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To
RDs/JDs (I/c)/DDs (I/c)
Regional/Sub-Regional Office,
Employees' State Insurance Corporation.
Corporation

Medical Superintendent/Deans ESIC Hospitals/Medical Colleges, Employees' State Insurance

Subject – Aadhar seeding in respect of Insured persons and their family members – reg.

Please refer to this office letters of even No. dated 20/06/2023, 17/07/2023 and 20/07/2023 wherein process of Aadhar seeding was circulated in detail for information and necessary action by all the field offices.

Despite of the above instructions, it has been observed that progress of Aadhar seeding is not satisfactory and the field offices are not able to achieve the daily targets fixed for them. Field offices have frequently raised issues relating to the OTP based authentication citing the reasons like non-receipt of OTP, change of mobile number by IPs etc.

In view of the above, the matter has been examined at Hqrs. and it has been decided that in addition to OTP based authentication, biometric authentication should also be introduced to speed up Aadhar seeding in respect of insured persons and their dependents. The ICT Division(Hqrs) has developed an application for the same which will be made available shortly. For the Biometric authentication the ICT Division has suggested the following make/model of biometric devices which are compatible with our application and are approved by the C-DAC:-

- 1. MFS110 (M/s Mantra Softech (India) Pvt. Ltd.).
- 2. FM220U L1 (M/s Access Computech Pvt. Ltd.)

The detail of the biometric authentication devices is available at https://uidai.gov.in/images/Fingerprint_L1_RD_Devices_14_09_2023.pdf

The above devices are to be procured after following the due process and as per the details given below:-

Procuring Office: Dean/MS, ESIC Hospitals/Medical College

S.No.	Name of the office	Quantity
1.	ESIC Hospital & Medical	1 Biometric device per 150 OPD
	Colleges	attendance.
		1 Kiosk for every 150 OPDs per day
		should be set up in Hospital/Medical
		Colleges.
		In addition to above, 5 Devices may be
		purchased for Hospital use, for the
		activities as stipulated by the Medical
		services

Procuring Office: Directorate (Medical) Delhi

S.No.	Name of the office	Quantity
1.	Directorate (Medical) Delhi	1 Biometric device for each of the ESIC
	for the Dispensaries in Delhi	Dispensaries at Delhi and 2 spare
		devices for use in Directorate (Med.)
		Delhi.

Procuring Office: RO/SRO

S.No.	Name of the office	Quantity	
1.	RO/SRO	2 Biometric devices for each Branch	
		offices/DCBOs under the jurisdiction of	
		RO/SRO	
		1 Biometric device for each of the inspection zone may be used by the field offices for the	
		Aadhar seeding at employer's premises.	
		In addition to above the RO/SRO may procure	
		up to maximum 10 devices as per their need	
		assessment, keeping in view local conditions.	

All field offices are directed to use these Biometric devices at Regional Offices, Sub-regional offices, Branch Offices, DCBOs, Kiosk established at ESIC Hospitals/Medical colleges, IPs clusters and employer's premises so that the target fixed for the ROs/SROs may be achieved on daily basis.

This issues with the approval of the Director General.

(Ravi Prakash, IOFS)
Additional Commissioner(Bft & PG)