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branches/business correspondents (BCs). The UIDAI then transfers the data of the

individual comprising name, age, gender, and photograph of the individual,

electronically to the bank/BCs, which may be accepted as valid process for KYC

verification. The broad operational instructions to banks on Aadhaar e-KYC service is

enclosed as Annex.

3. Banks are advised to have proper infrastructure (as specified in Annex) in place to

enable biometric authentication for e-KYC.

4. Physical Aadhaar card/letter issued by UIDAI containing details of name, address

and Aadhaar number received through post would continue to be accepted as an

'Officially Valid Document'.

5. Banks may revise their KYC policy in the light of the above instructions and ensure

strict adherence to the same.

Yours faithfully,

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