

**Records of Discussions held by the Chief Secretary, Goa with the Dy. Director General, UIDAI, Mumbai held in the chamber of Chief Secretary at Porvorim-Goa on 13<sup>th</sup> June 2017 at 1.00 P.m.**

Apart from Shri Dharmendra Sharma, C.S. & Shri S. C. Chahande, Dy. D.G. UIDAI, Mumbai following officials also participated in the discussions:

1. Shri Daulat A. Hawaldar, Secretary (Planning)
2. Shri Vikas Gaunekar, Director, Planning & Statistics
3. Shri G. P. Kanekar, Director of Accounts
4. Shri Mahesh Khorjuenkar, Director, Civil Supplies
5. Shri Rishikesh Halarnkar, Dy Director, Accounts.
6. Shri Bipin Khot, Asst. Director General, UIDAI

The following issues were discussed:

**1. Implementation/ Seeding of Aadhar for Central Govt Schemes:**

D.D.G. informed that the GOI has issued about 97 notifications under section 7 of the Aadhaar Act requiring various departments/agencies to seed/validate Aadhaar with various CSS Schemes and Services rendered to the Citizens.

It was also informed that the said notifications requiring use of aadhaar is time bound and failure to implement the same within the stipulated period may invite risk of restricted assistance from GOI after the deadline for the schemes to the extent Aadhaar seeded number of beneficiaries only. The stress was laid on the following 5 major CSS.

1. Public Distribution System – Deadline 30<sup>th</sup> June 2017
  2. Mid day Meal Scheme
  3. ICDS Schemes
  4. Various Scholarship Schemes
  5. MGNREGA
2. **P.D.S.** :It was seen that Ration Card Seeding in PDS is about 98.5 % however beneficiary Aadhar Seeding was only 81 % . Also the roll out of Aadhaar based ePOS Machines at all the Fair Price Shops wherein deadline was 31<sup>st</sup> March 2017 has not gone beyond Pilot in 40 FPS.
3. The Chief Secretary Directed D.C.S. that immediate action be initiated to roll out the ePOS before 31<sup>st</sup> July 2017 and simultaneously to seek govt approval before 30<sup>th</sup> June to issue Circular to have an S.O.P. for alternative in the interim period till e PoS are installed in all FPSs so as to not deny the benefits to citizens whose Aadhaar has not been seeded. Also

