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Government of India
Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology

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New Delhi - 110 003
Dated **May 2024**

To:

Secretary to the Government of India
Department of Defence/Ministry of Defence
Defence Dept noida, 564563

Subject: Authorisation for performance of Aadhaar authentication services under the provisions of 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 — regarding

Sir,

Please refer to the Ministry's letter no. **SWIK/2024/04/4**, dated **06.05.2024**, regarding the above subject.

2. In this regard, the undersigned is directed to hereby convey authorisation by the Central Government for the **Department of Defence/Ministry of Defence** to notify under rule 5 of the Aadhaar Authentication for Good Governance (Social Welfare, Innovation, Knowledge) Rules, 2020 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 ("Act"), performance of Aadhaar authentication, on a voluntary basis,, using **Yes/No Authentication** facility, for provisioning of entitled benefits/facilities, such as of **Please note that the proposals which do not qual, .**

3. In this connection, it is further advised that all relevant provisions of the Act, the rules and regulations made thereunder, and directions issued by the Unique Identification Authority of India ("Authority") shall be complied with. Further, for any technical issues or clarifications regarding authentication for the said purpose, the Authority may be contacted.

Yours faithfully,
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Chief Executive Officer, Unique Identification Authority of India, with reference to the Authority's letter no., dated 06.05.2024