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<p align="center">ശ്രീ ഡി കെ മുരളി</p>	<p align="center">Shri K N Balagopal (ധനകാര്യ വകുപ്പ് മന്ത്രി)</p>
<p>(എ) സംസ്ഥാനത്ത് സർക്കാരിന്റെ ഏതെങ്കിലും സേവനങ്ങൾ ലഭ്യമാകുന്നതിന് ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കിയിട്ടുണ്ടോ; ഉണ്ടെങ്കിൽ അവ ഏതെല്ലാമെന്ന് വിശദമാക്കാമോ;</p>	<p>(എ) ആധാർ നിർബന്ധിത തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയാക്കേണ്ടത് സംബന്ധിച്ച ബഹു: സുപ്രീം കോടതി വിധിയുടെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിൽ ദി യൂണിക് ഐഡെൻറിഫിക്കേഷൻ അതോറിറ്റി ഓഫ് ഇന്ത്യ (UIDAI) പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള മാർഗ്ഗ നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾക്കനുസൃതമായാണ് സംസ്ഥാന സർക്കാർ ഇത് സംബന്ധിച്ച തീരുമാനങ്ങൾ കൈക്കൊള്ളുന്നത്. പൗരന്മാർക്ക് കേന്ദ്ര-സംസ്ഥാന സഞ്ചിത നിധികളിൽ നിന്ന് (Consolidated Fund of Centre or State) ചെലവാക്കുന്ന സബ്സിഡി , ആനുകൂല്യം , സേവനം എന്നിവക്ക് ആധാർ ആക്ടിന്റെ സെക്ഷൻ 7 പ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടതുണ്ട് . സർക്കാരിന്റെ വിവിധ വകുപ്പുകൾ നൽകുന്ന ഏതൊക്കെ സേവനങ്ങൾക്കാണ് ഇപ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടത് എന്ന് പരിശോധിച്ച് തീരുമാനം കൈക്കൊണ്ട്, അപ്രകാരം വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കുവാൻ എല്ലാ വകുപ്പുകൾക്കും ഐ.ടി വകുപ്പ് നിർദ്ദേശം നൽകിയിട്ടുണ്ട്. പ്രവാസികൾ , ഇന്ത്യൻ വംശജർ തുടങ്ങിയവർക്ക് സേവനങ്ങൾ നൽകുന്നതിന് ആധാർ തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയായി കണക്കാക്കുമ്പോൾ സ്വീകരിക്കേണ്ട നടപടികൾ സംബന്ധിച്ച സർക്കുലർ ഇലക്ട്രോണിക്സും വിവരസാങ്കേതിക വിദ്യയും വകുപ്പിൽ നിന്നും പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട് ഉണ്ട് . ധനകാര്യ വകുപ്പിൽ ട്രഷറിയുടെ TSB (ട്രഷറി സേവിങ്സ് ബാങ്ക്), PiMS (പെൻഷൻ ഇൻഫർമേഷൻ സിസ്റ്റം) , സ്പാർക് , ജി-സ്പാർക് , യൂണിസ്പാർക് , സോഷ്യൽ സെക്യൂരിറ്റി പെൻഷൻ വിതരണത്തിനുള്ള SEVANA എന്നീ അപ്പ്ലിക്കേഷനുകൾക്ക് ആധാർ ഓതെന്റിക്കേഷൻ സേവനം ഉപയോഗിക്കുന്നുണ്ട് ഉത്തരവുകൾ/സർക്കുലറുകൾ 1.സർക്കുലർ നം .</p>

