

## Advocacy - Governance - Renewal

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August 23, 2018

Sub: Food Safety and Hygiene

Dear Sirs,

This is with regard to the **Safety and Hygiene of food** to be ensured while permitting hawking of food in Greater Mumbai.

You must be aware that as per Section 31(1) of the Food Safety and Standards Act 2006 every Food Business Operator in India is required to be registered / licensed under the Food Safety & Standards Authority of India. The Act also specifically states 'Hawkers' are included under its purview. Hence, F.S.S.A.I. registration must be made a mandatory requirement for all hawkers who intend to sell 'food' as defined under the "Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006" and any Rules issued thereunder.

We request you to please work out the modalities of how this registration will be done and share this with us at the next Zone I TVC meeting.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely.

Nayana Kathpalia

Member, ZONE1 TVC

On behalf of Trustees
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