



Government of Jammu and Kashmir
General Administration Department
Civil Secretariat, J&K

Subject: **Phase out of existing fingerprint L0 Registered Devices with L1 RD devices from Aadhaar authentication ecosystem.**

Reference: O.M. No. IT-Gen/130/2023 (7139280) dated 08.07.2024 of Information Technology Department.

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With a view to enhance security and accuracy of biometric transactions, the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI), has advised that existing biometric authentication systems be upgraded from the Level 0 (L0) to Level 1 (L1) finger-point scanners. The key features of fingerprint L1 Registered Devices (RD) are improved accuracy, enhanced security, and advanced features, which allow for a more reliable and efficient fingerprint authentication process, making it suitable for a wide range of applications requiring heightened security measures. However, to avoid any disruptions in the system, all existing deployed fingerprint L0 RD devices are to be phased out of the authentication ecosystem in the gradual manner. The Information Technology vide above referred OM has already advised all the Administrative Departments to strictly follow the instructions/guidelines issued in this regard by UIDAI.

Accordingly, it is again enjoined upon all the Administrative Secretaries/Deputy Commissioners/Heads of Departments/Managing Directors of PSUs/Corporation/Boards to replace the L0 RD fingerprint devices with L1 RD fingerprint devices for Aadhaar authentication.

For any kind of assistance required in the process, Mr. Shoab, Project Manager, UIDAI (9796738707) may kindly be contacted.

Sd/-
(Sanjeev Verma) IAS,
Commissioner/Secretary to the Government

No: GAD-SERV0IAS/124/2024-02

Dated: 30.09.2024.

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Under Secretary to the Government.