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<p>(ബി) ഇതുസംബന്ധിച്ച് പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള ഉത്തരവുകളുടെയും സർക്കുലറുകളുടെയും പകർപ്പ് ലഭ്യമാക്കാമോ;</p>	<p>(ബി) ആധാർ നിർബന്ധിത തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയാക്കേണ്ടത് സംബന്ധിച്ച ബഹു: സുപ്രീം കോടതി വിധിയുടെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിൽ ദി യൂണിക് ഐഡെൻറിഫിക്കേഷൻ അതോറിറ്റി ഓഫ് ഇന്ത്യ (UIDAI) പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള മാർഗ നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾക്കനുസൃതമായാണ് സംസ്ഥാന സർക്കാർ ഇത് സംബന്ധിച്ച തീരുമാനങ്ങൾ കൈക്കൊള്ളുന്നത്. പൗരന്മാർക്ക് കേന്ദ്ര-സംസ്ഥാന സഞ്ചിത നിധികളിൽ നിന്ന് (Consolidated Fund of Centre or State) ചെലവാക്കുന്ന സബ്സിഡി , ആനുകൂല്യം , സേവനം എന്നിവക്ക് ആധാർ ആക്ടിന്റെ സെക്ഷൻ 7 പ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടതുണ്ട് . സർക്കാരിന്റെ വിവിധ വകുപ്പുകൾ നൽകുന്ന ഏതൊക്കെ സേവനങ്ങൾക്കാണ് ഇപ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടത് എന്ന് പരിശോധിച്ച് തീരുമാനം കൈക്കൊണ്ട്, അപ്രകാരം വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കുവാൻ എല്ലാ വകുപ്പുകൾക്കും ഐ.ടി വകുപ്പ് നിർദ്ദേശം നൽകിയിട്ടുണ്ട്. പ്രവാസികൾ , ഇന്ത്യൻ വംശജർ തുടങ്ങിയവർക്ക് സേവനങ്ങൾ നൽകുന്നതിന് ആധാർ തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയായി കണക്കാക്കുമ്പോൾ സ്വീകരിക്കേണ്ട നടപടികൾ സംബന്ധിച്ച സർക്കുലർ ഇലക്ട്രോണിക്സും വിവരസാങ്കേതിക വിദ്യയും വകുപ്പിൽ നിന്നും പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട് ഉണ്ട് . ധനകാര്യ വകുപ്പിൽ ട്രഷറിയുടെ TSB (ട്രഷറി സേവിങ്സ് ബാങ്ക്), PiMS (പെൻഷൻ ഇൻഫർമേഷൻ സിസ്റ്റം) , സ്പാർക് , ജി-സ്പാർക് , യൂണിസ്പാർക് , സോഷ്യൽ സെക്യൂരിറ്റി പെൻഷൻ വിതരണത്തിനുള്ള SEVANA എന്നീ അപ്ലിക്കേഷനുകൾക്ക് ആധാർ ഓതെന്റിക്കേഷൻ സേവനം ഉപയോഗിക്കുന്നുണ്ട് ഉത്തരവുകൾ/സർക്കുലറുകൾ 1.സർക്കുലർ നം . ഐ.ടി-ബി 1/128/2017-ഐ.ടി.ഡി , തീയതി 09.07.2018 2. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .526/2020 , തീയതി 13.08.2020 3. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .528/2020 , തീയതി 13.08.2020 4. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം</p>	

