

Electronic Working Group (EWG) Invitation

This message is sent on behalf of India.

Title	EWG on review of the <i>Regional code of hygienic practice for street-vended foods in Asia</i> (CXC 76R-2017)
Committee	FAO/WHO Coordinating Committee for Asia (CCASIA)
Established by	23 rd session
Chair of EWG	India
Co-chairs of EWG	-
Working Languages	English
Description of work	See REP25/ASIA, paragraph 39. The EWG was established to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) review the <i>Regional code of hygienic practice for street-vended foods in Asia</i> (CXC 76R-2017) to ensure it was consistent with the <i>General principles of food hygiene</i> (CXC 1-1969) and <i>Guidelines for food hygiene control measures in traditional markets for food</i> (CXG 103-2024) in line with the request of CCFH54; and(ii) prepare and submit a report to the Codex Secretariat no later than three months before CCASIA24.
Timetable for work	It is intended to finalise the report by May 2027
Email for registration	To: codex-india@nic.in cc: advisorfssai@gmail.com
Registration deadline	01 April 2026
EWG online platform	Yes

Codex Members and Observers are invited to register their experts for this EWG. When there is more than one expert, each country or Observer Organization shall designate **one** as the official representative to participate in the EWG.

Applications should be sent through the Codex Contact Point (CCP) of the Member or recognized Observer Organization in an email detailing:

- participant's name
- official title or position
- organization or country
- email address

The EWG platform

Link: <http://forum.codex-alimentarius.net/index.php>

Usergroup name: CCASIA23_street-vended foods (2026)

The platform will require members to login. New participants to the platform should first register. ([online guide](#), [video tutorial](#))

Those participants who have previously registered on the platform can request to join the usergroup directly.

The EWG chair will give participants access to the group online once they have verified their credentials so please ensure that you follow the procedure for applications and email the chair through your CCP even if you are already registered on the platform.

Programme and timeline

The work programme and timelines will be circulated to Members of the EWG soon after its establishment.

We look forward to your participation.

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