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PRESS RELEASE

FAKE ISI MARKED PACKAGED DRINKING WATER IN PET JARS & PET BOTTLES SEIZED

A team of officials from Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS), Southern Regional Office (SR0), Chennai 600 113 conducted Enforcement search and seizure operation on 02/06/2017 and 03/06/2017 at various places in Madurai, Tirunelveli, and Thoothukudi Districts on information of suspected misuse of ISI Mark. The details of search and seizure operations are given below:

- <u>On 02/06/2017</u> at M/s.Shri Meenakshi Traders, No.5/2, Melakkall Main Road, Kodimangalam, Madurai South (Tk) Madurai District, Tamilnadu-625016. Material seized were, 13 Boxes of 1 L PET Bottles CM/L-No.4463161 and brand name "Rio Aqua".
- 2. <u>On 03/06/2017</u> at M/s. Rose International, 213 Part, Muthur, Palaymkottai Taluk, Palayamkottai, Tirunelveli District Tamilnadu-627007. Material seized were 80 Nos of 1 L PET Bottles bearing CM/L.No.6916990 and brand name "VINAY AQUA"
- 3. <u>Also on 03/06/2017</u> at M/s. Rose Engineering Firm113/2-B, Tiruchendur Highway, Subramaniapuram, Srivaikundam City, Thootududi District, Tamilnadu-628621. Material seized were 16 Nos of 20L PET Jars bearing CM/L.No.6452974 and brand name "Estena"

Action is being initiated by Chennai Branch Office, SRO against the offender under (section 33) of 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.

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