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  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):** Electric tools (ICS 25.140.20). |
| **5.** | **Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:** BOS IEC 60745-2-3:2010/Amd1 + Amd2:2012, Hand-held motor-operated electric tools — Safety – Part 2-3: Particular requirements for grinders, polishers and disk-type sanders (71 page(s), in English) |
| **6.** | **Description of content:** This Safety Standard deals with the safety of hand-held motor-operated or magnetically driven electric tools, the rated voltage of the tools being not more than 250 V for single-phase a.c. or d.c. tools, and 440 V for three-phase a.c. tools. This standard deals with the common hazards presented by hand-held tools which are encountered by all persons in the normal use and reasonably foreseeable misuse of tools. It applies to grinders, polishers and disk-type sanders, including angle, straight and vertical loads, with a rated capacity not exceeding 230 mm. For grinders, the rated speed does not exceed a peripheral speed of the accessory of 80 m/s at rated capacity. |
| **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; Quality requirements |
| **8.** | **Relevant documents:** IEC 60745-2 |
| **9.** | **Proposed date of adoption:** 28 December 2018  **Proposed date of entry into force:** 28 June 2019 |
| **10.** | **Final date for comments:** 27 August 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:**  BOTSWANA BUREAU OF STANDARDS PRIVATE BAG BO 48 GABORONE BOTSWANA TEL: (+267) 3903200 FAX: (+267) 3903120 EMAIL: [infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw](mailto:infoc@hq.bobstandards.bw) |