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PRESS STATEMENT

SAI's response on complaints of poor food quality in SAI, Bengaluru

“We are deeply concerned about the quality of food and hygiene in the SAI centres and give it the highest priority. The problem in Bengaluru has been brought to our notice during the Minister’s visit in March earlier this year. Orders have been issued to take corrective action which include hiring new kitchen staff, ensuring high-quality of raw food supply and improving hygiene standards. DG, SAI has called an urgent meeting of the Regional Heads to review the standard operating procedures and to lay down strict protocols.

Regional Directors will be accountable to ensure that quality of food and hygiene standards are maintained. Monitoring systems are being put in place including surprise checks of the facilities. Strict action will be taken on any complaints that will be received.”