare articles

The Regulation temporarily restricts the presence of carcinogenic, mutagenic and toxic to reproduction substances of category 1A or 1B (CMR 1A/1B) in childcare products placed on the market in the Republic of Slovenia. It is based on Articles 50 and 51 of the Chemicals Act and was adopted due to a justified risk to children's health. The Regulation stipulates that these products may not contain CMR 1A/1B substances in a concentration $\geq 0.001\%$ (10 mg/kg) in any homogeneous material, except where even stricter limits are prescribed for specific substances. Exceptions are also provided for: used products, parts inaccessible to children, and medical devices. The Regulation defines the concept of childcare products, the obligations of manufacturers, importers and distributors, and the method of control, which includes the requirement for technical documentation and laboratory analyses. The measure is temporary and, in accordance with the law, the Government must review it no later than within one year and, based on new findings, decide on its abolition, extension or amendment.

[G/TBT/N/TZA/1521](#)
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Tanzania

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)

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DEAS 1326:2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First Edition;

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Tanzania

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)

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DEAS 1327:2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First Edition.;

This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from *Acacia senegal* (L) Wild, *Acacia seyal* (L) Wild, or of related species of *Acacia* (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure

		product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.	
G/TBT/N/UGA/2323 09/03/2026	Uganda	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Agriculture (ICS code(s): 65); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1326:2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First Edition;</p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L.) Willdenow var. <i>senegal</i> or <i>Acacia seyal</i> (family Leguminosae) also known as <i>Acacia gum</i> intended for human consumption</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/UGA/2324 09/03/2026	Uganda	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food additives (ICS code(s): 67.220.20)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327:2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First Edition.;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L) Wild, <i>Acacia seyal</i> (L) Wild, or of related species of <i>Acacia</i> (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.</p>	08/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1523 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Other: (HS code(s): 10019); Food technology (ICS code(s): 67)</i></p> <p>AFDC 19 (3891) DTZS,Pumpkin seeds — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for seeds obtained from pumpkin (<i>Cucurbita pepo</i> L.) intended for human consumption.This standard applies to raw and roasted pumpkin seeds which may be hulled (green pepitas) or unhulled (white shell) Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1524 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>(HS code(s): 071290); Vegetables and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.20)</i></p> <p>AFDC 12 (4152) DTZS,Dried vegetables and herbs for food use — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania standard specifies requirements and methods of sampling and test for dried vegetables and herbs for food use, offered for direct human consumption or further processing.This standard does not apply to vegetables powder/flour and herbs for which specific standards have been declared Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1525 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i></p>	09/05/2026

		<p>AFDC 12 (4153) DTZS, Sugar free carbonated soft drinks –specification, First edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements and methods of sampling and testing for sugar free carbonated soft drinks of which only non-nutritive sweeteners are used as sweetening agent. Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	
G/TBT/N/TZA/1526 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i> AFDC 12 (4154) DTZS, Artificially sweetened flavoured drink in solid form —Specification, Second edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, methods of sampling and test for artificially sweetened flavoured drinks in solid form intended for human consumption for people on diet as a ready to drink beverage after reconstitution with potable water Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1527 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Dried vegetables, whole, cut, sliced, broken or in powder, but not further prepared (HS code(s): 0712); Vegetables and derived products (ICS code(s): 67.080.20)</i> AFDC 12 (4155) DTZS, Amaranth flour — Specification, Third edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, methods of sampling and testing for amaranth flour milled from grains of the amaranth intended for human consumption. Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1528 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i> AFDC 12 (4156), Flavoured drink in solid form — Specification, Third edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for flavoured drink in solid form containing nutritive sweeteners intended for human consumption as a ready to drink beverage after reconstitution with potable water Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1529 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i> AFDC 12 (4156) DTZS, Tamarind (ukwaju) pulp – Specification, Second edition; This Tanzania standard specifies the requirements, methods of sampling and testing for tamarind pulp, obtained from the mature fruits of Tamarindus indica intended for human consumption Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026

