

GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL
PANCHAYATS & RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT
9TH FLOOR, JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE BUILDING
BLOCK HC, PLOT 7, SECTOR – III,
SALT LAKE CITY, KOLKATA – 700 106

Memo No. 3475-RD/O/NREGA/18M-02/14

Dated: 06.07.2017

From: Dibyendu Sarkar
Commissioner to the Panchayats and Rural Development Department

To: The Principal Secretary, GTA
The District Magistrate & District Programme Co-ordinator (All)
The Additional Executive Officer, Siliguri Mahakuma Parishad

Sub: Calendar for conducting 2nd Phase Aadhaar seeding camps and sharing of Bank Consent.

Madam/Sir

I would like to enclose a copy of the letter (with enclosures) received from the Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India. The issue relates to seeding of Aadhaar in the Accounts of MGNREGA for Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT). The letter has been jointly signed by Joint Secretaries in the Ministry of Rural Development and the Department of Financial Services, Ministry of Finance. Since all Bank Accounts are now mandated for Aadhaar Seeding by 31.12.2017 with consent of account holder, the same applies in case of accounts maintained for payment of wages under MGNREGA. The issue becomes all the more important as Government of India has already notified Aadhaar Based Payment System (ABPS) for all the Job Seekers under MGNREGA.

It has been seen that despite a series of initiatives taken by the districts, percentage of Aadhaar seeding is still low in the State. When it comes to conversion into ABPS, performance is substantially lower. I am attaching a copy of the latest report on District-wise Aadhaar Seeding and ABPS conversion which will clearly indicate the status of coverage in each of the districts. Similar efforts may be taken at the District Level for ascertaining the status Block-wise and Gram Panchayat-wise.

On analysing the present status and the gaps, the following steps may be taken

1) Organizing Aadhaar Seeding Camps at the level of Gram Panchayat or down below to reach out to the remaining Job Seekers. Aadhaar Camp date is from **25.07.2017 to 10.09.2017**

2) In such camps, the provision relating to Aadhaar and voluntary consent for seeding should be explained to the Job Seekers and consent from each of the Job Seekers for seeding into NREGASoft and well as in the bank database should be obtained. For both the purposes different set of consent forms should be used. The consent form for seeding Aadhaar in NREGASoft as already being circulated should be used.

However, for the bank consent a different form has been prescribed this time (enclosed) before use which should be translated into vernacular. The consent for Banks include

multiple accounts numbers for Aadhaar Seeding, out of which one account to be declared for mapping into the NPCI mapper for receiving Direct Benefit Transfer.

3) On completion of the Aadhaar camp, all the collected Aadhaar should be seeded in the NREGASoft along with MoRD consent and the Bank consent should be shared with Bank concerned on weekly basis.

4) The Aadhaar camp schedules with date and location should be uploaded in NREGASoft with appropriate entries. **The Aadhaar camp calendar has to be uploaded in NREGASoft by 10.07.2017.** The Aadhaar Camp related entries are to be made from GP login through the option **D19 "Aadhaar Camp Information"**.

5) Daily Report on Aadhaar and consent collected from the Job Seekers should also be updated in NREGASoft. Bank wise no of bank consents collected has to be uploaded daily in NREGASoft from GP login through the option D19 "Aadhaar Camp Information" and informed to the DPC for taking up with the Lead District Manager.

We should expect a detailed note from the District, initially on the arrangements by 14.07.2017 and later on periodic report on the performance of Aadhaar seeding and Bank consent shared.

