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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: Kenya Bureau of Standards 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): Wood technology processes (ICS 79.020).
5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: KS 2776:2017 Inspection and supplemental treatment of treated wooden utility poles (28 page(s), in English)
6. Description of content: The standard covers the field inspection of in-service wooden utility poles to determine damage done by physical and/ or biological factors and the supplemental treatments to be used for prolonging the serviceability of the poles
7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: Quality requirements
8. Relevant documents: SANS 10324 Ed.1.01 (2007) -Inspection and supplemental treatment of treated wooden utility poles.
9. Proposed date of adoption: March 2018 Proposed date of entry into force: Upon declaration as mandatory by the Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Industry, Trade and Cooperatives
10. Final date for comments: 11 March 2018

11. Texts available from: National enquiry point [X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:

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