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ANNOUNCEMENT

The Rwanda Standards Board (RSB) wishes to inform manufacturers, traders and importers of protective helmets for motorcycles and moped users as well as the general public that Rwanda has established a National Standard **RS 576:2024 - Protective helmets for motorcycle and moped users — Specifications** as published in Official Gazette n° 34 of 19/08/2024. The standard provides requirements for construction of helmet, comprehensive methodologies for testing the helmet to evaluate its performance and key requirements for retention system.

RSB therefore takes this opportunity to inform those mentioned in this announcement and all interested parties in the published standard to liaise with the institution for any further technical support they would require in the implementation of the standard. To access the standard, please visit our standards web portal: <https://portal.rsb.gov.rw/index.php> or visit our website: www.rsb.gov.rw, click on E-services and follow the prompts.

RSB appreciates everyone's cooperation to protect safety of motorcycle users through compliance with the published standard.

For further information, please call the toll-free number 3250 or 0788303492.

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