Yours faithfully

Dibyendu Sarkar

14.07.2017

ABPS Conversion of Active Workers

S No.	District	Total Active Worker	Total No. of Aadhaar seeded in MIS	No. of Aadhaar for PO Verification			Total Number of Aadhaar Confirmed	Account Frozen	Total Number of Workers Converted into Aadhaar Based Payment	% of Aadhaar Seeding	% of ABPS Conversion
				To be verified	Verified	Rejected					
1	2	3	4	7	8	9	10=5+8	11(out of 10)	12	13	14
1	24 PARGANAS (NORTH)	583606	510036	32314	168215	24804	449231	439305	279006	87.39	47.81
2	24 PARGANAS SOUTH	967611	803986	27730	291470	19803	742542	710162	324125	83.09	33.50
3	ALIPURDUAR	387958	289419	885	85808	1274	284741	251928	95720	74.60	24.67
4	BANKURA	846343	601896	7881	224007	6278	582047	563679	321774	71.12	38.02
5	BIRBHUM	1064161	657839	2213	302668	10127	638845	605114	345380	61.82	32.46
6	COOCHBEHAR	761708	605672	9017	223829	24533	568424	524541	356316	79.51	46.78
7	Darjeeling Gorkha Hill Council (DGHC)	121434	99836	5600	37551	2946	91241	89413	45650	82.21	37.59
8	DINAJPUR DAKSHIN	291235	224958	1435	106488	1339	220222	207678	105611	77.24	36.26
9	DINAJPUR UTTAR	306722	198559	5291	68702	9629	178856	163707	85077	64.77	27.74
10	HOOGHLY	864170	820762	1260	270560	7424	810596	803400	726747	94.98	84.10
11	HOWRAH	214435	191619	1270	72109	649	188254	183765	121509	89.36	56.66
12	JALPAIGURI	482574	370588	8411	106321	7128	353928	334791	223260	76.79	46.26
13	JHARGRAM	327686	212648	1608	85335	6611	201902	190321	105058	64.89	32.06
14	KALIMPONG	64150	49499	1787	22861	0	47682	41386	18055	77.16	28.14
15	MALDAH	524664	428373	8288	200664	11984	405341	385341	176356	81.65	33.61
16	MURSHIDABAD	847561	642714	6134	250886	8949	622945	586913	267029	75.83	31.51
17	NADIA	874582	680186	5560	258389	38632	614749	585686	246493	77.77	28.18
18	PASCHIM BARDHAMAN	157480	121654	366	55636	2350	117516	110344	61938	77.25	39.33
19	PASCHIM MEDINIPUR	997190	795203	5751	274260	28062	758426	738832	470295	79.74	47.16
20	PURBA BARDHAMAN	1418603	1138959	2340	576389	18115	1105683	1044833	659226	80.29	46.47
21	PURBA MEDINIPUR	884529	721070	11683	304364	6424	698799	690111	458392	81.52	51.82
22	PURULLA	553160	328529	18625	105832	14888	289161	247562	82849	59.39	14.98
23	SILIGURI MAHAKUMA PARISAD	88728	75995	811	23234	753	74095	71794	50975	85.65	57.45
	Total	1.4E+07	10570100	166260	4115578	252702	10045226	9570606	5626841	77.55	41.28

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Government of India
Ministry of Rural Development
(Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Division)

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi

Dated: 1st July 2017

To:

1. The Principal Secretary / Secretary
in charge of MGNREGA
All State/UT Governments and UT Administrations
2. The Chairman / Managing Director
of all Public Sector Banks and Private Sector Banks as per attached list
3. The Convener, SLBC
All States/UTs

Sub: MGNREGS—camps for seeding of Aadhaar in the accounts of MGNREGS workers for Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT)—regarding

Sir/Madam,

In terms of the amendments made to the Prevention of Money-laundering (Maintenance of Records) Rules, 2005, *vide* Government of India, Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), notification no. G.S.R. 538(1), dated 1.6.2017, in case the account holders of accounts existing prior to the date of notification fail to submit to the bank their Aadhaar number by 31.12.2017, their accounts shall cease to be operational till the time the Aadhaar number is submitted by the account holder.

2. Therefore, for continued DBT to MGNREGS workers whose accounts are not seeded with Aadhaar number, it is essential that their accounts be seeded with their Aadhaar number, with their consent, latest by 31.12.2017. As per data available with MoRD, the number of such active MGNREGS workers is over 5 crore. To enable such a large number of workers to seed Aadhaar numbers in their accounts, a round of camps is planned, beginning from **25.7.2017, till 10.9.2017.**

3. In this connection, it may also be noted that in the video-conference chaired by Secretary (Coordination & PG), Cabinet Secretariat, Government of India with State Chief Secretaries on 21st & 22nd June 2017, regarding implementation of DBT in States, State Governments have been requested to expedite the process of seeding of Aadhaar numbers in beneficiary bank accounts.

4. In carrying out this exercise, the following may be taken note of:

- (a) MGNREGS workers may be mobilised to special camps at the Gram Panchayat or Block level. During the camps, necessary information regarding seeding Aadhaar number in the bank account may be provided and consent of the workers for seeding obtained. The acknowledgement of receipt of consent may also be ensured.

- (b) Indian Banks' Association, *vide* their attached communication, has circulated among banks a form for obtaining consent of accountholders for seeding Aadhaar number in their account and written consent of the accountholders in the same may be ensured.
- (c) The Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) issued *vide* letter of even number, dated 14.3.2017, of the Ministry of Rural Development (MoRD), co-signed by Joint Secretary, Department of Financial Services, should be followed.
- (d) The calendar for these camps should be uploaded on the MGNREGA MIS (NREGASoft) by **20.7.2017**. Provision for this has been enabled in NREGASoft.

