## Government of India Ministry of Tourism

(Hotel & Restaurants Division)

File No. 4-TH.II(7)/2020-H&R

Dated: 27th September 2021

## **OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject:

Extension of the validity of hotel projects orders and classification/reclassification orders of hotels and other accommodation units such as motels, apartment hotels, IIB&B/homestay units, Convention Centres, Guest houses, timeshare resorts, standalone air catering units, standalone restaurants, etc. beyond 30.09.2021.

Please refer to this Ministry's earlier communication dated 28.04.2021 and all preceding communications regarding extension of validity period of hotel project approvals and classification / reclassification orders of hotels and other accommodation units, which expired / were likely to be expired during 24.03.2020 to September, 2021.

- 2. The representations received from the hotel association and individual hotels for extension of validity period of hotel projects and hotel classification orders beyond 30.09.2021 have been considered by the Ministry. It has been decided with the approval of the Competent Authority to extend the validity of hotel projects orders and classification/reclassification orders of hotels and other accommodation units such as motels, apartment hotels, IIB&B/homestay units, Convention Centres, Guest houses, timeshare resorts, standalone air catering units, standalone restaurants, etc. beyond 30.09.2021 and till 31.03.2022. This order shall cover project approvals, approval/classification of all the hotels and accommodation units whose validity has expired /is likely to expire in this intervening period.
- 3. It is requested that the hotels and other accommodation units may accordingly be informed.

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