

# Flutter Assignment: Request Handling Workflow Prototype

## Objective

The goal of this assignment is to build a **prototype mobile application using Flutter** that simulates a real-world **request and confirmation workflow**. The app must support **two roles** with distinct functionalities:

- **End User** → Submits requests containing multiple items.
- **Receiver** → Reviews requests and confirms availability of items one by one.

The system must **track request statuses** (Pending, Confirmed, Partially Fulfilled) and handle **partial confirmations** by reassigning unconfirmed items.

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## Roles & Features

### 1. End User

The End User represents a person making a request for multiple items.

#### Features:

- Create a new request by selecting items.
- Submit the request to the system.
- View submitted requests with their statuses:
  - **Pending** → Request submitted, awaiting receiver review.
  - **Confirmed** → All items confirmed by the receiver.
  - **Partially Fulfilled** → Some items confirmed, others reassigned.

- Track real-time progress of request status (without Firebase).
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## 2. Receiver

The Receiver represents the entity reviewing and fulfilling requests.

### Features:

- View all new requests assigned to them.
  - Open a request and review it item by item.
  - Confirm availability of items individually (e.g., mark as Available / Not Available).
  - Submit confirmation results back to the system.
  - If all items are confirmed → request status becomes **Confirmed**.
  - If only some items are confirmed → request status becomes **Partially Fulfilled** and unconfirmed items are **reassigned**.
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## General System Requirements

- **Backend or Mock Server**
  - A simple backend (Node.js/Express, Django, or mock JSON server) must be used to store requests and manage status updates.
  - Endpoints should include:
    - Create request
    - Fetch requests (per role)
    - Update confirmation status
- **Real-Time Updates (No Firebase)**

- The app must show real-time updates when statuses change.
  - Acceptable approaches:
    - Polling at regular intervals
    - WebSockets (preferred if possible)
  - **Authentication**
    - Basic login system to differentiate **End User** and **Receiver**.
    - Simple role-based authentication (no need for OAuth).
  - **State Management**
    - Use a recommended solution like **Riverpod** or **Provider** to ensure clean, maintainable code.
  - **Error Handling**
    - Handle edge cases like:
      - Network failure
      - Request submission errors
      - Receiver submitting incomplete confirmation
  - **UI/UX**
    - Keep the interface **simple, minimal, and professional**.
    - Focus on clarity over design complexity.
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## **Deliverables**

### 1. **Flutter Mobile Application**

- Both End User and Receiver roles implemented.

- Real-time updates working without Firebase.

## 2. Backend / Mock Service

- Supports request creation, confirmation, status tracking.
- Handles partial fulfillment (reassigning unconfirmed items).

## 3. GitHub Repository containing:

- Complete **source code**.
- **README.md** with:
  - Setup instructions (how to run backend + Flutter app).
  - Explanation of system design & approach.
  - API endpoints (if backend is implemented).
- **Short demo video (2–5 min)** showcasing the full workflow (End User submits request → Receiver confirms → Status updates).



## Evaluation Criteria

- Implementation of both roles and full workflow.
  - Correct handling of partial confirmations (confirmed vs reassigned).
  - Real-time updates without Firebase.
  - Clean, structured code with proper state management.
  - Professional & minimal UI.
  - Quality of documentation & clarity of demo video.
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## **Key Features to Implement (Checklist for Intern)**

- End User can create and submit requests with multiple items.
- End User can view request statuses (Pending / Confirmed / Partially Fulfilled).
- Receiver can view assigned requests.
- Receiver can confirm items individually.
- System updates request status (Confirmed / Partially Fulfilled).
- Unconfirmed items are reassigned.
- Real-time updates implemented via polling or sockets.
- Basic role-based authentication (End User vs Receiver).
- Error handling for failed network requests.
- Clear project documentation and demo video.