

# **QUALITY EVALUATION LABORATORY**

## **SPICES BOARD, COCHIN**

### **Quality policy Statement on ISO IEC 17025:2005**

- a. The Quality evaluation Laboratory of the Spices Board is committed to provide the customers timely, reliable and accurate test results for spices and spice products maintaining customer confidentiality. To guarantee this, testing is done as per standards or validated methods so as to meet customer requirements.
- b. It is our policy to accept work that can be handled competently and professionally from all customers and avoid being placed in a position of interest.
- c. Test is carried out with an objective that spices exported from India confirm to specification laid down by appropriate national / international organizations or to the food regulations of the importing countries.
- d. It is our objective to develop the laboratory into an international center of excellence in the analysis of spices by modernizing testing facilities and updating in the methodology of testing, suitably upgrading the testing skills of staff by training in national and international institutions. The laboratory participates in inter laboratory comparisons and proficiency testing and takes corrective preventive actions for continuous improvement.
- e. It shall be our endeavor to familiarize with the content of the quality manual and comply with the policy and procedures laid down in the manual.
- f. To achieve the above, management of the laboratory is committed to comply with the requirement of ISO/IEC 17025 : 2005

**Chairman  
Spices Board**