

## SLCM Central Laboratory gets accredited by NABL with reputed ISO/IEC 17025:2005 Certification

The Central Laboratory of Sohan Lal Commodity Management (SLCM) Pvt. Ltd. gets accredited with ISO/IEC 17025: 2005 by the prestigious NABL. The test results and measurement data produced by NABL accredited laboratories are acceptable amongst 64 economies. With this, all the tests & data certified by SLCM Central Laboratory are acceptable globally in 64 nations of the world. It addresses the biggest challenge of the sector to test, monitor & maintain the quality of the commodities during the storage period.

It certifies that the Group has fully fledged Quality Control Laboratory which follows International Practices and incorporates the most modern testing equipment to perform the stringent quality analytical tests prescribed by different national and International standards. SLCM Group's state-of-the-art laboratory is based at Corporate Headquarters in New Delhi with advanced infrastructure and procedures to support stringent Quality Management Systems. The Laboratory has latest analytical instruments and quality control systems to ensure consistent quality of the products. There is regular validation of processes, testing methods, as well as periodic calibration of all instruments, to guarantee product output of consistent top quality.

At SLCM (Analytical central Laboratory), we use the latest methods and technologies, to identifying risk factors, improve quality, efficiency and add value to the market. NABL has recognized our testing facility by conducting two days on-site Audit and verifying the analytical capabilities of the technical team. NABL has granted accreditation to SLCM Analytical Central Laboratory in the field of chemical testing as per the requirement of ISO/IEC-17025-2005 on 16th September, 2015.

National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL) is an autonomous body under the aegis of Department of Science & Technology, Government of India. The globalization of Indian economy and the liberalization policies initiated by the Government in reducing trade barriers and providing greater thrust to exports makes it imperative for Accredited Laboratories to be at international level of competence.

ISO: 17025; 2005 is the single most important standard for calibration and testing laboratories around the world. This accreditation assists the Indian industries to enhance the quality and reliability of Indian goods in the domestic market and exports, thereby, catalyses the growth of Indian economy.

SLCM Group has proven to be a thought leader to the industry by leading the path in Scientific Warehousing Practices & our NBFC division "Kissandhan" & a recent accolade validated the fact aptly. The Group was recently felicitated with Outstanding Contribution in the Agri Warehousing Sector during ET Krishi Vikas Summit 2015. While receiving the award, SLCM Group CEO - Mr. Sandeep Sabharwal said, "This award is validation of our consistent efforts in redefining the agri logistics sector. I am glad that we are looked upon as a Thought Leader by setting the path with Corporate Governance Practices followed at par within the Group." The Award ceremony took place in the Le Meridien Hotel of New Delhi amongst various stakeholders including Farmers, Political Leaders, Policy Makers, Industry Players, Commodity Exchanges, etc.



## FedEx Pledges \$1 Million in Aid to Support Migrant and Refugee Humanitarian Crisis

FedEx Corp. has committed approximately \$1 million in cash and transportation support to deliver emergency supplies and critical medical aid to the thousands of migrants and refugees escaping conflicts, and provide on-going assistance to both the people and the local communities affected by the crisis.

"Humanitarian relief has been in our DNA for decades, and FedEx understands how such a crisis can dramatically alters lives and communities," said David Ross, regional president of FedEx Express Middle East, Indian Subcontinent and Africa. "Working together with international relief organizations, we are utilizing our global transportation network and resources to assist the affected people, to improve their quality of life."

Time is of the essence when it comes to providing help and FedEx is mobilizing its humanitarian relief program through a donation of \$1 million to the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC). The company will also use existing relationships with international organizations, including Direct Relief and Heart to Heart International, working closely with local partners in the most affected countries.