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BIS Raids Spuriously ISI marked Packaged Drinking Water (PDW)

A team of Officials from Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Rajkot conducted an Enforcement Search and Seizure operation at Mavdi area in Rajkot District on 24 January 2017 to check the misuse of ISI Mark on Packaged Drinking Water. The Enforcement Raid was conducted and substantial quantities of packaged drinking water was seized at the premises of M/S Care Drinking Water Pvt. Ltd., 3 Mahadev Wadi, Umakant Pandit Udyog Nagar, Rajkot, where ISI marked PDW was being manufactured and packed with CARE Brand without a valid BIS licence.

The above unit was not having valid BIS licences to use ISI mark on PDW which is mandatory as per Quality Control Order issued under Prevention of Food Adulteration (PFA) Rules, 1955. Action is being initiated by BIS Rajkot against the offenders under the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 1986. The offence is punishable with imprisonment up to one year or a fine up to Rs.50, 000/- or both as per BIS Act 1986.

It has been observed many times that fake ISI marked products are manufactured and sold to common consumers for huge profit. Therefore, people should ascertain the genuineness of ISI Mark on the product before purchase by visiting BIS website <http://www.bis.gov.in>.

General public are, therefore, requested that in case they come across any instance of misuse of ISI Mark on any product, the same may be informed to the Head, Rajkot Branch Office, BIS, FP No 364/P, Ward no 13, Kalawad Road, Opposite Crystal Mall, beside Bharat Petroleum Petrol Pump, Rajkot - 360005. Such complaints can also be made by E-mail at the address rjbo@bis.gov.in or hrjbo@bis.gov.in or by Telephone @ 0281-2536981. The source of such information will be kept confidential.

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