NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** Botswana  **If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):** |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:**  Ministry of Investment Trade and Industry  Private Bag 004  Gaborone  Tel: (+267) 3601200  **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:**  Botswana Bureau of Standards  Private Bag BO 48  Gaborone  Botswana  Tel: (+267) 3903200  Fax: (+267) 3903120  Toll Free Number: (0800 600 900)  Email: [infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw](mailto:infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw) |
| **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):** Home economics in general (ICS 97.020). |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** BOS IEC 60065:2014, Audio, video and similar electronic apparatus – Safety requirements (340 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This safety Standard applies to electronic apparatus designed to be fed from the mains, from a supply apparatus, from batteries or from remote power feeding and intended for reception, generation, recording or reproduction of audio, video and associated signals. It also applies to apparatus designed to be used exclusively in combination with the above-mentioned apparatus.  This standard primarily concerns apparatus intended for household and similar general use but which may be also used in places for public assembly such as schools, theatres, places of worship and the workplace. This standard concerns only safety aspects of the above apparatus. It does not concern other matters, such as style or performance. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Protection of human health or safety; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:**  IEC 60068-2-6:2007  IEC 60068-2-31:2008  IEC 60068-2-75  IEC 60068-2-78  IEC 60085  IEC 60086-4  IEC 60107-1 |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:**  To be determined  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 12 months from date of publication |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** Two months from date of circulation |
| **11.** | **Texts available from: National enquiry point [****X] or address, telephone and fax numbers and email and website addresses, if available, of other body:**  Botswana Bureau of Standards Information Centre Private Bag BO 48 Gaborone Botswana Tel: (+267) 3903200 Fax: (+267) 3903120 Toll Free Number: (0800 600 900) Email: [infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw](mailto:infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw) |