G/TBT/N/TZA/1530 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i></p> <p>AFDC 12 (4158) DTZS, Baobab fruit powder — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania standard specifies the requirements, methods of sampling and testing for Baobab fruit powder (<i>Adansonia digitata</i>) intended for human consumption and industrial use</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1531 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Non-alcoholic beverages (excl. water, fruit or vegetable juices, milk and beer) (HS code(s): 220299); Non-alcoholic beverages (ICS code(s): 67.160.20)</i></p> <p>AFDC 12 (4182) DTZS, Ginger drink — Specification, Second edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania standard specifies requirements, method of sampling and testing for non-alcoholic ginger drink for direct human consumption</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1532 10/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Flour, meal and powder of peas, beans, lentils and the other dried leguminous vegetables of heading 0713 (HS code(s): 110610); Processes in the food industry (ICS code(s): 67.020)</i></p> <p>AFDC6 (3986) DTZS, Biofortified bean flour - Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for bio fortified bean flour obtained from biofortified beans (<i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.) intended for human consumption.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	09/05/2026
G/TBT/N/CHL/789 11/03/2026	Chile	<p><i>Calderas</i></p> <p>Anteproyecto de Norma de Emisión para Calderas;</p> <p>Este documento presenta el anteproyecto de la norma de emisión para calderas, actualmente en etapa de consulta ciudadana. Su objetivo es regular las emisiones de material particulado (MP), óxidos de nitrógeno (NOx), dióxido de azufre (SO2) y mercurio (Hg), provenientes de calderas, con el fin de prevenir y proteger la salud de la población y el medio ambiente. Esta normativa, la primera de alcance nacional en Chile, será aplicable en todo el territorio a fuentes nuevas y existentes, incluyendo sistemas de cogeneración y calderas recuperadoras con combustión auxiliar.</p>	10/05/2026
G/TBT/N/IND/430 11/03/2026	India	<p><i>HSN 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 62, 63</i></p> <p>THE HANDLOOM MARK STANDARDS (LABELLING AND DISPLAY) REGULATIONS, 2025;</p> <p>The "Draft - The Handloom Mark Standards (Labelling and Display) Regulations, 2025" is a draft regulatory framework proposed to be issued under Section 23 of the Textiles Committee Act, 1963 under Ministry of Textiles and aligned with the certification trade mark provisions of the Trade Marks Act, 1999. This Regulation intended for governing the use, labelling, display, monitoring, and</p>	31/03/2026

		enforcement of the Handloom Mark in India. The document establishes a comprehensive legal and administrative mechanism to regulate authenticity claims relating to handloom products.	
G/TBT/N/SEN/18 12/03/2026	Senegal	<p><i>Règlement Technique en vigueur</i></p> <p>Accumulateurs au plomb, pour le démarrage des moteurs à piston (sauf hors d'usage) (Code(s) du SH : 850710); (Code(s) de l'ICS : 29.220.20)</p> <p>Le présent arrêté fixe les modalités de contrôle de conformité aux normes des batteries d'accumulateurs de démarrage à plomb au Sénégal. La mise à la consommation des batteries d'accumulateur de démarrage fabriquées localement ou importées est soumise à une autorisation préalable délivrée par la Direction du Commerce Intérieur.</p>	
G/TBT/N/BDI/726 13/03/2026	Burundi	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327: 2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First edition;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L) Wild, <i>Acacia seyal</i> (L) Wild, or of related species of <i>Acacia</i> (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/BDI/727 13/03/2026	Burundi	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1326: 2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from <i>Acacia senegal</i> (L.) Willdenow var. <i>senegal</i> or <i>Acacia seyal</i> (family Leguminosae) also known as <i>Acacia gum</i> intended for human consumption.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/CAN/774 13/03/2026	Canada	<p><i>Phenethyl bromide (HS code: 290399)</i></p> <p><i>Phenethyl chloride (HS code: 290399)</i></p> <p><i>Phenethyl iodide (HS code: 290399)</i></p> <p><i>Propionic anhydride (HS code: 291590)</i></p> <p><i>Benzyl chloride (HS code: 290399)</i></p> <p>Order Amending Schedule VI to the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (Additional Fentanyl Precursors Regulations Amending the Precursor Control Regulations (Additional Fentanyl Precursors))</p> <p>The purpose of this notification is to inform members that on March 11, 2026, Canada published permanent controls for phenethyl bromide, phenethyl chloride, phenethyl iodide,</p>	

propionic anhydride, and benzyl chloride by adding them to Schedule VI of the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act and to the Schedule to the Precursor Control Regulations. The permanent controls come into force on April 12, 2026 (phenethyl bromide, propionic anhydride, and benzyl chloride are already temporarily controlled in Canada under a Ministerial Order). With these amendments, any person not authorized to conduct regulated activities with the five precursors will be subject to offences and penalties.

