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Office Order

Quality related services to Indian electronic industries are provided through a network of 22 laboratories/centres under Standardisation, Testing and Quality Certification (STQC) programme, Department of Electronics, Govt. of India. Out of these 14 laboratories/centres are under direct administrative control of Department of Electronics whereas other eight centres are under the control of respective state Govt. One such Centre viz. Electronics Test and Development Centre is located at M/S Gujarat Communications and Electronics Ltd, 648 GIDC Estate Makarpura, Vadodara in the state of Gujarat. This centre functions under the control of Govt of Gujarat who has also established an Electronics & Quality Development Centre (EQDC) at B-177/178, GIDC Electronics Estate, Sector-25, Gandhinagar-382 044 (Gujarat). The EQDC also aims at providing similar services as those provided by lab/centre under STQC programme.

The Govt of Gujarat has recommended that the existing ETDC at Vadodara will be converted into a sub centre of EQDC and proposed that EQDC Gandhinagar be brought under STQC programme.

As desired by Govt. of Gujarat, it has therefore been decided to bring EQDC, Gandhinagar with sub centre at Vadodara under STQC programme in the state of Gujarat. The centre will continue to be under the administrative control of Govt. of Gujarat as per existing arrangement.


(DR. S.L. SARNOT)

Director General

- To,
1. Dr. K.N. Shelat : This has reference to your letter No.IC/Tech/951 Industries Commissioner (Govt. of Gujarat) dt.01.09.99. Kindly ensure that the assets of Block No.1, Udyog Bhavan, existing ETDC Vadodara are properly accounted GH-4, Sector-11, for in the new setup. Gandhinagar - 382 017.
 2. Shri G. Subha Rao, I.A.S : For information please. Principal Secretary Industries & Mines Department Block No.5, 3rd Floor, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar.
 3. Officer-in-Charge : With a request to send the MPR to this Hqs ETDC Vadodara directly till the new organization setup is finalized by the Govt. of Gujarat.
 4. The Director, EQDC, Gandhinagar.
 5. All labs/centres in STQC
 6. All Group Heads in STQC
 7. PS to Secretary