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Subject: List of Laboratories equipped to conduct testing and certification of Synthetic Blood Penetration Resistance Test required for Body-Coveralls for COVID-19 - reg.

In continuation of this Ministry’s letter of even number dated 8.6.2020, it is informed that following laboratories/ establishments are equipped to conduct testing and certification of Synthetic Blood Penetration Resistance Test required for Body-Coveralls for COVID-19:

(i) South India Textile Research Association, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu
(ii) Defence Research & Development Establishment, Gwalior now at INMAS (DRDO) laboratory at Delhi.
(iii) Heavy Vehicles Factory, Avadi, Tamil Nadu
(iv) Small Arms Factory, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh
(v) Ordnance Factory at Muradnagar, Uttar Pradesh
(vi) Ordnance Factory at Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh
(vii) Ordnance Factory Ambernath (Near Mumbai), Maharashtra
(viii) Metal and Steel Factory, Ishapore (Near Kolkata), West Bengal
(ix) Laboratory of Textiles Committee, Mumbai
(x) North India Textile Research Association, Ghaziabad
(xi) Laboratory of Textiles Committee, Bangalore

2. All above testing laboratories may conduct Synthetic Blood Penetration Resistance Test of samples of “Body Coveralls for COVID-19” received from HLL Lifecare Ltd., BIS or any Government organisation and issue Test Results. However, as the BIS has started issuing license for “Body Coveralls for COVID-19”, no Lab will issue UCC to any PPE Coverall manufacturer.

3. Further, these laboratories may take samples of “Body Coveralls for COVID-19” from organisations other than Government Organisation only for the purpose of Internal Quality Control and product development. While issuing results of such tests, Labs must state the following:
   “This test reports is being issued for the purpose of Internal Quality Control and product development only.”

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(ii) Secretary, Deptt. of Defence R&D and Chairman DRDO, New Delhi.
(iii) Director General Ordnance Factory and Chairman, Ordnance Factory Board, Kolkata.
(iv) Director General, Bureau of Indian Standards, Manak Bhawan, New Delhi.
(v) Director, South India Textile Research Association, Coimbatore.
(vi) Director, INMAS, New Delhi.
(vii) Secretary, Textiles Committee, Mumbai.
(viii) Director General - North India Textile Research Association, Ghaziabad.
(ix) Textile Commissioner, Mumbai.
(x) CMD, M/s HLL Lifecare Ltd. Camp Office: Delhi and HO Trivandrum
(xi) Notice Board: Ministry of Textiles, official website