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(സി)	<p>പ്രസ്തുത സേവനങ്ങൾക്ക് ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കുന്നത് സംബന്ധിച്ച സർക്കാർ നയം എന്തെന്ന് വ്യക്തമാക്കാമോ?</p>	<p>(സി) ആധാർ നിർബന്ധിത തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയാക്കേണ്ടത് സംബന്ധിച്ച ബഹു: സുപ്രീം കോടതി വിധിയുടെ അടിസ്ഥാനത്തിൽ ദി യൂണിക് ഐഡെൻറിഫിക്കേഷൻ അതോറിറ്റി ഓഫ് ഇന്ത്യ (UIDAI) പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുള്ള മാർഗ്ഗ നിർദ്ദേശങ്ങൾക്കനുസൃതമായാണ് സംസ്ഥാന സർക്കാർ ഇത് സംബന്ധിച്ച തീരുമാനങ്ങൾ കൈക്കൊള്ളുന്നത്. പൗരന്മാർക്ക് കേന്ദ്ര-സംസ്ഥാന സഞ്ചിത നിധികളിൽ നിന്ന് (Consolidated Fund of Centre or State) ചെലവാക്കുന്ന സബ്സിഡി , ആനുകൂല്യം , സേവനം എന്നിവക്ക് ആധാർ ആക്ടിന്റെ സെക്ഷൻ 7 പ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടതുണ്ട് . സർക്കാരിന്റെ വിവിധ വകുപ്പുകൾ നൽകുന്ന ഏതൊക്കെ സേവനങ്ങൾക്കാണ് ഇപ്രകാരം ആധാർ നിർബന്ധമാക്കി വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കേണ്ടത് എന്ന് പരിശോധിച്ച് തീരുമാനം കൈക്കൊണ്ട്, അപ്രകാരം വിജ്ഞാപനം പുറപ്പെടുവിക്കുവാൻ എല്ലാ വകുപ്പുകൾക്കും ഐ.ടി വകുപ്പ് നിർദ്ദേശം നൽകിയിട്ടുണ്ട്. പ്രവാസികൾ , ഇന്ത്യൻ വംശജർ തുടങ്ങിയവർക്ക് സേവനങ്ങൾ നൽകുന്നതിന് ആധാർ തിരിച്ചറിയൽ രേഖയായി കണക്കാക്കുമ്പോൾ സ്വീകരിക്കേണ്ട നടപടികൾ സംബന്ധിച്ച സർക്കുലർ ഇലക്ട്രോണിക്സും വിവരസാങ്കേതിക വിദ്യയും വകുപ്പിൽ നിന്നും പുറപ്പെടുവിച്ചിട്ടുണ്ട് ഉണ്ട് . ധനകാര്യ വകുപ്പിൽ ട്രഷറിയുടെ TSB (ട്രഷറി സേവിങ്സ് ബാങ്ക്), PiMS (പെൻഷൻ ഇൻഫർമേഷൻ സിസ്റ്റം) , സ്പാർക് , ജി-സ്പാർക് , യൂണിസ്പാർക് , സോഷ്യൽ സെക്യൂരിറ്റി പെൻഷൻ വിതരണത്തിനുള്ള SEVANA എന്നീ അപ്ലിക്കേഷനുകൾക്ക് ആധാർ ഓതെന്റിക്കേഷൻ സേവനം ഉപയോഗിക്കുന്നുണ്ട് ഉത്തരവുകൾ/സർക്കുലറുകൾ 1.സർക്കുലർ നം . ഐ.ടി-ബി 1/128/2017-ഐ.ടി.ഡി , തീയതി 09.07.2018 2. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .526/2020 , തീയതി 13.08.2020 3. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .528/2020 , തീയതി 13.08.2020 4. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .164/2021 , തീയതി 03.02.2021 5. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .165/2021 , തീയതി 03.02.2021 6. എസ്.ആർ.ഒ നം .127/2021 , തീയതി 12.01.2022</p>

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As per the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Aadhaar Act, 2016), only 'Resident' shall be entitled to obtain Aadhaar number and hence most of the Non-Resident Indians (NRIs), Persons of Indian Origin (PIOs) and Overseas Citizen of India (OCIs) are not entitled to obtain Aadhaar or not eligible for Aadhaar enrolment. Regardless of the fact, many Departments/authorities/implementing agencies are insisting the NRIs / PIOs / OCIs to submit or link their Aadhaar for availing subsidies / benefits / services etc, which is creating difficulties among them.

In this connection, all Departments/authorities/implementing agencies in the State shall keep in consideration the following while seeking Aadhaar as a proof of identity:

a) Most of NRIs / PIOs / OCIs may not be eligible for Aadhaar enrolment as per the Aadhaar Act, 2016 ; and

b) Aadhaar as an identity document may be sought only from those who are

eligible for it as per the provisions of Aadhaar Act, 2016.

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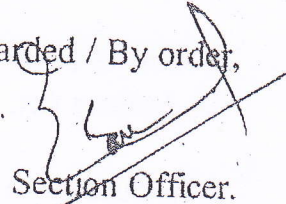
The authorities or implementing agencies may devise a mechanism to ascertain the genuineness of the status of such NRIs/PIOs/OCIs and to seek alternate and viable means of identification as per section 7 of Aadhar Act, 2016, for delivery of subsidy, benefits or services.

