



LENTILS - FSSAI Standard, Regulation Licensing & Food Safety



AATMANIRBHAR BHARAT

PM Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme (PM FME Scheme)

FSSAI

- FSSAI Food Safety and Standard authority of India is a regulatory body responsible for supervising the safety & standard of food business across the nation.
- ➤ To run food and food related business in India, FSSAI certificate or FSSAI license is mandatory. In today's world, as people prefer certified food consumption, FSSAI license can provide the food business with legal benefits and expansion scope. Not to forget it builds goodwill and trust, ensures food being wholesome, create consumer awareness.



FSSAI REGISTERATION

- Every petty Food Business Operator shall register themselves with the Registering Authority by submitting an application for registration.
- The petty food manufacturer shall follow the basic hygiene and safety requirements provided Schedule 4.
- The registration shall be granted by the Registering Authority after being satisfied with the safety, hygiene and sanitary conditions of the premises.
- The Registering Authority or any officer or agency specifically authorized to carry out food safety inspection of the registered establishments at least once in a year.

TYPES REGISTERATION

1. BASIC REGISTRATION:

✓ Done for those food business operation which have annual turn over less or equal to than 12 lakh.

2. STATE REGISTRATION:

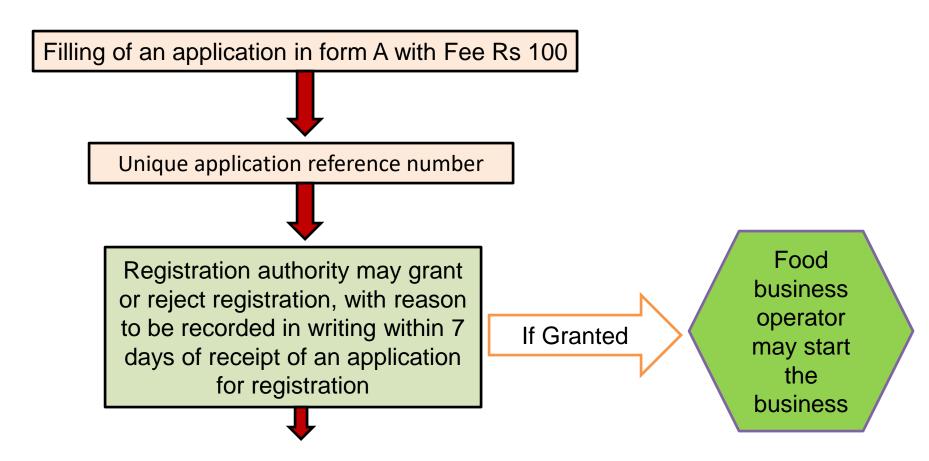
✓ Done for those food business operation which have annual turn over between 12 lakh to 20 crore.

3. CENTRAL REGISTRATION:

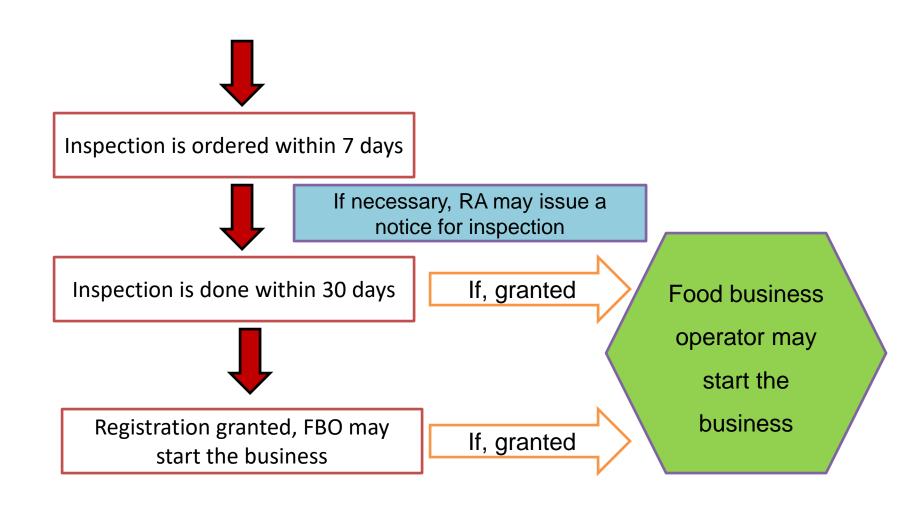
✓ Done for those food business operation which have annual turn over more than 20 crore.

