

## **STR India Accredited for Prestigious ISO 17025**

STR India's state-of-the-art testing laboratory has achieved the prestigious ISO 17025 accreditation by National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL). Considered the "gold standard" in the industry, accreditation recognizes STR's implementation of a rigorous quality management system to ensure conformance to high standards of testing and quality assurance, thus further enhancing the confidence of its client base.

The Manesar (Greater New Delhi) facility, which is a 16,500 square foot, state-of-the-art testing lab built with an investment of over \$2 million, was accredited on December, 2, 2008. STR India is one of the very few laboratories to have cleared the complex three-stage accreditation process in the first attempt. The lab opened in March 2008, and has been on a progressive trend right from its establishment, achieving various prestigious accreditations and memberships including Marks & Spencer, Arcadia and United Nations Global Compact (UNGC). The lab's world-class technology and instruments from reputed names like SDL Atlas give STR an edge in the competitive market. STR India further differentiates itself from the competition by providing clients with a 48-hour turnaround on laboratory sample testing, from receipt of a sample to generation of a final report. STR also offers free sample collection services to pick up samples throughout India to route to the Manesar Laboratory subject to certain conditions. By continuously striving to deliver the highest level of confidence in quality, STR helps clients mitigate supply chain risks and achieve product success in the global marketplace.