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Food Safety and Standards Authority of India

(A Statutory Authority established under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006) (Regulatory Compliance Division)

FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi - 110002

Dated, the 20th April, 2021

ORDER

Subject: Functioning of Essential Services in FSSAI in view of preventive measures to contain the spread of novel Corona Virus (COVID-19)- reg.

In pursuance of this office O.M No. Z14011/01/2016- E&A dated 25th March, 2020, it is reiterated that the following services of FSSAI are considered as essential:

- (i) Import clearance of food items at all notified food entry points;
- (ii) FSSAI notified testing laboratories (including National Food Laboratories);
- 2. All personnel assigned the above essential services are required to attend office so that these services operate smoothly.
- 3. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Encls: - As above

Executive Director (Compliance Strategy)

To

- 1. Commissioner of Food Safety of all States/UTs
- 2. All Director, Regional Office, FSSAI
- 3. Commissioner Single Window- For circulating to field formation working as Authorised Officers.
- 4. All Central Licensing Authority, FSSAI
- 5. All Authorised Officers, FSSAI
- 6. CITO, FSSAI: For uploading on FSSAI website.

Copy for information to -

- 1. PPS to Chairperson, FSSAI
- 2. PS to CEO, FSSAI