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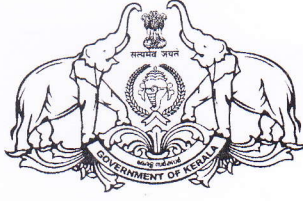
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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

No. 1102936/SFC B2/2019/Fin

Dated: 13.08.2020

Thiruvananthapuram.

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Whereas, the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for delivery of services of benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery processes, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner by obviating the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

And whereas, the Finance Department Government of Kerala is administrating the Social Security Pension disbursement (including Welfare fund board pensions, mentioned below)



through a web based application named SEVANA for which aadhar based bio metric on-line Mustering of Social Security Pensioners/Welfare Fund Board Pensioners are being done using Jeevanrekha software developed by NIC.

A. Social Security Pension

1. Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension
2. Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension
3. Indira Gandhi National Widow Pension
4. Agricultural Labour Pension
5. Pension to Unmarried women above 50yrs

B. Welfare Board Pension

1. Kerala State Unorganised workers welfare Pension
2. Farmers Welfare Pension
3. Kerala Fishermen's Welfare Pension
4. Kerala Dairy Farmers' Welfare Pension
5. Kerala State Lottery Agents and Sellers Welfare Pension
6. Kerala Coir Workers Welfare Pension
7. Kerala Khadi Workers Welfare Pension
8. Kerala Traders Welfare Pension
9. Kerala Headload Workers Welfare Pension
10. Kerala Jewellery workers Welfare Pension
11. Kerala Small Plantation Workers Welfare Pension
12. Kerala Bamboo, Kattuvally and Pandanus Leaf workers Welfare Pension
13. Kerala Beedi and Cigar workers Welfare Pension
14. Kerala Tailoring Workers Welfare Pension
15. Kerala Handloom workers Welfare Pension
16. Kerala Cashew workers Welfare Pension

And whereas, the Scheme is designed to disburse pension to the poorest of the poor, to whom Social Security Pension/Welfare Fund Board Pensions are disbursed as per the guidelines issued from time to time by the implementing Agency as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

And whereas, all the above said Schemes involve recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Kerala

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Government of Kerala hereby notifies the following, namely.

1. (1) An individual eligible for receiving the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.



(2) Any individual desirous of availing benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, shall be required to make application for Aadhaar enrollment before registering for the Scheme provided that he is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act, and such individuals shall visit any Aadhaar enrollment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.

(3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrollment and update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrollment facilities for the beneficiaries who are not yet enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrollment centre located in the respective Block of Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrollment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves.

Provided that till the time Aadhaar is assigned to the individual, benefits under the Scheme shall be given to such individual, subject to the production of the following documents, namely:-

- a. if he has enrolled, his Aadhaar Enrollment Identification slip, and
- b. any one of the following documents, namely:-
 - i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with photo, or
 - ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card, or
 - iii. Passport, or
 - iv. Voter identity Card, or
 - v. MNREGA Card or
 - vi. Kisan Photo passbook, or
 - vii. Driving license issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (59 of 1988), or
 - viii. Certificate of identity having photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on an official letter head, or
 - ix. Those who belongs to Scheduled Tribe/ bedridden patients / those who crossed the age of 80 years for whom no other documents are available can use the Certificate issued by a Government Doctor as proof of age for applying Social Security Pension.

Provided further that the above documents may be checked by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to



ensure that wide publicity through the media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the said requirement.

3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely:-

- a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, Integrated Risk Information System scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its implementing Agency shall make provisions for Integrated Risk Information System scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in seamless manner,
- b. in case the biometric authentication through finger-prints or Integrated Risk Information System scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered.
- c. in all other cases where biometric or Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its implementing Agency.

4. In Addition to the above, in order to ensure that no bonafide beneficiary under the Scheme is deprived of his due benefits, the Department through its implementing Agency shall follow the exception handling mechanism as outlined in the Office Memorandum of DBT Mission, Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India dated 19th December 2017.

5. This notification shall come into effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

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ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY (FINANCE)



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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

No.1102936/B2/2019/Fin

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Thiruvananthapuram.

