



Australian Government

Department of Agriculture

**Sohar International Urea & Chemical
Industries SAOC (SIUCI)
Sohar Industrial Port Area
Sultanate of Oman**

has been awarded

**LEVEL 1 GOLD SYSTEM STATUS
for bulk in-ship fertiliser**

This reduced risk status under the Imported Bulk Cargo Fertiliser Inspection Protocol is awarded based on a demonstrated commitment to ensuring that biosecurity integrity is maintained. This has been achieved through recognised contamination management strategies, implemented throughout the supply chain and continuing compliance with the Site Audit Report of 17th February 2014.

This certificate is valid until: **17th February 2020**

This status will be maintained subject to a satisfactory result in any annual third party audit undertaken during the currency of this certificate. This audit is to confirm that the procedures, operations and pertinent infrastructure identified in the Site Audit Report of 17th February 2014 have not changed or that any changes do not impact on the ongoing biosecurity integrity of the fertiliser pathway. Third party auditors must be independently accredited and registered with an international auditing body.

It is the responsibility of Sohar International Urea & Chemical Industries to ensure that the procedures assessed in the Site Audit Report of 17th February 2014 are adhered to consistently and effectively, addressing critical control points identified. This is a voluntary system of certification. Sohar International Urea & Chemical Industries may withdraw voluntarily. Certification may be revoked for any reason and at any time.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P. Nixon', written over a horizontal line.

Mr Paul Nixon
A/g Assistant Secretary
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