

GOVERNMENT OF NATIONAL CAPITAL TERRITORY OF DELHI
FOOD SAFETY DEPARTMENT
8TH FLOOR, MAYUR BHAWAN, CONNAUGHT PLACE, NEW DELHI-110001

No.F.7(199)/2016/DoFS/Admin./Admin./Pt. File-I/178-202 Date: 15/04/2026

- Ref.1: Regular promotion to the post of DO till attained as per the approved Roaster of DO under preparation.
- Ref.2: To implement the directions regarding newly constituted Districts of Delhi in letter and spirit.
- Ref.3: To take action in the best interest of the health of the people of Delhi at large in consonance to the powers of Commissioner, Food Safety vested u/s 30 of the FSS Act.
- Ref.4: In compliance of the minutes of the 32nd Northern Regional Zonal Council Meeting and as per the submissions to be made before the 22nd NRZ Standing Committee Meeting.
- Ref.5: Till the time doctors and young DANICS Officers equivalent to SDM are posted as DO in the Interregnum periods.

INTERIM WORK ALLOCATION

In supersession of previous Work Allocation Order No. F.7(199)/2016/DoFS/Admin./Admin./Pt. File-I/65-69 dated 02.04.2026 the fresh temporary order is reproduced as under:

In continuation of this Department's Office Order No. F.7(199)/2016/DoFS/Admn./2026/Pt. File-I/5693-97 dated 27.03.2026 and consequent upon assignment of the temporary charge of Designated Officer (Headquarter-II) to Sh. Sandeep Kumar, Section Officer, the matter regarding allocation of districts has been reviewed. The matter regarding allocation of districts has been reviewed in consultation/discussion with FSSAI. The allocation has been made keeping in view the requirement to implement the newly constituted districts of Delhi in letter and spirit, in the best interest of public health and food safety administration in the National Capital Territory of Delhi.

The present arrangement has also been made considering the powers vested under Section 30 of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, the Minutes of the 32nd Northern Regional/Zonal Council Meeting held on 17.11.2025, and the compliances required to be submitted before the 22nd NRZ Standing Committee Meeting.

Further, this arrangement shall continue during the interregnum period till such time as regular promotions to the post of Designated Officer are effected in accordance with the approved roster/seniority position under preparation/finalization and till suitable officers, including doctors and young DANICS officers of level equivalent to SDM, are posted as Designated Officers in the Department of Food Safety, GNCT of Delhi.

The Department has also been regularly taking up the matter with the Department of Health & Family Welfare, GNCTD, for posting of eligible doctors, and with the Services Department, GNCTD, for posting of suitable DANICS officers eligible to be posted at the level of SDM, so as to ensure effective discharge of statutory functions under the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, until the vacancies in the cadre of Designated Officers are filled on regular basis.

In exercise of administrative powers and in order to ensure effective implementation of the Food Safety and Standards Act, 2006, proper supervision, and balanced distribution of workload, the Competent

Authority is pleased to allocate the districts among the Designated Officers / Deputy Commissioner as under till further orders and as a stop gap arrangement till regular filling up of the post is achieved.

S. No.	District Name	District Assigned to
1	Outer North, North, North East and South	Dr. Shrikant R. Tapadia, DC/DO
5	East	Shri R.K. Bhaskar, DO
6	South East, Old Delhi, Central North, New Delhi, Central, South-West, North-West, West	Shri Sandeep Kumar, DO

The above temporary duties are being assigned in addition to the assigned duties. Further, the officers shall perform the other duties/functions as may be assigned to them from time to time by the Competent Authority as an interim temporary arrangement only.


Commissioner, Food Safety

Copy to:

1. CEO/ FSSAI, GOI - w.r.t. necessary directions to the appropriate authority.
2. Secretary, Services Department, GNCT of Delhi.
3. Secretary, Department of Health & Family Welfare, GNCT of Delhi.
4. All concerned Officers
5. Guard File


Commissioner, Food Safety