

PHARMA DEVILS ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE

| Department: Engineering | SOP No.: |
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| | |
| Title: Testing Record of Earthing and Earthing Pit Earth Continuity | Effective Date: |
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1.0 PURPOSE

1.1 To define a procedure for the Testing / Record of Earthing and Earthing Pit/Earth Continuity.

2.0 SCOPE

2.1 This SOP is applicable for the Testing / Record of Earthing and Earthing Pit/Earth Continuity at.....

3.0 REFERENCE(S) & ATTACHMENTS

3.1 References

3.1.1 In-house.

3.2 Attachments

3.2.1 Attachment-I: Record of checking of Earth continuity of equipments.

4.0 **DEFINITION & ABBREVIATION(S)**

4.1 Definitions

4.1.1 Nil

4.2 Abbreviations

- 4.2.1 NA : Not Applicable.
- 4.2.2 ID No. : Identity Number.
- 4.2.3 CC : Change Control.
- 4.2.4 Sl. No. : Serial Number.
- 4.2.5 SOP : Standard Operating Procedure.

5.0 **RESPONSIBILITY:**

5.1 Engineering Person:

5.1.1 To follow the procedure defined in the SOP for the Testing / Record of Earthing and Earthing Pit/Earth Continuity.

5.2 Engineering Head:

5.2.1 To ensure that the Testing / Record of Earthing and Earthing Pit/Earth Continuity is done according to the procedure defined in the SOP.



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5.3 Quality Assurance Head:

5.3.1 To ensure implementation of the defined procedure.

5.4 Plant Head:

5.4.1 To ensure implementation of the defined procedure.

6.0 Distribution:

- I. Quality Assurance
- II. Engineering

7.0 **PROCEDURE:**

7.1 Checking of earthing continuity

- 7.1.1 Check the earth conductor for any damage if found rectify the same.
- 7.1.2 Check the conditions of nuts and bolts if found rusted replace the same.
- 7.1.3 Check the earthing wires and lugs replace if required.
- 7.1.4 Take a multimeter and set the selector switch on continuity mode.
- 7.1.5 Take two testing cords and connect one end of each chord to multimeter.
- 7.1.6 Connect the other ends of cord between the equipment and main earthing strip.
- 2.1.7 If continuity indication is displayed on the multimeter and a buzzer sound is heard then earthing continuity is satisfactory.
- 2.1.8 Frequency: 6th Month's.
- 2.1.9 Record observations as per Attachment-I.

8.0 **REVISION HISTORY**

| Version No. | 00 | Effective Date | |
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| Details of revision: | New SOP Prepared | | |
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Attachment-I

RECORD OF CHECKING OF EARTH CONTINUITY OF EQUIPMENTS

| S. No. | Name of Equipment / code | Continuity Buzzer OK / Not OK | Done By Sign&Date | Done On | Due On |
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