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Kanoria Chemicals selects Uhde India for their new Formaldehyde Plant at Vizag...

Kanoria Chemicals and Industries Limited (KCIL) has selected Uhde India for providing EPCM Services for their new venture to install a 300 tpd Formaldehyde plant at their Alco Chemicals Division at Visakhapatnam.

Uhde India's scope of services includes Detailed Engineering, Project Management, Procurement and / Inspection-Expediting Services and Supervision Services assistance during Construction and Commissioning of the plant. The Basic Engineering for the plant will be rendered by M/s Formox AB of Sweden. The project has a completion period of 18 months from the effective date of the contract.

Kanoria Chemicals is amongst India's most diversified Chemical and Intermediate Chemical companies manufacturing Chloro Chemicals, Chlorine derivatives, water treatment chemicals and Industrial gases at their facilities in Visakhapatnam, Ankleshwar and Renukoot. Its Alco Chemicals Division in Visakhapatnam manufactures a number of chemicals including Formaldehyde, Hexamine, Acetaldehyde etc.

The contract reaffirms KCIL's trust in Uhde India, whose association with KCIL dates back to the late eighties for implementation of KCIL's existing formaldehyde facility at Ankleshwar. It was duplicated by Uhde India for the chemical major a few years later. In addition it may also be recalled that, Kanoria Chemicals selected the proven Uhde Membrane Cell technology for their Caustic Soda projects at their Renukoot, Uttar Pradesh works in 2004 (Phase1) and 2006 (Phase2 expansion) respectively. The Phase 1 project was implemented by Uhde India on Lumpsum Turnkey basis, while Phase 2 project was implemented on EPCM services basis.

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