SSC shall issue a certificate when the client complies with, all the requirements for certification. All certificates issued by SSC shall remain the property of SSC and must be returned when requested. The certificates are issued for a period of one, two, or three years and have validity as stated in the certificate. After the issue of the certificate the client is authorized to use the certification mark or the logo in advertising matter in conformity with the following requirements.

General conditions for use of Logo & Certificates

1.0 The client is authorized to use the certification mark in advertising matter and while using this mark the client shall ensure that it: -

a) Conforms to requirements of SSC when making reference to its certification status in communication media such as Internet, brochures or advertising or other documents.
b) Does not make or permit any misleading statement regarding its certification.
c) Does not use or permit the use of the certification document or any part thereof in a misleading manner.
d) Upon suspension or withdrawal of its certification, discontinues its use of all advertising matter that contains a reference to certification as directed by SSC.
e) Amends all advertising matter when the scope of certification has been reduced.
f) Neither the certification mark nor the accreditation mark shall be used on the packaging (both primary packaging and outer / secondary packaging) of a product, labels, publicity material written announcements etc. that in any way suggest that the certification body or the accreditation body have certified or approved any product, process or services of the certified body or in any other misleading manner.
g) The logo shall not be used on vehicles except in publicity material like part of a large advertisement.
h) Logos shall not be displayed on buildings and flags.
i) The logos shall also not be applied to laboratory test, calibration or inspection reports or any form of certificates issued by educational institutions as such reports/ certificates are deemed to be products in this context.
j) Does not imply that certification applies to activities that are outside the scope of its certification.
k) Shall not use the certification in such a manner that would bring SSC and/ or the certification system into disrepute and lose public trust.

l) Certification mark shall also not to be applied on visiting cards.

1.1 Whenever the accreditation mark is to be used; shall use as per EGAC published regulations (the use of EGAC accreditation symbol-R4G).

1.2 The certification body/ accreditation mark may be uniformly reduced or enlarged but shall be with the same proportions as in the master logo but both the symbols should be legible.

1.3 The symbols may be reproduced electronically, provided that the requirements of the respective accreditations bodies as described in this document, are met and distortion and / or degradation does not occur.

1.4 Whenever a subsidiary belonging to a group has been certified there shall not be any confusion as to which part of the group holds the certification and it shall not imply that the other subsidiaries have been certified.

1.5 Where the organization (the client) wishes to make reference to its certification instead of using the symbols of the certification & accreditation bodies, the organization shall use the reference in the following manner.

- name of the company ---------- (your company name)
- certification standard: -------(e.g. ISO 9001, ISO 14001, ISO 45001, ISO 22000)
- certified by: SSC

2.0 Certification body logo

The SSC certification mark only be reproduced as shown in annexure1, 2, 4, 5

3.0 Accreditation body logo

EGAC accreditation mark only be reproduced as shown in annexure 1, 2, 4, 5

4.0 Misuse

The misuse of marks or certificate shall result in the following actions.

4.1 Innocent Misuse

- Immediate withdrawal of the offending literature by the client, or
- Suspension of approval (certification) until misuse is rectified.

If action is not taken to rectify the misuse within a reasonable time, the approval will be withdrawn.

4.2 Negligent / Fraudulent misuse

- Withdrawal of approval together with publication of the reason for withdrawal.

Misuse is deemed negligent / fraudulent where the mark is knowingly or carelessly misused. Repeated “innocent “misuse would be deemed negligent.

5.0 Suspension of certification

Under suspension, the client’s management system certification is temporarily invalid, the suspension shall be for a period of maximum six months and the suspended status of the client shall be publicly made available in the register of certified clients. and the client shall discontinue the use of logo or any reference of certification in advertising matter.

6.0 Withdrawal of certification

In the event that approval is withdrawn, the client shall immediately cease use and distribution of any literature, stationary etc. bearing the mark and also discontinues the use of any advertising matter that contains any reference to a certified status. The artwork supplied and all the original approval certificates are to be returned to SSC.

7.0 Contractual Obligation

7.1 Correct use of SSC certification and the accreditation body mark is a contractual obligation that the client undertakes to comply with as per agreement signed with SSC

7.2 Where the SSC certification and accreditation body marks have been used by the client, their use is to be reviewed at all surveillance and re-certification audits to ensure that their use is correct and in accordance with the requirements identified in this document.

7.3 Any misuse of logo shall be brought to the attention of the client and included in the surveillance or the re-certification audit reports.

7.4 It is likely that in some cases the client may have to update the logos and they still may have stationery and brochures showing the previously issued SSC certification and the accreditation body logos. Under such circumstance, it is permissible for the client to Continue use of the previously issued logo on the understanding that the new logos must be used in the next printing.

Annexure 01

SSC & EGAC Marks

(ISO 9001)





SSC **Logo reproduced in black and white or in color provided the approved colors are used**	**EGAC logo reproduced in black and white or in color provided the approved colors are used**					
The Certification logo shall only be printed in the Color combination or in the gray-black Combination as specified below: - Font: Arial inside the Circle. Color: **(a)** Black 40% for circle and in Text inside the circle. **(b)** In " SS " is in Magenta & Yellow 100% And 'C' in Black 100%.		CMJN	Pantone	RGB	HTML	Black
	Blue	**C90% M50% Y0% B10%**	2935C	R0% G102 B169	#0066a9	B100%
	Yellow	**C0% M35% Y100% B0%**	130C	R249 G179 B0	#f9b000	B100%

Annexure 02

SSC & EGAC Marks

(ISO 14001)





EMS Certification
CAB # 0117006

SSC **Logo reproduced in black and white or in color provided the approved colors are used**	**EGAC logo reproduced in black and white or in color provided the approved colors are used**					
		CMJN	Pantone	RGB	HTML	Black
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	Yellow	**C0% M35% Y100% B0%**	130C	R249 G179 B0	#f9b000	B100%

Annexure 04

SSC & EGAC Marks

(ISO 45001)





OHSMS Certification
CAB # 0117006

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Annexure 05

SSC & EGAC Marks

(ISO 22000)





FSMS Certification
CAB # 0117006

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