

# WORLD TRADE ORGANIZATION

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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

<b>1. Member to Agreement notifying:</b> <u>KENYA</u> <b>If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):</b>
<b>2. Agency responsible:</b> Kenya Bureau Of Standards (KEBS) <b>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:</b>
<b>3. Notified under Article 2.9.2 [ X ], 2.10.1 [ ], 5.6.2 [ ], 5.7.1 [ ], other:</b>
<b>4. Products covered (HS or CCCN where applicable, otherwise national tariff heading. ICS numbers may be provided in addition, where applicable):</b> Wood mosaic parquet — Specification (HS: 441830)
<b>5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document:</b> DKS 448:2009 Wood mosaic parquet — Specification (7 pages, in English).
<b>6. Description of content:</b> Specifies the requirements, for materials, dimensions and physical characteristics of wood parquet panel used for flooring. This is the second edition of this standard. The changes done in this edition is on the number of fingers in the component module. While the first edition did restrict the number of fingers in a component module to five this edition allows for diversity thus enabling maximum use of waste material from other manufacturing process.
<b>7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable:</b> Consumer Safety
<b>8. Relevant documents:</b> KS 02-448:1984
<b>9. Proposed date of adoption:</b> 27 July 2009 <b>Proposed date of entry into force:</b> Upon gazetting by the minister for trade
<b>10. Final date for comments:</b> 60 days from the dates of notification

**11. Text available from: National enquiry point [ X], or address, telephone and fax numbers, e-mail and web-site addresses, if available of the other body:**

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