Enclosure: as above



(Amit Agrawal)
Joint Secretary
Department of Financial Services



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Joint Secretary (MGNREGA)
Ministry of Rural Development

Copy, with enclosure, to:

1. Secretary, Government of India, Department of Rural Development
2. Secretary, Government of India, Department of Financial Services
3. Director General and Mission Director, Unique Identification Authority of India
4. Joint Secretary, Government of India, Cabinet Secretariat (DBT Mission)
5. Finance Secretary, all State/UT Governments and UT Administrations
6. Commissioner (In charge of MGNREGA) of all State/UT Governments and UT Administrations
7. Chief Executive, Indian Banks' Association, with the request to communicate this to the remaining banks

List of private sector banks addressed

1. ICICI Bank
2. HDFC Bank
3. Axis Bank
4. Yes Bank
5. IDFC Bank
6. RBL Bank
7. IndusInd Bank
8. Federal Bank
9. Kotak Mahindra Bank
10. Karur Vysya Bank
11. South Indian Bank
12. City Union Bank
13. Lakshmi Vilas Bank

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Sent: 13 April 2017 19:04

To: Public Sector Banks; Private Sector Banks; Foreign Banks; Co-operative Banks; Regional Rural Banks

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Subject: Aadhaar Seeding in Multiple Banks Accounts

Dear Sir/Madam.

Aadhaar Seeding in Multiple Banks Accounts

Please refer to our e-Mail dated 20/03/2017 the forwarding the format for seeding Aadhaar.

In this connection, based on suggestion for UIDAI the format has been slightly modified and modified version is enclosed. This format can be used for getting consent from customer for Aadhaar seeding.

In new accounts to be opened

In all existing accounts

For seeding mobile number

For seeding e-Mail id (where provided)

The same for can be used at the branch or can be collected from the BC or V.O/B.D.O with authorization from the customer.

Please arrange to get customer consent in this format only

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**APPLICATION FOR LINKING AADHAAR NUMBER TO BANK ACCOUNT and
CONSENT FOR AADHAAR BASED AUTHENTICATION**

To

The Branch Manager.
.....Bank
.....Branch

Date:

I(name of the account holder) /S/w/POR/O..... wish to link my Aadhaar number to my proposed /Existing bank account number.

The particulars of the Aadhaar / UID letter are as under: (self-attested copy enclosed)
Aadhaar / UID number
Name of the Aadhaar Holder as in Aadhaar Card.....

2. I hereby state & undertake that I have no objection in authenticating myself with Aadhaar based Authentication system and hereby give my voluntary consent as required under the Aadhaar Act 2016 and Regulations framed thereunder for seeding my Aadhaar number to my bank account & to provide my identity information (Aadhaar number, biometric information & demographic information) for Aadhaar based authentication for the purpose of availing of the banking services including operation of account & for delivery of subsidies, benefits and services or any other facility relating to banking operations.

3. I hereby give my voluntary consent in seeding my Aadhaar Number to all my existing bank accounts and to my customer profile.

i. Account Number 1: ii. Account Number 2:
iii. Account number 3: iv. Account Number 4:

4. I hereby authorise to use my linked Aadhaar enabled bank account for receiving Government payment across schemes that I am eligible & /or any other payment using the Aadhaar based information and NPCI may MAP my primary account in the Aadhaar Mapper of NPCI.

5. (Tick (✓) only one from below for NPCI Mapper for getting DBT benefits)

- Map my account no. _____ at NPCI to enable me to receive Direct Benefit Transfer(DBT) from Government of India in my above account. I understand that if more than one Benefit transfer is due to me, I will receive all Benefit Transfers in this account**
- I already have an account with another bank linked to Aadhaar and only that will be used for NPCI mapper and for receiving Direct Benefit Transfer from Government of India.**

6. I further request you to register my mobile number..... to my above account number. SMS alerts may be sent to this mobile number. Please also register my email-Id.....

7. I have been explained about the nature of information that may be shared upon authentication. I have been given to understand that my *information submitted to the bank herewith shall not be used for any purpose other than mentioned above, or as per requirements of law.*

8. I hereby declare that all the above information voluntarily furnished by me is true, correct and complete.

Yours faithfully

[if consent sent through BC/BDO/VO]

(Signature/Thumb Impression of customer)

I hereby authorise the Banking Correspondent

I hereby authorise the Sarpanch

V.O./B.D.O.....
to submit the above consent letter to the bank.

Name

Father/ Spouse Name:

Account Number:

Address of the customer:

Branch Name:

Bank Name:

(Signature/Thumb Impression of customer)