

# **QUALITY EVALUATION LABORATORY**

## **SPICES BOARD, COCHIN**

### **GENERAL STATEMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT POLICY**

The Quality Evaluation Laboratory of Spices Board is committed to establish and maintain the Environmental Management System (ISO 14001:2004).

The primary objective of the policy is

- ☞ To minimize the release of chemical, microbiological or other wastes to the environment.
- ☞ To reduce the consumption of electricity and water wherever possible
- ☞ To set objectives and targets for continual improvement and to prevent pollution wherever practical and cost effective.
- ☞ To comply with the relevant environmental legislations and regulations.

Everyone in the laboratory is committed to this goal as an obligation to all other employees of the Board, persons working on behalf of the Board, the people of Cochin and the environment.

The policy is a dynamic and flexible document, which is subjected to changes as considered necessary as part of the process of improvement.

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Chairman