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Whereas, the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for delivery of services of benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery processes, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner by obviating the need to produce multiple documents to prove one's identity;

And whereas, the Finance Department, Government of Kerala is administrating the Social Security Pension disbursement through a web application named SEVANA for which



Aadhaar based bio-metric on-line Mustering of Social Security Pensioners are being done through Jeevan Rekha Software developed by NIC for the Scheme Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension which is being implemented through the Director of Panchayats and Director of Urban Affairs.

And whereas, under the Scheme, Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension, monthly pension @ 1300/- is given to physically / mentally challenged children up to the age of 18 by the above implementing agencies as per the extant Scheme guidelines;

And whereas, the Finance Department, Government of Kerala is administrating the family pension scheme to the dependents of deceased Government Employees / Service pensioners through the Director of Treasuries as the implementing agency.

And whereas, the aforesaid Scheme involves recurring expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State of Kerala.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (18 of 2016) (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), the Government of Kerala hereby notifies the following, namely:-

- (a) (1) A Child desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.
- (2) A Child desirous of availing the benefit under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, shall be required to make application for Aadhaar enrollment subject to the consent of his parents or guardians, before registering for the Scheme provided that he is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act and such children shall visit any Aadhaar enrollment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.
- (3) As per regulation 12 of the Aadhaar (Enrollment and update) Regulations, 2016, the Department through its Implementing Agency, is required to offer Aadhaar enrollment facilities for the beneficiaries who are not yet enrolled for Aadhaar and in case there is no Aadhaar enrollment centre located in the respective Block of Taluka or Tehsil, the Department through its implementing Agency shall provide Aadhaar enrollment facilities at convenient locations in coordination with the existing Registrars of UIDAI or by becoming a UIDAI Registrar themselves.

Provided that till the time Aadhaar is assigned to the child the benefit under the Scheme shall be given to such children subject to production of the following documents, namely:-

- a. if the child has been enrolled after attaining the age of five years (with biometrics collection), his Aadhaar Enrollment Identification slip, or of biometrics update identification slip, and
- b. any one of the following documents, namely:-
- i. Birth Certificate, or Record of birth issued by the appropriate authority, or



- ii. School identity card, duly signed by the Principal of the school containing parents' names, and
- c. any one of the following documents as proof of relationship of the beneficiary with the parent or legal guardian as per the extant Scheme guidelines, namely
 - i. Birth Certificate, or Record of birth issued by the appropriate authority, or
 - ii. Ex-Servicemen contributory Health Scheme (ECHS) Card or Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) Card or Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) Card or
 - iii. Pension Card or
 - iv. Army Canteen Card or
 - v. any Government Family Entitlement Card or
 - vi. Passport

Provided further that the above documents may be checked by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.

2. In order to provide benefits to the beneficiaries under the Scheme conveniently, the Department through its Implementing Agency shall make all the required arrangements to ensure that wide publicity through media shall be given to the beneficiaries to make them aware of the said requirement.
3. In all cases, where Aadhaar authentication fails due to poor biometrics of the beneficiaries or due to any other reason, the following remedial mechanisms shall be adopted, namely:-
 - a. in case of poor fingerprint quality, Integrated Risk Information System scan or face authentication facility shall be adopted for authentication, thereby the Department through its implementing Agency shall make provisions for Integrated Risk Information System scanners or face authentication along with finger-print authentication for delivery of benefits in seamless manner,
 - b. in case the biometric authentication through finger-prints or Integrated Risk Information System scan or face authentication is not successful, wherever feasible and admissible authentication by Aadhaar One Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password with limited time validity, as the case may be, shall be offered.
 - c. in all other cases where bio-metric or Aadhaar One- Time Password or Time-based One-Time Password authentication is not possible, benefits under the Scheme may be given on the basis of physical Aadhaar letter whose authenticity can be verified through the Quick Response code printed on the Aadhaar letter and the necessary arrangement of Quick Response code reader shall be provided at the convenient locations by the Department through its implementing Agency.
4. Notwithstanding anything contained herein above no child shall be denied benefit under the scheme in case of failure to establish his identity by undergoing authentication, or furnishing proof of possession of Aadhaar number or in the case of a child to whom no



- Aaadhaar number has been assigned, producing an application for enrollment. The benefit shall be given to him by verifying his identity on the basis of other documents as mentioned in clauses (b & c) of the proviso of sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 1, and where benefit is given on the basis of such other documents, a separate register shall be maintained to record the same, which shall be reviewed and audited periodically by the department through its Implementing Agency.
5. This notification shall come into effect from the date of its publication in the Official Gazette.

