Dated: 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2023

## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

## Sub: Withdrawal of online mode of trainings for all FoSTaC courses- Reg

In continuation to the office memorandum dated 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2022, the empanelled training partners under FoSTaC program are hereby restricted from organising online mode of Food Safety Supervisor trainings for all of the FoSTaC courses w.e.f 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2023.

2. From 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2023, all Food Safety Supervisor trainings under FoSTaC program will be held in offline mode only.

3. The training calendars created in FoSTaC portal till 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 will be permitted to be conducted as per schedule. However, no new online trainings will be allowed to be created in FoSTaC portal from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2023.

4. This Office Memorandum hereby supersedes the OM dated 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2022.

5. The FoSTaC empanelled training partners are directed to strictly follow the guidelines by the Central Government, respective State government and Local Public Health Authorities on assembly/ meeting/ mass gatherings etc. to avoid spread of COVID-19 while carrying out physical classes under FoSTaC program.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Virendra Singh Shekhawat) Manager (Training)

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1. All Training Partners- for Compliance please

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- 1. ED (HR), FSSAI- HQ
- 2. All the commissioners of Food Safety (States/UTs)
- 3. IT division for making necessary changes in the FoSTaC portal and uploading the OM on website for wider circulation