

BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS
(Haryana Branch Office)

25-07-2024

Our Ref: P-16819

Subject: Discreet Investigation of M/s Shri Ram and Group

Date of Visit: 19-07-2024

Place of Visit: M/s Aggrawal Industries and Chemicals(Address-Vill. Kami Mazra,Khajuri Road,Yamunanagar,Haryana-135001)

Purpose of Visit: Visit regarding Misuse of BIS Standard Mark

Details: - Based on the information available through investigation dated 10-06-2024 provided by PTBO, investigation was carried out at M/s Aggrawal Industries and Chemicals(Address-Vill.Kami Mazra,Khajuri Road,Yamunanagar,Haryana-135001) on 19-07-2024.During the visit following observation was made:-

The undersigned went to the factory as a BIS officer where Mr. Bharat Bhusan (Prop.of M/s Aggrawal Industries and Chemicals) was available. Without providing any information regarding the concern complain, the undersigned requested Prop. Mr. Bharat Bhusan for checking the stock and stenciling/marketing area in the concern factory premises on which Bharat Bhusan agreed by saying we have recently got the BIS license and you may check the factory. The undersigned checked stocks and stenciling/printing material but no stocks and no stenciling of IS 2202 or ISI mark with CM/L 4881482 were found. No misuse of standard mark observed during the verification of stocks and stenciling/printing material. After checking stocks and stenciling/printing material, the undersigned explained the reason for the verification and shown the invoice and photos of the concern sample under complaint and requested Mr. Bharat Bhusan to check and confirm whether the invoice and the material has been sold by your firm or not. At first, Mr Bharat Bhusan denied selling of the of concern material but on emphasizing that the concern Shopkeeper M/s Shiv Shakti Ply and Glass has given in writing that products had been sold by your firm and shown the samples under complaint again for the verification of marking like brand and other details on which Mr. Bharat Bhusan accepted the concern product under complaint had been marked and sold by him. Mr. Bharat Bhusan further got emotional and said "I can not tell lies anymore and I accept my mistake. Due to demand of only ISI mark product from his consignee M/s Shiv Shakti Ply and Glass, he used the CM/L 4881482 which were once held by his cousin brother's firm M/s Jai

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Hanuman Wood Industries." Upon querying regarding the last date of production and supply of the ISI mark product of IS 2202, he said that the last time he manufactured and supplied material was in September 2023 to M/s Shiv Shakti Ply and Glass with the same invoice which is under complain. He further added that "I have made a huge mistake because of improper knowledge without knowing the consequences and I accept my mistake and will not do such practice in future. He also informed that recently he got two license of IS 303(CM/L-9100198712) and IS 1659 (CM/L-9100198813) on this premises and currently planning to apply for license of IS 2202. Upon requesting to, Mr. Bharat Bhusan gave the same in writing on his firm's letterhead and requested to forgive him(Letter is attached).


Conclusion: No physical and documentary evidence of misuse of BIS standard mark observed during the investigation however Mr. Bharat Bhusan(Prop. of M/s Aggrawal Industries and Chemicals) accepted the misuse of BIS standard mark in a goodwill.

Recommendation: Firm's Prop. Mr. Bharat Bhusan accepted the misuse of BIS standard mark which is the violation of Section 17.(3) of BIS Act 2016 and same has been taken in writing. However, no material evidence were found in factory premises and hence it is recommended an enforcement raid may be conducted at the shop of M/s Shiv Shakti Ply and Glass(Pali Road,Dehri on Sone,Rohtas,Bihar) by PTBO (where ISI marks products were available) to seize the material evidence and further prosecution may be processed as per Section 29.(3) of BIS Act 2016.


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