RAJESH KUMAR SINGH IAS
ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY(FINANCE)



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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Finance (SFC-B)Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O(P)No.17/2021/Fin.

3rd February, 2021

S. R. O. No. 164/2021

Thiruvananthapuram

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendment to the notification issued under No.1102936/SFC-B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 528/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1923 dated 24th,August, 2020, namely:-



AMENDMENT

In the said notification,-

(1) In the preamble,-

(a) for the second paragraph the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“AND WHEREAS, the Finance Department, Government of Kerala (*hereinafter referred to as the Department*) is administrating the **Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension Scheme** (*hereafter referred to as the Scheme*) to provide monthly financial assistance in the form of pension in order to improve the living standards of differently-abled children under the age of 18, and also adults. The Scheme is being implemented through the Director of Panchayat and Director of Urban Affairs (*hereinafter referred to as the Implementing Agencies*);”;

(b) for the third paragraph, the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“AND WHEREAS, under the Scheme, monthly financial assistance in the form of pension (*hereinafter referred to as the benefits*) is given to physically/mentally challenged children up to the age of 18 and to adults (*hereinafter referred to as the beneficiaries*) by the Implementing Agencies as per the extant Scheme guidelines;”;

(c) fourth paragraph shall be omitted;

(2) In the operating part,

(a) paragraph “(a)” shall be renumbered as paragraph “1” and in the paragraph 1 as so renumbered,-

(i) for sub-paragraph (1), the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) An individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.”;

(ii) for sub-paragraph (2), the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“(2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, shall be required to make application for Aadhaar enrolment (subject to the consent of his parents or guardians, in case of children beneficiaries), before registering for the Scheme provided that he is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act and such children shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.”;

(iii) in the first proviso to sub-paragraph(3),-

(a) for the words “to the child”, the words “to the individual” shall be substituted;

(b) for the words “such children”, the words “such individual” shall be substituted;



(iv) for sub-paragraph 'c' to the first proviso, the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“c. any one of the following documents as proof of relationship of the beneficiary with the parent or legal guardian as per the extant Scheme guidelines, namely:-

- i. Birth Certificate, or Record of birth issued by the appropriate authority, or
- ii. Ration Card, or
- iii. Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS) Card or Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) Card or Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) Card or
- iv. Pension Card or
- v. Army Canteen Card or
- vi. any Government Family Entitlement Card or
- vii. Passport

Adult

a. if he has enrolled, his Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and

b. any one of the following documents, namely:-

- i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with photo or
- ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card, or
- iii. Passport, or
- iv. Ration Card, or
- v. Voter identity Card, or
- vi. MNREGA Card, or
- vii. Kisan Photo passbook, or
- viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988), or
- ix. Certificate of identity having photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on an official letter head, or
- x. Those who belong to Scheduled Tribe/bed-ridden patients / those who have crossed the age of 80 years for whom no other documents are available, can use the Certificate issued by a Government Doctor as proof of age for applying Social Security Pension.



Provided further that the above documents may be checked by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.”

(b) in paragraph 3,-

(i) sub-paragraph 'a.', for the words, “Integrated Risk Information System” occurring at both the places and for the word “Agency” the word “iris”, and “Agencies” shall respectively be substituted;

(ii) in sub-paragraph 'b.', for the words “Integrated Risk Information system” the word “iris” shall be substituted;

(iii) in sub-paragraph 'c', for the word “Agency”, the word “Agencies” shall be substituted.

By order of the Governor,

RAJESH KUMAR SINGH IAS
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala have issued notification No.1102936/SFC-B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 528/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1923 dated 24th August, 2020. Now, the Government of India have suggested certain modifications in the above said notification. Accordingly the Government of Kerala have decided to amend the above said notification suitably.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.



