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U.S. India SME Council, Inc. 8825 Stanford Boulevard, Suite 206 Columbia, MD 21045

Dear Executive Officer,

The Office of the Secretary of State is in receipt of your organization's "Exempt Organization Fund-Raising Notice. The filing of this notice signifies that your organization is in compliance with the registration requirements of the Maryland Charitable Solicitations Act. Your organization's registration number is 39225. Please refer to this number in all correspondence with the Charities and Legal Services Division."

This letter also serves to indicate that our office has no objection to any other business interests or non-profit organizations that U.S. India SME Council, Inc. may wish to pursue domestically or internationally. The Office of the Secretary of State does not endorse any business or non-profit organizations that U.S. India SME Council, Inc. may now or in the future establish or undertake. To reiterate, your organization is in compliance with the registration requirement of the Maryland Charitable Solicitations Act.

Best Regards,

Luis E. Borunda

Deputy Secretary of State

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