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## Food safety staff raid restaurant

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Officials of the Vigilance and Enforcement (V&E) and Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) conducted a raid on Tamarind Restaurant, located on Mahanadu Road, opposite New Government General Hospital (GGH), on Saturday.

The team led by V&E DSP R. Vijay Paul and Assistant Food Controller K. Purnachander Rao collected food samples of alleged stale food and meat, and sealed the restaurant.

Inspector Venkateshwarlu said the restaurant management was not maintaining hygiene and was reportedly using leftover food.

The ingredients being used in the dishes were also of poor quality, the officials said.