DEPARTMENT OF FOOD SAFETY GOVERNMENT OF NCT OF DELHI 8th FLOOR, MAYUR BHAWAN, CONNOUGHT PLACE, NEW DELHI-110001

No. F. ()/DoFS/2015/ 6214 - 6224

Dated: 08/10/15

ORDER

It has been reported by the Standing Counsel that no officer of the department appears in the High Court when the appeal cases come up for hearing. The concerned officers of the department also do not brief the Govt. Counsel/Public Prosecutor on the appeal matters prior to the date of hearing. In order to ensure that such instance do not occur in future, it is hereby directed that the Designated Officer (Prosecution) will henceforward act as Nodal Officer for appeal cases in High Court and the concerned inspector/Food Safety Officer related to the complaint shall function as Parivi Officer in respect of the appeal. The Designated Officer (Prosecution) / Nodal Officer shall maintain a record of all appeal cases in High Court and brief concerned Food Safety Officers well in advance so as to ensure that they appear in the Hon'ble High Court on the due date and also brief the Govt. Counsel/Public Prosecutor, well in advance, if required.

In case any complaint in future is received from the Standing Counsel regarding non-appearance of the Food Safety Officer concerned in the Hon'ble Court and also failure on the part of concerned Food Safety Officer to brief the Govt. Counsel well in advance then necessary disciplinary proceedings shall be initiated against both the concerned Food Safety Officer and Designated Officer (Prosecution) for dereliction to their duties.

(Dr. Mrinalini Darswal, IAS) Commissioner (FS)

Copy to:-

- 1. Standing Counsel, High Court, Delhi.
- 2. All Designated Officers/ Food Safety Officers of Department of Food Safety.
- 3. P.S to CFS
- 4. Dy. Commissioner (F.S)
- 5. Programmer, EDP, Deptt of Food Safety to upload the said order in the Deptt.'s website 6. Guard file.