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THE MANAGING DIRECTOR KENYA BUREAU OF STANDARDS POPO ROAD, OFF MOMBASA ROAD P.O BOX 54974 - 00200, NAIROBI KENYA

Dear Sir,

RE: REQUEST FOR DEVELOPMENT OF KENYAN STANDARD FOR NORBIXIN POWDER

We are writing to request Kenya bureau of Standards to advice on the way forward in the development of a Kenyan standard for the Norbixin Natural food colour powder.

Kenya Bixa is an Agro based company situated at Tiwi, Ukunda, Kwale County in the South Coast of Kenya. The company commenced operations in 1979 and was initially designed to manufacture 10 Tons per year of Norbixin Powder but has since been upgraded to a processing capacity of 120 Tons of Norbixin Powder per year.

The company has built a good reputation as a processor and exporter of Annatto Ford colors and its byproducts of very high quality that meets international standards for the last 38 year.

Looking forward for your kind response

Yours Faithfully

David Kisa

GENERAL MANAGER