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THE GANDHIDHAM CHAMBER OF COMMERCE & INDUSTRY

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Sub: Request for fixation of standards for Refined Iodised Salt

Dear Sir,

We, The Gandhidham Chamber of Commerce & Industry is a pioneer organisation of Kandla - Gandhidham complex in Kachchh-Gujarat since 1953 with the main objective to serve as a bridge between local trade and industry fraternity and State / Central Govt. for the resolution of problems and also to endeavour for the welfare of citizens and township in public interest.

As you are very well aware FSSAI has not fixed standards for Refined Iodised Salt till to date. Similarly pink salt, sendh namak, black salt and rock salt are also not standardized but freely available in market. This scenario results into dilemma for the stakeholders.

Therefore, we request you to use your good offices and coordinate with FSSAI to fix standards for refined iodised salt and all above various qualities of salt (photocopy of our representation letter no. GCCI/579 dt.10.12.18 is attached for your ready reference).

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully

Dinesh Gupta
President

Encl: as above.