

Soy-Based Dal Analogue Receives Critical Commitments From Indian Corporations

A team represented by Dr. M.M. Krishna of USSEC and Doug Baldwin of Wenger Manufacturing of Kansas City met with two major food companies – Neramac, a Government enterprise in the north east region of India, and Gujarat Ambuja Exports, a private enterprise in the western Indian region of Gujarat - to discuss capacity building commitments for soy-based dal analogue. Gujarat Ambuja, the second largest soy processing company in India, operates three integrated soy processing complexes. The company is actively considering soy-based dal analogue as an effective vehicle for meeting protein needs for a portion of the region's population. Because of USSEC's effort, a representative of Gujarat Ambuja was planning to visit Wenger's facility in Sabetha this month to observe production trials. Meanwhile, USSEC and Wenger had detailed discussions with the technical committee of Neramac's Board of Directors and clarified all issues to the company's satisfaction. The process of capacity building at Neramac has reached the stage of executing a confidentiality agreement.



