

National Aluminium Company Limited
Corporate Office, Bhubaneswar

Application Invited for
NALCO Utkal Gaurav Madhusudan Das Quality Award

Manufacturing units operating in Odisha are hereby invited, to apply for the NALCO Utkal Gaurav Madhusudan Das Quality Award for the year 2018. Applications are required to be submitted as per details in formats Annexure-A & Annexure-B1/B2/B3 (as applicable) along with supporting documents. The award details and eligibility criteria is as below :

1.0 Award Scheme :

- 1.1 The **NALCO Utkal Gaurav Madhusudan Das Quality Award** is instituted by NALCO, in order to recognise outstanding practices & results achieved by organisations from Odisha by implementation of Total Quality Management (TQM) in a manufacturing unit operating in Odisha.
- 1.2 The award portfolio with a total purse of **Rs.1,00,000/-**, comprises of **three cash awards (ref. 1.5) & citations**, is to be conferred on **the best-adjudged three manufacturing enterprises i.e. one each from Small Enterprise/ Medium Enterprise/ Large Enterprise category** for their outstanding Total Quality Management practices in a manufacturing unit in Odisha.

1.3 Eligibility :

Organisations operating a manufacturing unit in Odisha for at least two previous years (for the award to be conferred during 2018, the unit must be in active operations during 2016-17 & 2015-16) i) as a **Small enterprise i.e.** investment in plant & machinery is more than Rs.25 lakhs but does not exceed Rs.5 crores, or ii) as a **Medium enterprise i.e.** investment in plant & machinery is more than Rs.5 crores but does not exceed Rs.10 crores or iii) as a **Large Enterprise i.e.** investment in plant & machinery is more than Rs.10 crores. The small and medium enterprises categorisation is as per MSME Dev. Act 2006 and they are required to be registered with DICs (District Industrial Centres).

The applicants, on evaluation, have to score a minimum thresh-hold points, for being eligible to be considered for award.

1.4 Evaluation:

The application documents will be evaluated by a committee constituted by Nalco, comprising of professionals from the disciplines of Manufacturing/ Production, Finance & Total Quality. The evaluation of performance during 16-17, will focus on TQM implementation i.e. Leadership Role & Policy, Customer Focus, Environmental

Stewardship, Safety, Occupational Health & Social Responsibility, Human Resources Development, Infrastructure in the applicant organisation and is based on a set of defined criteria approved for the evaluation purpose.

1.5 The amount of cash award for the best-adjudged manufacturing units in different categories of industries, is :

Small enterprise	:	Rs.25,000/-
Medium enterprise	:	Rs.25,000/-
Large enterprise	:	Rs.50,000/-

2.0 Procedure for Application :

2.1 The format A & B1/B2/B3, for submitting application is available in Nalco website www.nalcoindia.com. The detail information required in format A & B1/B2/B3, is to be submitted in a document, limited to maximum 10 pages.

2.2 The applicant organisation is required to submit the application online with supporting documents as evidence. The application document need to be submitted latest by 15th March 2018.

3.0 General information :

3.1 The decision of the competent authority will be final and there will be no scope for any appeal against it.

3.2 CMD, NALCO reserves the right to modify/ alter/ amend/ withdraw the scheme in any manner whatsoever without any notice.

3.3 The awards are planned to be handed over during the month of April /May 2018. The exact date and time of award function will be intimated in advance.