



NATIONAL RESTAURANT ASSOCIATION OF INDIA

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UNIFIED LICENSING PORTAL FOR RESTAURANTS
DEFERMENT DUE TO COVID-19

Dear Sir,

1. Greetings from the National Restaurant Association of India. On the above captioned subject, please refer our letters of even reference dated 09-03-2020 and 23-03-2020, as also our follow up mail sent on 31-03-2020.
2. In the present situation of extended lockdowns and no indications of the time period of such closures, the restaurant industry is facing its worst ever crisis of mere existence. It is also felt that the restaurant sector would be one of the last to be opened up and would take a considerable time of at least eight months to one year for any form of recovery.
3. In view of the above, we once again request you to defer the operationalization of Unified Licensing Portal by at least six months from the time that full operations of restaurants starts post lockdown.

Thanking You,

Sincerely,

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