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NOTIFICATION

The 9th July, 2025,

No. DITC-12011/31/2023-SCITeG-DEPT.— Whereas the use of Aadhaar number to establish identity enables individuals to receive subsidies, benefits and services in a convenient and seamless manner, obviates the need for multiplicity of documents to establish identity, simplifies processes and promotes transparency and efficiency:

And whereas the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology, Government of India, after consultation with the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI), had allowed *vide* its letter No. **eF. No. 13(2)/2025-EG-II³**, **dated 7th April**, **2025** to the **Department of Information Technology and Communications (State Council for IT eGovernance)¹** (hereinafter referred to as the said Ministry or the said department or the said Agency), Government of Arunachal Pradesh² (hereinafter referred to as the said Government) for the purposes prescribed under sub-rule (1) of rule 3 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020 (hereinafter referred to as the said rules) that the said Government Department may be allowed to perform authentication and be permitted the use of Aadhaar number during authentication for establishing identity of Aadhaar number holder and notify the same under rule 5 of the said rules read with 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 (hereinafter referred to as the Act):

And whereas, the Aadhaar authentication shall be performed for identifying citizens/tourists for issuance of Inner Line Permit (ILP) through the electronic system, using Yes/No or/and eKYC (hereinafter referred to as the said purpose) as prescribed under sub-rule (1) of rule 3 of the said rules, and the performance of Aadhaar authentication for the said purpose shall be on a voluntary basis and that the said Department shall perform the Aadhaar authentication only for identifying citizens/tourists for issuance of Inner Line Permit (ILP) through the electronic system, using Yes/No or/and eKYC [hereinafter referred to as the use case(s)].

Now, therefore, in pursuance of rule 5 of the said rules read with sub-clause (ii) of clause (b) of sub-section (4) of Section 4 of the Act, the said Ministry/Department/Agency hereby notifies the following, namely:

- 1. (1) The Department as provided in the Act, shall obtain the consent of the Aadhaar number holder for the purpose of authentication herein.
 - (2) As per sub-rule (2) of rule 3 of the said rules, Aadhaar authentication is on voluntary basis the Department shall inform to the Aadhaar number holder of alternate and viable means of identification and shall not deny any service to the Aadhaar number holder for refusing to, or being unable to, undergo Aadhaar authentication, namely: -
 - (a) Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card
 - (b) Passport
 - (c) Voter Identity Card
 - (d) Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988, 959 of 1988.
 - (e) Caste Certificate
- 2. This notification shall come into effect from the date of its publication in the official Gazette.

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Department of Information Technology and
Communication,
Government of Arunachal Pradesh,
Itanagar.

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