

## UTPRARIT CONSUMER FOUNDATION

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To, Head (Consumer Affairs Department), Bureau of Indian Standards, Room No. 560, Mankalaya, 9, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110002.

# **Reg:** Complaint against accused persons for misusing ISI mark and manufacturing helmets to cheat the consumers without obtaining valid license or ISI mark from BIS for committing the offence U/S 318 of IPC, Violations U/s 11, 17 (3), 26 (1) of Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016

## Sir, BACKGROUND

- 1. We are the NGO engaged in the Protection of the interests of the consumers. Few companies and manufacturers indulge into unfair trade Practices and try to cheat and misguide the customers by way of misrepresentation and false declarations. By doing such Illegal Acts they try to Risk the Lives of the consumers at Stake for petty but unlawful gains. We protect the rights of the consumer by enlightening them and by taking action against the entities who try to cheat the customers by way of misrepresentation and false declarations under and as per the provisions of the established Law of the Land.
- 2. This may not be out of place to mention that many lives are lost in the accidents in India due to the sub-standard Poor Quality of the Helmets. Here it may be necessary to mention that Government of India has put certain items in a list for which obtaining ISI mark has been made mandatory. The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) has circulated a

notification according to which the all helmets manufactured and sold in the Indian market will have to bear the ISI mark from 1st June 2021. This can be interpreted as a ban on non-BIS certified helmets, under the compulsory BIS certification and the publication of the Quality Control Order (QCO). Any helmet manufactured or sold and is not certified under IS 4151:2015 will be an offence. Now, helmets have also been put in the mandatory list by the government from 01 June 2021

#### **Present Complaint**

- 3. We intend to bring it to your kind notice that in the event of happenings one manufacturer under your jurisdiction i.e. WRANGLER HELMETS bearing BIS CML NO. 8024256 which is expired as per BIS status, having office at address: Khasra No. 158, Raipur Industrial Area, Bhagwanpur Haridwar, Uttarakhandi is manufacturing and selling helmets without obtaining any valid license from BIS from it's BIS registered address.
- 4. That the status as per BIS records, the status of Wrangler helmets is expired, but the entity is still manufacturing false ISI mark helmets without obtaining any valid license from BIS from it's BIS registered address. That after conducting a market survey we visited the entity whereby it was seen manufacturing such faulty helmets obtaining license to manufacture such helmets.
- 5. Furthermore, It was observed that the helmets of the entity is also being sold at large on e commerce platforms. The link of the e commerce platform is attached herewith :

https://m.shopclues.com/wr-endeavor-aero.-black-endeavor-modified-withaerodynamic-cap-and-visor-open-face-helmet-black-l-151242052.html?ref=t\_0

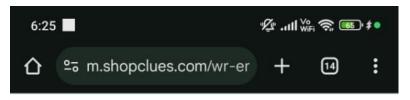
- 6. As such we request you to kindly take a suitable action against the defaulter company by Making a Raid and seizing the material being manufactured illegally.
- You are also requested to please file an FIR against the Firm/ Company under the provisions of U/S 318 BNS, Violations U/S 11, 17(3), 26(1) of Bureau of Indian Standards Act 2016.

Kind Regards,

For UTPRARIT CONSUMER FOUNDATION

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## **Product Details**

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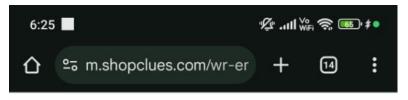


WR-ENDEAVOR AERO. BLACK Endeavor Modified with Aerodynamic Cap and Visor Open Face Helmet (Black, L

