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Dear Mr Pramod,

This is with regard to the recent "Work Improvements in Small Enterprises (WISE)" and "Work Improvement for Small Construction Sites (WISCON)" training programmes held in Thiruvananthapuram and Cochin respectively, between 11-15 March 2024. Both the trainings have been jointly organized by the Government of Kerala and ILO. We would like to thank you and your team at the Department of Factories & Boilers, Government of Kerala for the excellent cooperation in undertaking these trainings. The field visits facilitated as part of these trainings to the ILO team were very helpful.

We are happy to note the high level of participation of all the tripartite constituents in the trainings, including direct workers and employers. We are confident that these trainings will be taken forward by your department and will help in achieving greater results in coming times. To understand the impact better, we would request you to kindly share the improvements as carried out by participants subsequently in their respective workplaces.

We would also like to take this opportunity to extend our warm regards to the Department of Labour & Skills for their overarching support and collaboration.

We look forward to the next steps and continued association in strengthening Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) in the State. My colleagues could be contacted for further necessary coordination.

Yours sincerely,

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