GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY
PLANNING AND RESEARCH DEPARTMENT
UID Implementation Cell

No.3938/PRD/DD(UID)/2023(Part)   Puducherry,the 20.12.2023

CIRCULAR

Sub: PRD – UID – Masking of Biometric Information and
Aadhaar Number available on Online Portals – Reg.

Ref: e-mail dated 29.11.2023 from UIDAI, Regional Office,
Bengaluru (copy enclosed)

UIDAI has communicated vide reference above that there is a display of Aadhaar number in some of the documents from various Departments of Govt. of Puducherry and has requested to mask/remove the Aadhaar numbers in the document/website mentioned in the annexure.

2.   In this regard, Section 6 of Aadhaar (Sharing of Information)Regulations, 2016 specifies restrictions on sharing, circulating or publishing of Aadhaar number.

3.   Hence, the Head of Departments are requested to take necessary action immediately to remove/mask the Aadhaar numbers as well as biometric information from their websites/documents posted in the website or any othe public domain at the earliest.

4.   This issues with the approval of Secretary(Plg)-cum-Commissioner(UID).

(R. Sheela)
Director(Plg)

Encl: As stated.

To

All Heads of Departments.

Copy to:

1. P.S. to Chief Secretary
2. P.S. to Secretary(Plg)

Aadhaar data exposed publicly

From : David Simons <amtn2.roblr.uidai@nic.in>   Wed, Nov 29, 2023 01:11 PM

Subject : Aadhaar data exposed publicly   📎3 attachments

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Dear Team

This is to inform that there is a display of Aadhaar number in some of the documents from your organizations pertaining to Puducherry ,
we hereby requested to mask/remove the Aadhaar number in the below mentioned document/website.
or else it will proceed for the legal action

**Please take necessary action with the departments to remove all those details from the website/document immediately and acknowledge the
same.**

As per the Data Leakage Prevention Policy at UIDAI, seven policies are enable:
➢ **Aadhaar Number:** Identifies documents and transmissions that contain Aadhaar Numbers (UID).
➢ **Confidential Document:** Identifies documents and transmissions that contain language in the header, footer or metadata indicating the conte
use.
➢ **Encrypted Files (Predefined Policy):** Identifies documents and transmissions containing encrypted or password-protected files.
➢ **INDIA IT Act (Predefined Policy):** Detects Name and Aadhaar Numbers.
➢ **Network Security Information:** Detects IP Address and network related keywords in PDF, word, Visio, Jpeg etc.
➢ **Software Design Documents:** Detects software design related keywords such as design, architecture, user interface etc.
➢ **Software Source Code:** Identifies documents and transmissions that contain source code and computer programs written in the C, C++, C#

We request your prompt response for event stated above to mask/remove Aadhaar Numbers (UID) at the earliest.

Monitoring of data is mandatory in UIDAI for safeguarding the confidential information of our organization hence preventative measures are to
support to ensure the adherence with Acceptable Usage Policy in Code of Conduct. For the details of policy please **Click Here** or please refer to t

Sr. No.	Domain, Contact & Ownership	URL	Status
3480	Directorate of Stationary and Printing	styandptg.py.gov.in/2015/March/ORDINARY/11/11%20Announcements%20No.%2011%20 dt.%2017-3-2015.pdf styandptg.py.gov.in/2021/JULY/ORDINARY/29/29%20Announcements%20dt%2020-07-2021.pdf	Open
3656	Pondicherry Institute of Hotel Management and Catering Technology	pihmct.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/hsrt-batch2.pdf	Open
3703	Department of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Government of Puducherry	fisheries.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/invalid-aadhaar-not-matching-govt.servant-puducherry.pdf	Open
3772	Department of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Government of Puducherry	fisheries.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/list-yanam-region-lean-2021-22-phase-1.pdf	Open
3815	Directorate of Accounts and Treasury, Government of Puducherry	dat.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/udhaadupdate.pdf	Open
3881	The Department of Civil Supplies&Consumer Affairs, Government of Puducherry	dcsca.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/All-PDF/Invaild%20Aadhar%2014_11_2022.pdf	Open
3896	DIRECTORATE OF STATIONERY AND PRINTING	styandptg.py.gov.in/2015/June/ORDINARY/23/23%20Announcements%20No.%2023%20d t.%209-6-2015.pdf styandptg.py.gov.in/2015/May/ORDINARY/19/19%20Announcements%20No.%2019%20dt .%2012-5-2015.pdf	Open
3985	The Pondicherry State Cooperative Housing Federation Ltd	prera.py.gov.in/reraApp/download?DOC_ID=2005 prera.py.gov.in/reraApp/download?DOC_ID=3450	Open
4286	Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare	ahd.py.gov.in/sites/default/files//puducherry-all.pdf ahd.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/cattle-feed-list-2022-23.pdf	Open
4303	Labour Department, Government of Puducherry	labour.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/pulwsmaternity-benefitdecember2020.pdf	Open
4311	Government of Puducherry	py.gov.in/sites/default/files/adw07072015bldetails.pdf py.gov.in/sites/default/files/fish31122020.pdf	Open
4322	DIRECTORATE OF STATIONERY AND PRINTING Government of Puduchery	styandptg.py.gov.in/2021/JULY/ORDINARY/29/OG%2029%20Dated%2020-07-2021.pdf	Open
4328	Department of Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs	dcsca.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/All-PDF/Invaild%20Aadhar%2014_11_2022.pdf	Open
4332	Department of Animal Husbandry and Animal Welfare, Government of Puducherry	ahd.py.gov.in/sites/default/files/cattle-feed-list-2022-23.pdf	Open
4341	Real Estate Regulatory Authority Puducherry	prera.py.gov.in/reraApp/download?DOC_ID=308	Open
4353	Government of Puducherry	py.gov.in/sites/default/files/adw07072015bldetails.pdf	Open