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Botswana Bureau of Standards (BOBS), in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic, has developed a standard specification for hand sanitizers BOS 844:2020 Hand sanitizer (alcohol based) - Specification. This specification may be referred to in the manufacturing and procurement of hand sanitizers. The public and industry is reminded that as per the Emergency Powers (COVID-19 Regulations, 2020) published on 2nd April 2020, compliance to the standard is mandatory. Therefore, all manufacturers and procuring entities of this product should adhere to the requirements of this standard.

BOBS is amongst facilities that provides testing services for hand sanitizers (alcohol-based) in accordance with this standard.

BOBS shall provide the standard for FREE to Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs). To access the standards SMEs shall provide Copies of Company Registration Certificate, Place of Operation (Physical Address), and a Trading license in order to be availed the standard. Where a hard copy is required courier charges shall be borne by the requesting SME.

THE STANDARD IS AVAILABLE AT BOBS HEAD OFFICE AND FRANCISTOWN BRANCH.
IT COSTS P155 A COPY (FOR NON-SMES), FROM 830AM TO 4PM DAILY DURING THE WEEK.

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