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Ref: 1. Filing of Prosecution Sanctions on individual case merits by the D.O.s u/s 36(3)(d) read with 36(3)(i) of F.S.S. Act 2006- regarding;
Ref: 2. Earlier orders/departmental instructions in this regard.

ORDER-02/2025

As per the Section 30(2)(e) of the Food Safety and Standards Act 2006, the Commissioner Food Safety shall 'sanction prosecution for offences punishable with imprisonment under this Act', and Section 30(3) further says that, 'the Commissioner of Food Safety may, by order, delegate, subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be specified in the Order; such of his powers and functions under the Act (with exceptions) as he may deem necessary or expedient to any officer subordinate to him'.

In view of the statutory powers as mentioned above and further powers as derived from the FSS Act 2006 read with 36(3)(i), it is hereby ordered that all the prosecution sanction orders **to be filed in the court, are to be filed by the respective district Designated Officers** appointed u/s 36(1) & (2) with prior concurrence u/s 36(3)(d) of the said Act.

Any consequences arising out of the non-compliance will be the sole responsibility of the officer concerned. The instant guidelines stands implemented with immediate effect.



(Commissioner, Food Safety)

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