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Product ID: 151242052

| Product Description                         | Specifica                                                          | ation                                                                                                      | Legal Information                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| Maximum Retail Price (inclu<br>f all taxes) | sive o Rs.'                                                        | 1439                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Common or Generic Name                      | -                                                                  |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Net Contents / Net Quantity                 |                                                                    |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Manufacturer's Name and A<br>s              | ddres -                                                            |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Packer's Name and Address                   | -                                                                  |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Marketer's name and Addres                  | s -                                                                |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Importer's Name and Addres                  | s -                                                                |                                                                                                            |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Country of Origin / Manufact<br>Assembly    | ure / Indi                                                         | a                                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Disclaimer                                  | tanı<br>odu<br>is n<br>n pl<br>und<br>the<br>http<br>rtifu<br>sory | dard Mark<br>icts where<br>handatory.<br>lease chec<br>ler compul<br>Bureau of<br>bs://www.b<br>cation/pro | vised to check BIS S<br>(ISI Mark) on the pr<br>in such certification<br>For more informatio<br>k the list of products<br>sory certification by<br>Indian Standards at<br>ois.gov.in/product-ce<br>ducts-under-compul<br>ion/scheme-i-mark- |
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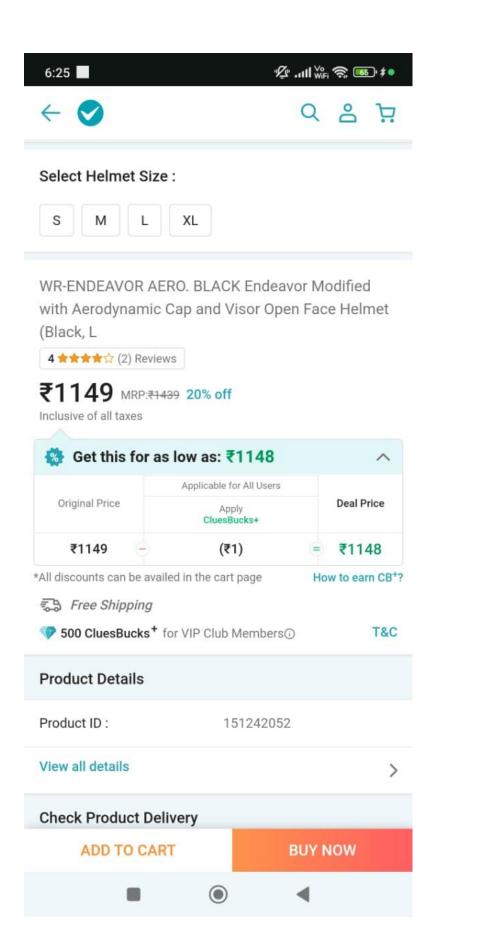
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**Product Description** 

Specification

Legal Information

ISI approved helmet Size: 580mm (Large) Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene (ABS) material Scratch-resistant and ultra-durable visor Outer shell injected from special high impact grade of engineering thermoplastic and the optically true injected polycarbonate visor duly silicon hard coat provides scratch resistance properties Quick release chin strip mechanism

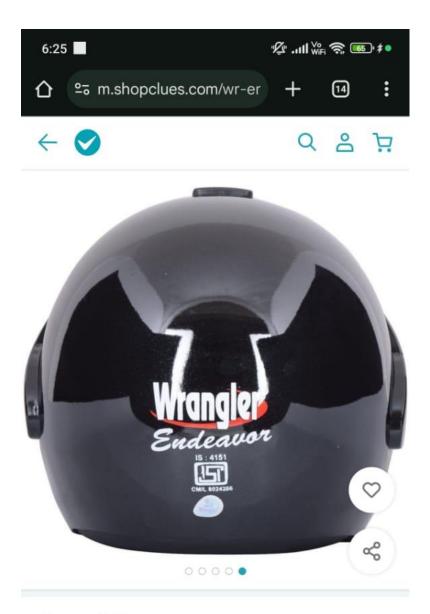




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Licence Details

| Name of Manufacturer                                                 | WRANGLER HELMETS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| Address of<br>Manufacturer(If<br>mentioned on Product or<br>Packing) | KHASARA NO. 158,<br>RAIPUR INDUSTRIAL<br>AREA, BHAGWANPUR,BH<br>AGWANPUR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| District:                                                            | HARIDWAR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| State:                                                               | UTTARAKHAND                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Name of Product :                                                    | PROTECTIVE HELMET<br>FOR TWO WHEELER<br>RIDERS                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| IS No.:                                                              | IS 4151 : 1993                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| valid till :                                                         | 31-Jul-2020                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| Varieties Covered :                                                  | Fibre moulded shell, NV<br>Type, 570 mm open face<br>and full mask model. Fibre<br>glass moulded shell, Size<br>570 mm, Model ZACH<br>with lower face cover and<br>with visor and peak (open<br>face). Protective helmets<br>for motorcycle riders, Size<br>570 mm, with lower face<br>cover, visor & peak, Fibre<br>glass moulded shell,Brand<br>WRANGLER, Model 9-ONE<br>ONE Protective helmets<br>for motorcycle riders,<br>plastic moulded shell,<br>size 570 mm,with lower<br>face cover & visor, without<br>peak, Brand: WRANGLER,<br>Model: EDGE |
| Current status :                                                     | EXPIRED                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |



Also Available - Option 1

