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Committee on Technical Barriers to Trade

(17-5023)

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NOTIFICATION

The following notification is being circulated in accordance with Article 10.6

1. Notifying Member: <u>JAMAICA</u>

If applicable, name of local government involved (Article 3.2 and 7.2):

2. Agency responsible: Bureau of Standards Jamaica

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:

Regional and International Office – Trade Secretariat 6 Winchester Road Kingston 10 Jamaica W.I. Email: <u>info@bsj.org.jm</u> Website: <u>http://www.bsj.org.jm</u> Tel.:1 (876) 926-3140-5/618-1534/ 632-4275 Fax: 1 (876) 929-4736

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):** Hydraulic Cements (Chemical Test Method). (ICS: 91.100.10).
- 5. Title, number of pages and language(s) of the notified document: Jamaican Standard Chemical Test Methods for Hydraulic Cements (29 page(s), in English)
- **6. Description of content:** This Jamaican Standard describes the procedures for the chemical analysis of hydraulic cement.
- 7. Objective and rationale, including the nature of urgent problems where applicable: This document was revised with the intention of providing the reference procedures and, in certain cases, an alternative method which can be considered as giving equivalent results for the analysis of hydraulic cement. In the case of dispute, only the reference procedures are used.
- **8. Relevant documents:** A notice of the Jamaican Standard Chemical Test Methods for Hydraulic Cement will appear in The Jamaica Gazette Supplement Proclamations, Rules and Regulations. The document will appear as a Jamaican Standard, Method of Test, with mandatory status, and will be available for sale.
- **9. Proposed date of adoption:** Date of publication in the Jamaica Gazette Supplement Proclamations, Rules and Regulations.

Proposed date of entry into force: Six months following date of publication in the Jamaica Gazette Supplement - Proclamations, Rules and Regulations.

10. Final date for comments: 28 October 2017

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

The full text of the proposed technical regulation (mandatory standard) can be directly accessed on the website of the Bureau Standards Jamaica: <u>http://www.bsj.org.jm</u>