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Creosote and Creosote-related substances, when used for the treatment of wood:

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- Creosote; wash oil;*
- Creosote oil; wash oil;*
- Distillates (coal tar), naphthalene oils; naphthalene oil;*
- Creosote oil, acenaphthene fraction; wash oil;*
- Distillates (coal tar), upper; heavy anthracene oil;*
- Anthracene oil;*
- Tar acids, coal, crude; crude phenols;*
- Low temperature tar oil, alkaline; extract residues (coal), low temperature coal tar alkaline.*
- Wood treated with the above substances*

Draft COMMISSION REGULATION (EU) .../...of XXX amending Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 of the European Parliament and of the Council concerning the Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals (REACH) as regards creosote and creosote-related substances

This draft Regulation is intended to update the existing entry 31 of Annex XVII to Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006.

For creosote and creosote-related substances used for the treatment of wood, the draft Commission Regulation updates the conditions for derogations aligning them with conditions of the use of the substances under the Biocidal Product Regulation (Regulation (EU) 528/2012), which are stricter than the current conditions of entry 31 with regard to packaging and labelling (see para.s 2 and 3 in Column 2 in the Annex).

The draft Commission Regulation further updates the restriction for wood treated with the listed creosote and creosote-related substances. It aligns the existing restriction with relevant provisions for the substances under the Biocidal Product Regulation for wood placed on the market for the first time (see para.s 5(a), 6 and 7 in Column 2 in the Annex). It further updates the provisions of the existing restriction for the further placing of such wood on the market, to complement the provisions under the Biocidal Products Regulation, which only covers the first placing on the market of wood (see para.s 5(b), 6, 7 and 8 in Column 2 in the Annex).

Derogations from the ban for creosote-treated wood relate to the placing on the market and use of treated wood for two uses, i.e. the use as railway sleepers or as utility poles for electricity or telecommunication but is limited to those EU Member States that still permit such use.

[G/TBT/N/KEN/1999](#)
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Kenya

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)

12/05/2026

DEAS 1327: 2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First edition;

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Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.

[G/TBT/N/KEN/2000](#)
13/03/2026

Kenya

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)

12/05/2026

DEAS 1326: 2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First edition;

This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from *Acacia senegal* (L.) Willdenow var. *senegal* or *Acacia seyal* (family Leguminosae) also known as *Acacia gum* intended for human consumption.

Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.

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Rwanda

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)

12/05/2026

DEAS 1327: 2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First edition;

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Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.

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Rwanda

Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)

12/05/2026

DEAS 1326: 2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First edition;

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G/TBT/N/TZA/1533 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Live animals (excl. horses, asses, mules, hinnies, bovine animals, swine, sheep, goats, poultry, fish, crustaceans, molluscs and other aquatic invertebrates, and microorganic cultures etc.) (HS code(s): 0106); Animal husbandry and breeding (ICS code(s): 65.020.30)</i> AFDC 31 (3448) DTZS.Day-old chicks— Specifications,First edition This Tanzania standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for day old chicks intended for use as layers and broilers. It excludes day old chicks from other domesticated poultry Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1534 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Bovine semen (HS code(s): 051110); Animal husbandry and breeding (ICS code(s): 65.020.30)</i> AFDC 31 (3447) DTZS, Frozen semen from breeding bull — Specifications, First edition; This Tanzania standard specifies technical, biological and veterinary requirements applicable to frozen semen from breeding bulls. It also provides guidelines for transportation of semen.This standard excludes frozen semen from other domesticated animals Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1535 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>MEAT AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL (HS code(s): 02); Meat and meat products (ICS code(s): 67.120.10)</i> AFDC (4298) DTZS , Goat carcasses and meat cuts — Specification, First edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for goat carcasses and meat cuts intended for human consumption Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1536 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>(HS code(s): 0207); Meat and meat products (ICS code(s): 67.120.10)</i> AFDC 22(4330) DTZS, Chilled and frozen Ostrich meat — Specification, First edition; This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for chilled and frozen ostrich meat intended for human consumption Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1537 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Essential oils other than those of citrus fruit: (HS code(s): 33012); Essential oils (ICS code(s): 71.100.60)</i> AFDC 7 (4025) DTZS, Essential oil of cardamom - Specification, First edition; Submits to Public Consultation the</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1538 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Cheese and curd (HS code(s): 0406); Cheese (ICS code(s): 67.100.30)</i> AFDC 14 (3721) DTZS, Holomo cheese – Specification, First edition;</p>	12/05/2026