BASIC REGISTRATION

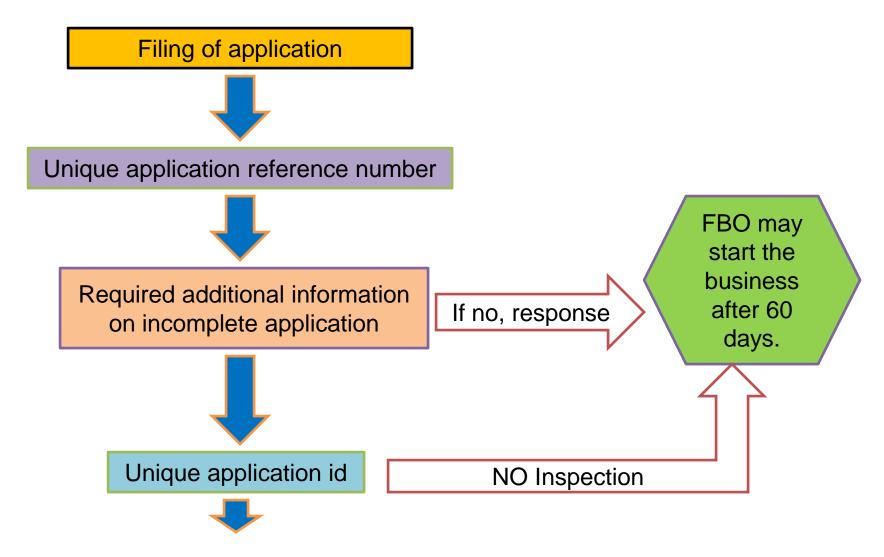
Every Food Business operator shall register themselves with the registration authority by submitting an application along with a fee of Rs 100



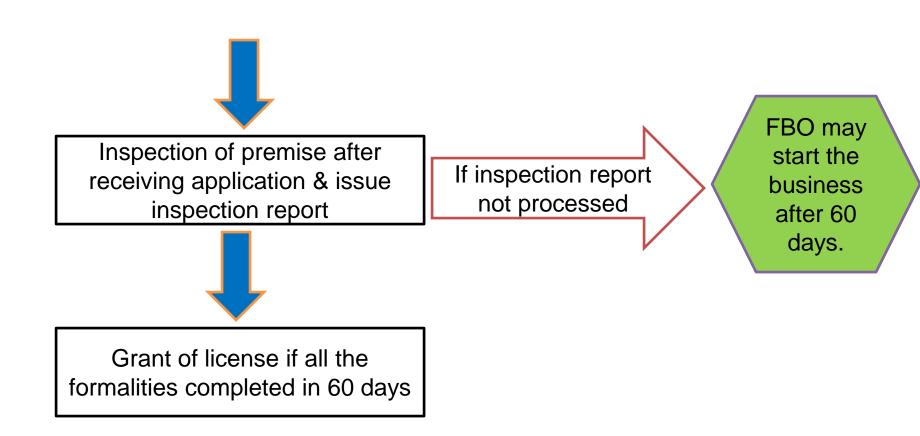
BASIC REGISTRATION



CENTRAL/STATE REGISTRATION



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FEE STRUCTURE

Types/ Category	Registration -1 year	Central -1 year	Railways -1year	
New application	₹ 100	₹7500	₹2000	
Renewal application	₹ 100	₹7500	₹2000	
License/certificate modification	₹ 100	₹7500	₹2000	
Duplicate certificate/ License	10% of the applicable certificate fee	10% of the applicable certificate fee	10% of the applicable certificate fee	

MODIFICATION OF LICENSE

 Food business operator are required to operate any change in the business to Food Safety Standard authority of India (FSSAI) within a reasonable time.

 Any changes related to kind of business, scale of production, products category or formulation etc. should follow the regulation.

 Once the FSSAI License or registration (FORM C) has been granted, any change required in the same requires filling application for the modification of FSSAI License or Registration.