(b) in sub paragraph b, for the words “Integrated Risk Information System”, the word “iris” shall be substituted.

By order of the Governor,
RAJESH KUMAR SINGH IAS
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala have issued notification as per G.O.(P)No.1102936/SFC B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No.526/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1921 dated 24th August, 2020. Now, the Government of India have suggested certain modifications in the above said notification. Accordingly the Government of Kerala have decided to amend the above said notification suitably.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.



AMENDMENT

In the said notification,-

(1) In the preamble,-

(a) in the second paragraph,-

(i) after the words "Government of Kerala", the words and brackets "*(hereinafter referred to as the Department)*" shall be inserted;

(ii) for the words "Social Security Pension disbursement (including Welfare Fund Board pensions, mentioned below) through a web based application named SEVANA for which Aadhaar based biometric on-line Mustering of Social Security Pensioners/ Welfare Fund Board Pensioners are being done using Jeevan Rekha software developed by NIC", the words and brackets "below mentioned Social Security Pension Schemes (listed at A below) and Welfare Fund Board Pension Schemes (listed at B below) *(hereinafter together referred to as the Schemes)* to provide monthly financial assistance in the form of pension to the weaker sections of the State of Kerala. These Schemes are being implemented respectively through the Director of Panchayats and the Director or Urban Affairs, and respective Welfare Fund Boards under Government of Kerala *(hereinafter together referred to as the Implementing Agencies):-*" shall be substituted;

(b) for the third paragraph, the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

"AND WHEREAS, under the Schemes, in order to improve their living standards, monthly financial assistance in the form of pension *(hereinafter referred to as the benefits)* is given to the weaker sections of the society and the members of the Welfare Fund Boards who are contractual/ temporary workers *(hereinafter referred to as the beneficiaries)* by the Implementing Agencies as per the extant Scheme guidelines;"

(2) in the operating part,-

(i) in item b of the first proviso to sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 1, sub-item "iv" to "ix" shall be renumbered as sub-items "v" to "x" respectively and before sub-item "v" as so renumbered, the following sub-item and entry shall be inserted, namely:-

"iv. Ration Card, or;"

(ii) in paragraph 3,-

(a) in sub paragraph a, for the words "Integrated Risk Information System" occurring at both the places, the word "iris" shall be substituted;



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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Finance (SFC-B)Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O(P)No.18/2021/Fin.

3rd February, 2021

S. R. O. No. 165/2021

Thiruvananthapuram

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendment to the notification issued under No.1102936/SFC B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 526/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1921 dated 24th August, 2020, namely:-





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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA
Finance Department

NOTIFICATION

No.SL-3/23/2020-Fin

Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 12/01/2022.

S. R. O. No. 127/2022

WHEREAS under Sub-clause (ii) of clause (b) of sub-section (4) of section 4 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 Central Act 18 of 2016 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act), allows performing authentication on voluntary basis, for such purpose, as the Central Government in consultation with the Authority, and in the interest, may prescribe;

AND WHEREAS for such purpose Government of India have framed the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, knowledge) Rules, 2020 wherein the State Government can seek permission under the said rules to use Aadhaar on voluntary basis;



AND WHEREAS Government of India as per Office Memorandum No. 13(4)/2020-EGII (Vol-8) dated 26th March, 2021 has conveyed the approval of the competent authority to Treasury Department, Government of Kerala for the use of Aadhaar authentication services, on voluntary basis, for identification of customers and pensioners in Treasury Savings Bank (TSB) and Pension Information Management System (PiMS) in terms of rule 5 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020 read with Sub-clause (ii) of clause (b) of Sub section (4) of section 4 of the said Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Government of Kerala, hereby notifies the Treasury Department for use of Aadhaar authentication on voluntary basis, for identification of customers and pensioners in Treasury Savings Bank (TSB) and Pension Information Management System (PiMS) as per rule 5 of Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020.

The Secretary, Finance Department shall separately notify the methods of identification in case the claimants does not intend to authenticate using his Aadhaar.

