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Specification for
Potassium chloride (muriate of potash), fertilizer grade

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FOREWORD

This Mauritian Standard was drawn up by the Chemical Industry Standards Committee through its sub-committee on Fertilizers and approved by the Standards Council on 26 January 1984. It was notified in the Government Gazette on 7 July 1984*.

In preparing this standard reference was made to the following:

1 IS 2779 Specification for potassium chlorides (muriate of potash), fertilizer grade

2 The Fertilizers Regulations of the United Kingdom

3 The Chemical Fertilizers Control Act, Mauritius

Acknowledgement is made for the use of information from the above publications.

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1 SCOPE

This Mauritian Standard prescribes the requiements, sampling and test methods for potassium chloride (muriate of potash), fertilizer grade.

2 DEFINITIONS

For the purpose of this standard the following definitions apply.

2.1 *Basic element*: The potassium element stated in terms of potash content (K_2O).

2.2 *Fertilizer*: Any substance containing one or more of the basic elements used as a plant manure.

2.3 *Deleterious ingredient*: Any substance likely to be injurious to plant growth.

2.4 *Lot*: A collection of packages of the same size, type and style which have been manufactured and packaged under essentially the same conditions.

3 REQUIREMENTS

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