RENEWAL OF FSSAI LICENSE

- The FSSAI license is essential to commence the food business, similarly it
 is imperative to renew the license. The license is issued for a validity of 1
 year or 5 year, so the business must apply for renewal 30 days prior to the
 expiry of current license.
- The FLR is utilized in five regional office for the issue of licenses and entitlement. They are:
- 1. North Region New Delhi
- 2. Eastern Region Kolkata
- 3. North Easter Region Guwahati
- 4. Western Region Mumbai and Kerala
- 5. Southern Region Chennai

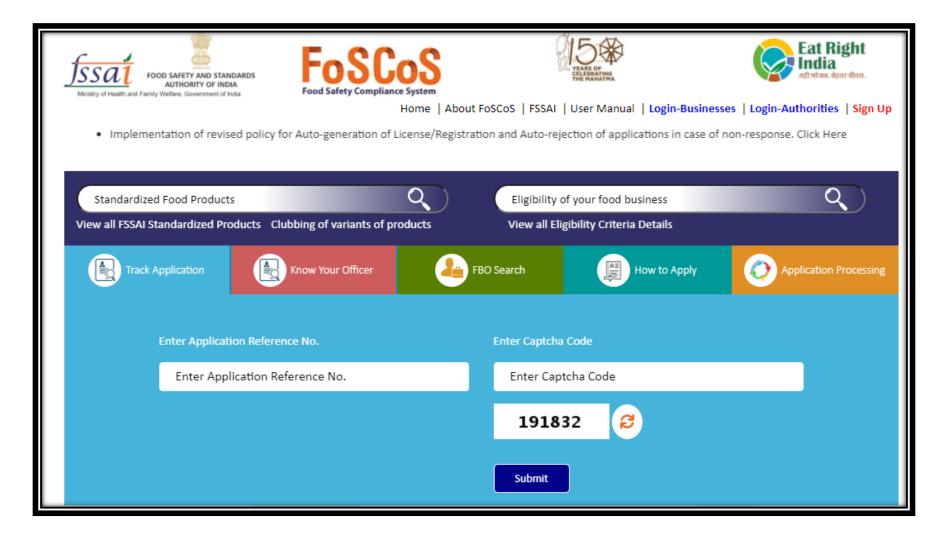
FoSCoS-FSSAI

- FoSCoS- Food Safety and Compliance System is a unified application built on open source platform, with enhanced features, easily configurable and has architectural capability to meet the envisaged functionalities and modules.
- Overall objectives of FoSCoS are as follows:
- ✓ Transform from the present FLRS which is only a licensing platform to a central food safety compliance regulatory platform.
- ✓ Build a technically advanced integrated application to achieve interoperability with other applications, capable of higher user traffic, and has potential for future upgrades and functionalities.

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- ✓ Enhance user performance of the application and make application process simpler and efficient to promote ease of doing business amongst FBOs.
- ✓ Achieve minimal physical documentation and streamline business process flows for FBOs for online application.
- ✓ Achieve and enable the application to have standardized product approach rather than text box approach for manufacturers.
- ✓ Enable application to seed business specific details such as CIN No., PAN No. and GST No. to ensure 360o profiling and validation of FBOs.

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FOOD SAFETY STANDARDS BY FSSAI FOR BAKERY PRODUCTS

- As per FSSAI draft notification dated 14 December,
 2017 on
- Food Safety and Standards (Food Product Standard and Food
- Additives) Amendment Regulation the baked products may contain food additives specified under FSSAI regulations.
- These products shall conform to following standards, namely:-
- a) Ash insoluble in dilute hydrochloric acid (on dry basis): shall not be more than 0.1 per cent.
- b) Acidity of extracted fat (as oleic acid):- not exceeding 1.5 per cent.
- c) It may contain Oligofructose (dietary fibres) upto 15% maximum subject to label declaration under Regulation 6.1.3

CODEX STANDARDS FOR LENTILS

Quality factors - general

- Lentil shall be safe and suitable for human consumption.
- Lentil shall be free from abnormal flavour, odours, and living insects.
- Lentil shall be free from filth (impurities of animal origin, including dead insects) in amounts which may represent a hazard to human health.
- Lentil shall be free from the following toxic or noxious seeds in amounts which may represent a hazard to human health. –
- Crotolaria (Crotalaria spp.), Corn cockle (Agrostemma githago L.), Castor bean (Ricinus communis L.), Jimson weed (Datura spp.), and other seeds that are commonly recognized as harmful to health.

Quality Factors- Specific

Sr. No	Parameter	Limit
1	Moisture content With seed coat Without seed coat	15% 13%
2	Extraneous Matter	1%
3	Mineral matter	0.25%
4	Impurities of animal origin	0.1%

HEAVY METALS

S.No	Parameter	Limit(Parts per Million (mg/kg or mg/L))
1	Lead	0.2
2	Cadmium	0.1

Hygiene

- When tested by appropriate methods of sampling and examination, the products:
- shall be free from micro-organisms in amounts which may represent a hazard to health. shall be free from parasites which may represent a hazard to health
- shall not contain any substance originating from microorganisms in amounts which may represent a hazard to health.

