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The order covers three goods. Mineral mixtures for supplementing cattle feeds must conform to IS 1664; dicalcium phosphate, animal feed grade, to IS 5470; and common salt and cattle licks for animal consumption to IS 920. Each must bear the Standard Mark under a licence from the Bureau of Indian Standards, as per Scheme-I of Schedule-II of the Bureau of Indian Standards (Conformity Assessment) Regulations, 2018. The latest version of each Indian Standard, including amendments notified by the Bureau from time to time, applies.

The dates of implementation differ by size of enterprise. Enterprises other than micro and small enterprises must comply from April 1, 2027. Small enterprises must comply from July 1, 2027, and micro enterprises from October 1, 2027, with micro and small enterprises as defined under the Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Development Act, 2006. Nothing in the order applies to goods or articles meant for export.

The Bureau of Indian Standards is the certifying and enforcing authority for the three goods. Any person who contravenes any provision of the order is punishable under the provisions of the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016. The order is signed by Dr. Muthukumarasamy B, Joint Secretary, under F. No. R-99014/17/2023-DADF-Dept.

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Compliance, micro enterprises	October 1, 2027
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Goods covered

S.No.	Goods or articles	Indian Standard	Title of Indian Standard
1	Mineral mixtures for supplementing cattle feeds	IS 1664	Mineral mixtures for supplementing cattle feeds - Specification
2	Dicalcium Phosphate, animal feed grade	IS 5470	Dicalcium Phosphate, animal feed grade - Specification
3	Common salt and cattle licks for animal consumption	IS 920	Specification for common salt and cattle licks for animal consumption

[The order](#) (PDF, 525 KB)

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