

Institutional Ethics Committee
Institute of Human Behaviour & Allied Sciences, Delhi

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Annexure 4. Application Form for Exempted Review

Title of study:

Principal Investigator (Name, Designation and Affiliation)

1. Choose reasons why exemption from ethics review is requested^{*} ?

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| i. Research on data in the public domain/ systematic reviews or meta-analyses; | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| ii. Observation of public behavior/information recorded without linked identifiers and disclosure would not harm the interests of the observed person | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| iii. Quality control and quality assurance audits in the institution | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| iv. Comparison among instructional techniques, curricula, or classroom management methods | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| v. Consumer acceptance studies related to taste and food quality | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| vi. Public health programmes by government agencies ^{**} | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| vii Any other (please specify in 100 words): | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Signature of PI:

[Click here to enter a date.](#)

Comments of EC Secretariat:

Signature of Member Secretary:

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**Select the category that applies best to your study and justify why you feel it should be exempted from review. For a detailed understanding of the type of studies that are exempt from review, refer to Table 2 of the SOPs and National Ethical Guidelines for Biomedical & Health Research Involving Human Participants 2017, Page 51 Table 4.2.*

***Such as programme evaluation where the sole purpose of the exercise is refinement and improvement of the programme or monitoring (where there are no individual identifiers)*

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