



Notice of Annexure II Submission: 2024/25 Mandatory Grant Applications

Food and Beverages Manufacturing Sector Education and Training authority (FoodBev SETA) is a public entity established in terms of Section 9(1) of the Skills Development Act (SDA), 1998 as amended.

FoodBev SETA hereby informs / notifies all food and beverages manufacturing sector levy-paying companies that the submission of the 2024/2025 financial year Mandatory Grant applications is now open.

Deadline for the 2024/2025 Mandatory Grant submissions is Tuesday, 30th April 2024.

Registered Skills Development Facilitators (SDFs) are encouraged to populate the Annexure II template accurately. The information from this template is used for research purposes that inform the development of the SETA's Sector Skills Plan (SSP), Strategic Plan and the Annual Performance Plan. Furthermore, registered SDF's are requested to commence the application timeously to avoid last minute submissions which may result in the system being overloaded and limited availability of support.

Applications can only be accessed and processed online using the following SIMS system link <https://sims.foodbev.co.za/> and navigate to Mandatory Grants (MG).

NB: NO EXTENSIONS FOR THE SUBMISSION OF ANNEXURE II's WILL BE GRANTED. ALL REQUESTS FOR AN EXTENSION OF ANNEXURE II SUBMISSIONS, MUST BE SENT ON OR BEFORE TUESDAY, 9TH APRIL 2024. Eligible employers must complete and submit a formal request and email to mandatorygrants@foodbev.co.za. Mandatory Grant application forms are available on www.foodbev.co.za.

PLEASE ALSO NOTE, THAT THERE WILL BE NO EXTENSIONS FOR NON-COMPLIANT MANDATORY GRANT APPLICATIONS.

For further clarity or assistance with the completion of the Annexure II (WSP and ATR's), please contact the following officials during working hours (09h00 -16h00) Monday – Friday:

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