NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

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| **1.** | **Notifying Member:** RWANDA**If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):**  |
| **2.** | **Agency responsible:** Rwanda Standards Board (RSB)KK 15 Rd, 49P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, RwandaTel: +250 788303492Email: info@rsb.gov.rwWebsite: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://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):** Paper products in general (ICS code(s): 85.080.01) |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** DRS 555: 2023, Painting of structures in aggressive chemical environment— Code of practice; (15 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Draft Rwanda Standard provides guidelines in the selection of protective coating for painting of metallic, concrete and other types of surface of structures subjected to different chemical environment. It also brieflydescribes various types of coatings and the processes of surface preparation for painting. |
| **7.** | **Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:** Consumer information, labelling; Prevention of deceptive practices and consumer protection; Quality requirements; Reducing trade barriers and facilitating trade |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** 1. RS ISO 4618, Paints and varnishes — Terms and definitions
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| **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:** Rwanda Standards Board (RSB)KK 15 Rd, 49Toll Free: 3250Tel: +250 788303492Email: info@rsb.gov.rwWebsite: [www.rsb.gov.rw](http://www.rsb.gov.rw) P.O.BOX 7099, Kigali, Rwanda<https://members.wto.org/crnattachments/2023/TBT/RWA/23_0530_00_e.pdf> |