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CERTIFICATE

IQNet and**DQS GmbH** Deutsche Gesellschaft zur Zertifizierung von Managementsystemen
hereby certify that the company**esco - european salt company GmbH & Co. KG**Landschaftstraße 1
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with the organizational units/sites as listed in the annex

for the scope

Development, mining, manufacturing, treatment, storage, sales and distribution of products from brine,
sea salt, rock salt and vacuum salt, pharmaceutical salt and by-products, producing and operating of caverns

has implemented and maintains a

Quality Management System.



An audit, documented in a report, has verified that
this quality management system fulfills the requirements
of the following standard:

ISO 9001 : 2000

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