		<p>This Tanzania standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for holomo cheese intended for direct consumption or for further processing.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	
G/TBT/N/TZA/1539 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Turf, of man-made textile materials, tufted "needle punched", whether or not made up (excl. of nylon or other polyamides) (HS code(s): 570331); Floor coverings (ICS code(s): 97.150)</i></p> <p>DTZS 3955: 2026, Textile Floor Covering — artificial grass carpet made of synthetic yarn for landscape — specification, First Edition;</p> <p>1.1 This Draft Tanzania Standard specifies sampling, the constructional particulars and performance requirements of tufted artificial grass made from polypropylene fibrillated yarn, polyethylene monofilament yarn or combination of both.</p> <p>1.2 This Draft Tanzania Standard does not specify the general appearance, design and size of artificial grass carpet.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1540 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Cheese and curd (HS code(s): 0406); Cheese (ICS code(s): 67.100.30)</i></p> <p>DARS 1038:2025, Karish cheese — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for cheeses in brine intended for direct consumption or for further processing</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1541 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Other: (HS code(s): 04029); Milk and processed milk products (ICS code(s): 67.100.10)</i></p> <p>AFDC 14 (4313) DTZS, Whey milk drink — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for whey milk drink intended for direct human consumption.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1542 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1327: 2026, Harvesting, handling, processing and storage of Gum Arabic — Code of practice, First edition;</p> <p>This draft Code of practice recommends appropriate hygienic practices for harvesting, processing, handling, packaging, storage, transport, distribution of Gum Arabic from Acacia senegal (L) Wild, Acacia seyal (L) Wild, or of related species of Acacia (Family. Leguminosae) raw material collection at the farm level to the final product intended for food application. This Code guarantees a safe, hygienic and wholesome product. These hygienic practices are particularly important, because hygiene control measures apply to Gum Arabic of different species from the farm to industry. It establishes practices to ensure product safety, quality traceability and compliance with relevant standards across the entire value chain</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026

G/TBT/N/TZA/1543 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>MEAT AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL (HS code(s): 02); Meat and meat products (ICS code(s): 67.120.10)</i></p> <p>AFDC (4297) DTZS, Lamb and mutton carcasses and meat cuts — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for fresh, chilled and frozen lamb and mutton carcasses and meat cuts intended for human consumption</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1544 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040)</i></p> <p>DEAS 1326: 2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This draft East African Standard specifies requirements, sampling and test methods for food grade Gum Arabic obtained from Acacia senegal (L.) Willdenow var. senegal or Acacia seyal (family Leguminosae) also known as Acacia gum intended for human consumption.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1545 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>SUGARS AND SUGAR CONFECTIONERY (HS code(s): 17); Sugar and sugar products (ICS code(s): 67.180.10)</i></p> <p>AFDC 15 (2800) DTZS, Soft candies - Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements and methods of sampling and testing for soft candies intended for human consumption. This standard does not apply to toffee, caramel and fudges in which specific national standard is available</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1546 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>SUGARS AND SUGAR CONFECTIONERY (HS code(s): 17); Sugar and sugar products (ICS code(s): 67.180.10)</i></p> <p>AFDC 15 (3835) DTZS, Liquid candies – Specification, First edition;</p> <p>This Tanzania Standard specifies requirements and methods of sampling and testing for liquid candies intended for human consumption.</p> <p>Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1547 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>Petroleum jelly (HS code(s): 271210); Cosmetics. Toiletries (ICS code(s): 71.100.70)</i></p> <p>TBS/CDC 3(4243) DTZS, Petroleum jelly for cosmetic industry — Specification, Third Edition;</p> <p>This Draft Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for petroleum jelly used in the cosmetic industry. This Draft Tanzania Standard applies to petroleum jelly used in the manufacture of various types of cosmetics, such as creams, lipsticks, hair dressings, lubricating creams, rouges, foundation creams of a greasy type, and employed as an emollient for chapped skin.</p>	12/05/2026
G/TBT/N/TZA/1548 13/03/2026	Tanzania	<p><i>MEAT AND EDIBLE MEAT OFFAL (HS code(s): 02); Meat and meat products (ICS code(s): 67.120.10)</i></p>	12/05/2026

DTZS: 2026, Chicken meat — Specification, First edition;

This Tanzania Standard specifies the requirements, sampling and test methods for raw and spiced chicken "Gallus domesticus" meat carcasses or parts intended for human consumption

Note: This Draft Tanzania Standard was also notified under SPS committee.

[G/TBT/N/UGA/2325](#) Uganda
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Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040) 12/05/2026

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Natural gum Arabic (HS code(s): 130120); Food products in general (ICS code(s): 67.040) 12/05/2026

DEAS 1326: 2026, Gum Arabic — Specification, First edition;

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