## PRESS RELEASE

An information was received at Chandigarh Branch Office-I, that one manufacturer of Precast Concrete Blocks for Pavers at Batala, Distt.Gurdaspur is using fake ISI Mark on Precast Concrete Blocks for Pavers and supplying the same to Government Departments for Paving of roads without obtaining a valid product certification licence from BIS. Accordingly a search and seizure operation was carried out on 25/04/2017 at M/s Gill Tiles Factory,Batala, Opp. Jackson Construction, C.O. Near Sugar Mill, G.T.Road, Batala Distt. Gurdaspur, during which misuse of ISI Mark on Precast Concrete Blocks for Paving was found and paving blocks were seized by BIS team. The proprietor of the firm is Mr. Harmeet Singh. Further legal action as per BIS Act 1986 shall be initiated against the firm. There is a provision in BIS Act 1986 that a fine of Rs. 50000/- or imprisonment of one year or both can be imposed on the firm if found guilty by Honourable Court .In order to avoid any misuse BIS is having system for collecting information and based on that suitable action shall be initiated against the firm so that customer can get genuine ISI marked quality product.

Sc.E & Director

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