

Advancing Indonesia's Food Regulatory System

Enabling Consumer Protection, Food and Nutrition Security, Entrepreneurship, Innovation and Agri-Food Competitiveness through Innovation-Ready Food Regulation

DATE	Tuesday, 1 September 2026	VENUE	IPMI International Business School, South Jakarta
TIME	08:30–17:00 WIB	PARTICIPANTS	Approximately 60–80 invited stakeholders

Jointly convened by: Ministry of National Development Planning (Bappenas) and Indonesian Food and Drug Authority (BPOM)

Academic and knowledge partner: IPMI Institute – IPMI International Business School | **International technical partner:** Global Food Regulatory Science Society (GForSS)

Strategic Positioning

Food regulation should be recognized not only as a consumer-protection mechanism, but as strategic enabling infrastructure for Indonesia's sustainable food and nutrition ecosystem. **Anchored in risk analysis, Codex guidance, transparency and predictable decision-making, regulatory modernization can strengthen food safety and consumer confidence while supporting innovation, entrepreneurship, investment and the objectives of WNPG XII.**

Workshop Objectives

- Review the foundations of a modern, science-based, risk-based and innovation-ready food regulatory system, guided by Codex CXG 82-2013 and Good Regulatory Practices.
- Examine BPOM's evolving role as protector of consumer health and consumers' rights and as an enabler of responsible innovation, entrepreneurship, investment and fair competition.
- Identify practical enhancements to strengthen transparency, international benchmarking, regulatory predictability, timeliness, stakeholder engagement and inter-agency coordination.
- Develop concise Jakarta Recommendations as a technical contribution to WNPG XII and Indonesia's broader food and nutrition development agenda.

Workshop Programme

Time	Session	Focus
08:30–09:00	Registration	Participant arrival and registration.
09:00–09:40	High-Level Opening Ceremony National Leadership for Food Regulatory Modernization	National Anthem. Welcome and positioning of the workshop by the Academic and Scientific co-hosts and co-convenors By Prof. Aman Wirakartakusumah, Rector, IPMI Institute By Prof. Samuel Godefroy, President Global Food Regulatory Science Society (GForSS), Quebec, Canada Keynote remarks by His Excellency Prof. Dr. Taruna Ikrar, M.Biomed., MD., Ph.D. The Head of BPOM His Excellency Prof. Dr. Ir. Rachmat Pambudy, M.S. Minister of National Development Planning / Head of Bappenas Situating food regulatory modernization within consumer protection, national development priorities and WNPG XII.
09:40–10:00	Collective Picture	Group photo.
10:00–10:30	Introduction of Participants	Brief participant introductions and affiliations.
10:30–11:00	Session 1 The Modern Food Regulator: Protection and Enablement	Framing presentation by Prof. Samuel Godefroy: Foundations of a Robust, Risk-Based and Predictable Food Regulatory System
11:00–11:45	Session 2 Building an Innovation-Ready Food Regulatory Environment	Singapore experience presented by Prof. William Chen, Nanyang Technological University: Enabling Food Innovation Through a Flexible and Adaptable Food Regulatory Regime Facilitated Discussion on the Singapore Experience
11:45–12:15	Coffee Break and Dohr Prayer	Break.
12:15–13:15	Session 3 Good Regulatory Practices: Transparency, Predictability, Efficiency and Fair Competition	Case studies and Facilitated Discussion using food additives and labelling as examples. Focus on indicators of regulatory effectiveness, international benchmarking, procedural clarity, stakeholder confidence and proportionate risk-management measures.
13:15–14:30	Lunch	Lunch break.
14:30–15:30	Session 4 Interactive Assessment of Indonesia's Food Regulatory System	Facilitated SWOT analysis using the foundations of robust regulation, the Singapore experience and innovation-readiness principles: Identification of strengths, gaps, opportunities and practical enhancement priorities.
15:30–16:00	Coffee Break and Asr Prayer	Break.
16:00–16:45	Session 5 Developing the Jakarta Recommendations	Consolidation of recommendations contributing to WNPG XII.
16:45–17:00	Closing Session	Presentation and validation of priority recommendations leading up to the WNPG XII. Closing by IPMI and senior Government of Indonesia representatives.

Expected Outputs

- Common understanding of a robust, predictable and innovation-ready food regulatory system anchored in risk analysis and international guidance.
- Concise assessment of Indonesia's strengths, challenges and modernization opportunities, including food innovation interfaces.
- Jakarta Recommendations identifying actionable priorities for regulatory modernization and technical input to WNPG XII.
- Strengthened structured dialogue among Bappenas, BPOM, other public institutions, academia, entrepreneurs, industry and technical partners.

Institutional Leadership and Follow-Up

Bappenas

Strategic national development leadership; alignment with WNPG XII and food-system transformation priorities.

IPMI Institute

Academic and knowledge partner supporting convening, facilitation, stakeholder engagement and consolidation of outcomes.

BPOM

Regulatory policy and technical leadership toward a science-based, risk-based and innovation-ready model.

GForSS

International technical partner contributing experience in food regulatory science, risk analysis, Codex and Good Regulatory Practices.

Primary deliverable: Jakarta Recommendations on Advancing Indonesia's Food Regulatory System, consolidated by Bappenas and BPOM with support from IPMI and technical partners, for follow-up through WNPG XII and subsequent regulatory modernization efforts.