

F. No. STD/SP-18/T(VeganFoods)
Food Safety and Standards Authority of India
(A Statutory Authority established under the Food Safety & Standards Act, 2006)
(Regulation division)
FDA Bhawan, Kotla Road, New Delhi-110 002

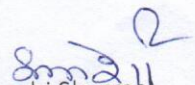
Dated, the 26th July, 2022

Subject: Direction under Section 16 (5) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006 regarding compliance of *Food Safety and Standards (Vegan Foods) Regulations, 2022* published in the Official Gazette of India on dated 10th June, 2022.

Reference is drawn to the *Food Safety and Standards (Vegan Foods) Regulations, 2022* published in the Official Gazette of India on 10th June, 2022 vide Notification No. F. No. Std/TF-Vegan Foods/Notif./FSSAI and enforced from the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

2. Based on the representation received from various stakeholders highlighting the procedural issues, specifically related to prior approval for use of the Vegan Logo, it has been decided to extend the timeline for mandatory compliance of the *Food Safety and Standards (Vegan Foods) Regulations, 2022* by 6 months from the date of uploading of the Guidelines for submission of applications for endorsement of Vegan logo and formats thereof on the FSSAI website, i.e. upto 26th January 2023.

3. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority in exercise of the power vested with Food Authority under Section 16(5) of Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006.


(Inoshi Sharma)
Executive Director (CS)

To

1. All Food Safety Commissioner
2. All Authorised Officer, FSSAI
3. All Central Designated Offices of FSSAI

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