SEED DISCOLORATION

S.N o	Refractions	Max. Limit
1	Seeds of a similar colour but a different commercial type (Except in beans with white seeds)	Max: 3.0%
2	Seeds of different colour (Other than discoloured seeds)	Max: 6.0%
3	Discoloured seeds	Max: 3.0%
4	Discoloured seeds of the same commercial type	Max: 10.0%
5	Beans with green seed and peas with green seeds with slight discolouration of the seed	Max: 20.0%

QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS FOR PROCUREMENT OF LENTIL BY FCI



S.No	Refractions	Max. Limit
1	Foreign Matter	3.0% by weight of which Max. 0.57% by weight shall be mineral matter and impurities of animal oriqin
2	Other Edible Grains	2.07% by weight
3	Damaged grains/Slightly damaged/Touched (including Insect damage)	3.% by weight
4	Immature, shrivilled and broken (unhusked/husked splits) including fragments	
5	Ad mixture	2 % by weight
6	Weevilled pulses	3 per count
7	Moisture	12% by weight

UNITED STATES STANDARDS FOR LENTILS



		Grades U.S. Nos.		
		1	2	3
1	Defective Lentils Total Weevil- Damaged Lentils Heat- Damaged Lentils	2 0.3 0.2	3.5 0.8 0.5	5 0.8 0.1
2	Foreign Material Total Stones	0.2 0.1	0.5 0.2	0.5 0.2
3	Skinned Lentils	4.0	7.0	10.0
	Wrinkled Lentils	5.0	10.0	>10.0
	Contrasting Lentils	2.0	4.0	>4.0
	Admixture	0.5	0.8	1.0

The place where food is manufactured, processed or handled shall comply with the following requirements:

- 1. The premises shall be located in a sanitary place and free from filthy surroundings and shall maintain overall hygienic environment. All new units shall set up away from environmentally polluted areas.
- 2. The premises to conduct food business for manufacturing should have adequate space for manufacturing and storage to maintain overall hygienic environment.
- 3. The premises shall be clean, adequately lighted and ventilated and sufficient free space for movement.

- 4. Floors, Ceilings and walls must be maintained in a sound condition. They should be smooth and easy to clean with no flaking paint or plaster.
- 5. The floor and skirted walls shall be washed as per requirement with an effective disinfectant the premises shall be kept free from all insects. No spraying shall be done during the conduct of business, but instead fly swats/ flaps should be used to kill spray flies getting into the premises. Windows, doors and other openings shall be fitted with net or screen, as appropriate to make the premise insect free The water used in the manufacturing shall be potable and if required chemical and bacteriological examination of the water shall be done at regular intervals at any recognized laboratory.

- 6. Continuous supply of potable water shall be ensured in the premises. In case of intermittent water supply, adequate storage arrangement for water used in food or washing shall be made.
- 7. Equipment and machinery when employed shall be of such design which will permit easy cleaning. Arrangements for cleaning of containers, tables, working parts of machinery, etc. shall be provided.
- 8. No vessel, container or other equipment, the use of which is likely to cause metallic contamination injurious to health shall be employed in the preparation, packing or storage of food. (Copper or brass vessels shall have proper lining).

- 9. All Equipments shall be kept clean, washed, dried and stacked at the close of business to ensure freedom from growth of mould/ fungi and infestation.
- 10. All Equipments shall be placed well away from the walls to allow proper inspection.
- 11. There should be efficient drainage system and there shall be adequate provisions for disposal of refuse.
- 12. The workers working in processing and preparation shall use clean aprons, hand gloves, and head wears.
- 13. All food handlers should avoid wearing, false nails or other items or loose jewellery that might fall into food and also avoid touching their face or hair.

- 14. Persons suffering from infectious diseases shall not be permitted to work. Any cuts or wounds shall remain covered at all time and the person should not be allowed to come in direct contact with food. 14. All food handlers shall keep their finger nails trimmed, clean and wash their hands with soap, or detergent and water before commencing work and every time after using toilet. Scratching of body parts, hair shall be avoided during food handling processes.
- 15. Eating, chewing, smoking, spitting and nose blowing shall be prohibited within the premises especially while handling food.
- 16. All articles that are stored or are intended for sale shall be fit for consumption and have proper cover to avoid contamination.

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- 18. The vehicles used to transport foods must be maintained in good repair and kept clean.
- 19. Foods while in transport in packaged form or in containers shall maintain the required temperature.
- 20. Insecticides / disinfectants shall be kept and stored separately and `away from food manufacturing / storing/ handling areas.



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