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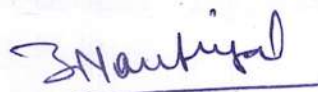
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Sub: Forwarding of Orders/Circulars.

The copy of under mentioned Circular is forwarded herewith for information and necessary action:-

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1.	Section Officer (Admn.)	Aadhar App based Offline Verification at various citizen-facing services to promote ease of living for Aadhar Number Holders and ease of doing business for verifying agencies-reg.	Assistant Director (IT) with the request to upload the same on department website.

Encl: As above


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Diary No. 3113 Date 26/05/26
Dated: 22/5/26
Estt. Branch P.H.Q., Central Jail,
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To,

1. Director General (Prison), Prison Deptt. Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Central Jail, Lajwanti Garden, New Delhi-110064	4. Director, Directorate of Prosecution, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Tis Hazari Complex, Delhi.-110054
2. Pr. Director , Delhi Fire Service (HQ), Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Connaught Place, New Delhi-110001	5. Pr. Director (FSL), Govt. of NCT of Delhi , Madhuban Chowk, Sector -14, Rohini New Delhi-110085
3. Director General (Home Guard), DG Home Guards, Govt. of NCT of Delhi, Raja Garden, New Delhi-110027	6. Commissioner of Police, Delhi Police Headquarters (PHQ), Tower-I, 17th Floor, Jai Singh Road, New Delhi 110001.

Ref: D.O. Letter No.HQ-30011/3/2025-AU-HQ, dated 15.05.2026, issued by Sh. S.Krishan,(IAS) Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & Information technology (MeitY) GOI.

Sub: Aadhar App based Offline Verification at various citizen-facing services to promote ease of living for Aadhar Number Holders and ease of doing business for verifying agencies-reg.

Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of D.O.Letter No. HQ-30011/3/2025-AU-HQ, Dated 15.05.2026 as above mentioned subject received (through email dated 18.05.2026) from Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & Information technology (MeitY) GOI, wherein it is requested to explore adoption of Aadhar App based Offline Verification at various citizen-facing services to promote ease of living for Aadhar Number Holders and ease of doing business for verifying agencies.

It is requested to take further action as desired by the Secretary, Ministry of Electronics & Information technology (MeitY), GOI.

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1. PPS to Principal Secretary (Home), Govt. of NCT of Delhi
2. PS to Special Secretary I & II (Home), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
3. PS to Additional Secretary (Home), Govt. of NCT of Delhi.
4. All Deputy Secretaries, Home, Govt. of NCT of Delhi
5. Guard file

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Secretary



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भारत सरकार

Ministry of Electronics &
Information Technology (MeitY),

Government of India

DO No. HQ-30011/3/2025-AU-HO

15th May, 2026

Dear Chief Secretary.

UIDAI had recently launched its new mobile application, Aadhaar App, that allows Aadhaar Number Holder (ANH) to securely store, show, and share **Aadhaar verifiable credentials** with any external entity for the purpose of identity verification.

2. Aadhaar app based Offline Verification enables secure identity verification, addressing challenges relating to data privacy (Aadhaar photocopy misuse), authenticity of offline Aadhaar data and proof of presence. The Aadhaar App facilitates consent-based sharing of digitally signed and tamper-proof offline Aadhaar data with provision of offline face verification, thereby providing verifiers a secure, efficient and compliant offline verification mechanism with reduced operational overhead.

3. The recent circular No HQ-30011/3/2025-AU-HO by UIDAI, dated 30.04.26, recognizes Aadhaar Verifiable Credentials shown, shared and/or verified through Aadhaar Application, as a valid mechanism for establishing identity of the Aadhaar Number Holder (Copy enclosed for ready reference).

4. Any entity desirous of undertaking Aadhaar app based Offline Verification of Aadhaar Number Holder, should register itself as an Offline Verification Seeking Entity (OVSE) with UIDAI, in accordance with the Aadhaar (Authentication and Offline Verification) Amendment Regulations, 2025 notified by Gazette notification issued on 9th December 2025. Several entities including central government departments, state government departments and private entities have got registered as OVSE.

5. Aadhaar app based Offline Verification can be explored across various citizen-facing use cases such as hotel and guest house registration, visitor management at government and non-government establishments, patient verification at hospitals, candidates' verification for examination, and other service delivery ecosystems requiring reliable identity verification on day-to-day basis.

6. The entire process is designed in alignment with applicable Aadhaar regulations and the provisions of the Digital Personal Data Protection Act.

7. During recent discussions with State authorities and law-enforcement agencies, it was observed that Aadhaar app based Offline Verification mechanism can significantly ensure public safety and reduce cases of identity impersonation.

8. A brief introduction of Aadhaar App and Offline Verification is attached for ready reference.

9. In this regard, it is requested that States/UTs may explore adoption of Aadhaar App based Offline Verification at various citizen-facing services to promote ease of living for Aadhaar Number Holders and ease of doing business for verifying agencies.

Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely,

(S. Krishnan)

To,

Chief Secretaries of all States/ UTs



DO Letter dtd. 15.05.2026 from Secretary, MeitY, on Offline
Verification through Aadhaar App

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Ma'am(s)/Sir(s)

Kindly find attached herewith DO Letter dated 15th May, 2026 on the subject matter for information please.

Thanks & Regards
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Pl. circulate
to all vobals, Police.
including Delhi Police.
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SO (H-Admin)