

INDUSTRY MEMORANDUM

Date : Thursday, 30 March 2023
To : DASL Members
From : Dormitory Association of Singapore Limited (DASL)
Subject : Unsatisfactory Dormitory Living Conditions and Food Hygiene

DASL has been notified by the Ministry of Manpower (MOM) about the unsatisfactory dormitory living conditions uncovered during recent inspections. In addition, a journalist from The Straits Times has observed catered food being placed outside of dormitories.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind DASL members on the importance in adhering to FEDA Licensing Conditions to ensure that dormitory operators fulfil their obligations with care. We strongly advise operators to permit only approved and/or licensed caterers to provide food to residents and to allow food to be delivered into the dormitory. The dormitory operators must also ensure that there are proper storage facilities for the delivered food.

We have been informed by MOM that they will take necessary action against dormitories who do not comply with regulations or show any willingness to improve living conditions after being alerted by the ACE Team.

Feel free to contact DASL Secretariat at secretariat@dasl.com.sg if you have any queries.

Thank you.

Yours faithfully,



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Secretary-General