The consent form to be collected from the claimants is specified in schedule A.

SCHEDULE A **Consent Form Format**

I, holder of Aadhaar No give my consent to Treasury Department, Government of Kerala for fetching my identity and other information for Authentication/e-KYC through UIDAI, using the Aadhaar OTP or Biometric/Demographic authentication with UIDAI for identification of customers and pensioner in Treasury Savings Bank (TSB) and Pension Information Management System (PiMS).

The consent and purpose of collecting Aadhaar has been explained to me in local language. The department has informed me that my Aadhaar shall not be used for any purpose other than mentioned above.

I have been given other alternative means by the department for KYC purposes including physical KYC by submitting officially valid documents and I have voluntarily chosen Aadhaar based KYC.

I understand that the Biometrics and/or OTP I provide for authentication shall be used only for authenticating my identity through the Aadhaar Authentication system for that specific transaction and for no other purposes.

By order of the Governor,
Rajesh Kumar Singh I A S
Additional Chief Secretary



Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is to indicate its general purport.)

As per sub-clause (ii) of clause (b) of sub-section (4) of section 4 of the Aadhaar (Targetted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016, an entity may be allowed to perform authentication, if the authority is satisfied that the requesting entity is seeking authentication for such purpose, as the Central Government in consultation with the Authority, and in the interest of the State, may prescribe. For such purpose Government of India have framed the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020. As per sub-rule (1) of rule 3 of the said rules, the Central Government may allow Aadhaar authentication by requesting entities in the interest of good governance, preventing leakage of public funds, promoting ease of living of residents and enabling better access to services for them. Government of India, Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology as per Office Memorandum No. 13(4)/2020-EG-II (Vol.8) dated 26th March, 2021 has conveyed the approval of competent authority to the Treasury Department, Government of Kerala for the use of Aadhaar authentication Services, on voluntary basis, for identification of customers and pensioners in Treasury Savings Bank and Pension Information Management System. Hence, the Government have decided to issue a notification in this regard.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.





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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA Finance (ITSF) Department

NOTIFICATION

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WHEREAS sub-clause (ii) of clause (b) of sub-section (4) of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016)(herein after referred to as the said Act), allows performing authentication on voluntary basis, for such purpose, as the Central Government in consultation with the Authority, and in the interest, may prescribe;

AND WHEREAS for such purpose Government of India have framed the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020, wherein the State Government can seek permission under the said rules to use Aadhaar on voluntary basis;



AND WHEREAS Government of India as per Office Memorandum No.13(4)/2020-EG-II (Vol-8) dated 10th August, 2021 has conveyed the approval of the competent authority to the Finance Department, Government of Kerala for use of Aadhaar authentication services, on voluntary basis, to authenticate employees in SPARK, GSPARK, UNISPARK systems in terms of rule 5 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020 read with sub-clause(ii) of clause (b) of sub-section (4) of the said ACT.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Government of Kerala, hereby notifies the Finance Department for use of Aadhaar authentication, on voluntary basis, to authenticate employees in SPARK, GSPARK, UNISPARK systems as per rule 5 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020.

The Additional Chief Secretary, Finance Department shall separately notify the methods of identification in case the claimant does not intend to authenticate using his Aadhaar. The consent form to be collected from the claimants is specified in Schedule A.

Schedule A

Consent Form Format

I, holder of Aadhaar No..... give my consent to Finance Department, Government of Kerala for fetching my identity and other information for the purpose of Authentication/e-KYC through UIDAI, using the Aadhaar OTP or Bio-metric/demographic authentication with UIDAI for the purpose of authenticating employees in SPARK, GSPARK or UNISPARK.

The consent and purpose of collecting Aadhaar has been explained to me in local language. The department has informed me that my Aadhaar shall not be used for any purpose other than mentioned above.

I have been given other alternative means by the department for KYC purposes including physical KYC by submitting officially valid documents and I have voluntarily chosen Aadhaar based Authentication/e-KYC.

I understand that the Bio-metrics and/or OTP I provide for authentication shall be used only for authenticating my identity through the Aadhaar Authentication system for that specific transaction and for no other purposes.

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