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GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

Finance (SFC-B)Department

NOTIFICATION

G.O(P)No.17/2021/Fin.

3rd February, 2021

S. R. O. No. 164/2021

Thiruvananthapuram

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala hereby make the following amendment to the notification issued under No.1102936/SFC-B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 528/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1923 dated 24th, August, 2020, namely:-



AMENDMENT

In the said notification,-

(1) In the preamble,-

(a) for the second paragraph the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“AND WHEREAS, the Finance Department, Government of Kerala (*hereinafter referred to as the Department*) is administrating the **Indira Gandhi National Disability Pension Scheme** (*hereafter referred to as the Scheme*) to provide monthly financial assistance in the form of pension in order to improve the living standards of differently-abled children under the age of 18, and also adults. The Scheme is being implemented through the Director of Panchayat and Director of Urban Affairs (*hereinafter referred to as the Implementing Agencies*);”;

(b) for the third paragraph, the following paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“AND WHEREAS, under the Scheme, monthly financial assistance in the form of pension (*hereinafter referred to as the benefits*) is given to physically/mentally challenged children up to the age of 18 and to adults (*hereinafter referred to as the beneficiaries*) by the Implementing Agencies as per the extant Scheme guidelines;”;

(c) fourth paragraph shall be omitted;

(2) In the operating part,

(a) paragraph “(a)” shall be renumbered as paragraph “1” and in the paragraph 1 as so renumbered,-

(i) for sub-paragraph (1), the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“(1) An individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme shall hereby be required to furnish proof of possession of the Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication.”;

(ii) for sub-paragraph (2), the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“(2) Any individual desirous of availing the benefits under the Scheme, who does not possess the Aadhaar number or, has not yet enrolled for Aadhaar, shall be required to make application for Aadhaar enrolment (subject to the consent of his parents or guardians, in case of children beneficiaries), before registering for the Scheme provided that he is entitled to obtain Aadhaar as per section 3 of the said Act and such children shall visit any Aadhaar enrolment centre (list available at the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) website www.uidai.gov.in) to get enrolled for Aadhaar.”;

(iii) in the first proviso to sub-paragraph(3),-

(a) for the words “to the child”, the words “to the individual” shall be substituted;

(b) for the words “such children”, the words “such individual” shall be substituted;



(iv) for sub-paragraph 'c' to the first proviso, the following sub-paragraph shall be substituted, namely:-

“c. any one of the following documents as proof of relationship of the beneficiary with the parent or legal guardian as per the extant Scheme guidelines, namely:-

- i. Birth Certificate, or Record of birth issued by the appropriate authority, or
- ii. Ration Card, or
- iii. Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS) Card or Employees State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) Card or Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS) Card or
- iv. Pension Card or
- v. Army Canteen Card or
- vi. any Government Family Entitlement Card or
- vii. Passport

Adult

a. if he has enrolled, his Aadhaar Enrolment Identification slip, and

b. any one of the following documents, namely:-

- i. Bank or Post Office Passbook with photo or
- ii. Permanent Account Number (PAN) Card, or
- iii. Passport, or
- iv. Ration Card, or
- v. Voter identity Card, or
- vi. MNREGA Card, or
- vii. Kisan Photo passbook, or
- viii. Driving License issued by the Licensing Authority under the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988 (Central Act 59 of 1988), or
- ix. Certificate of identity having photo of such person issued by a Gazetted Officer or a Tehsildar on an official letter head, or
- x. Those who belong to Scheduled Tribe/bed-ridden patients / those who have crossed the age of 80 years for whom no other documents are available, can use the Certificate issued by a Government Doctor as proof of age for applying Social Security Pension.



Provided further that the above documents may be checked by an officer specifically designated by the Department for that purpose.”

(b) in paragraph 3,-

(i) sub-paragraph 'a.', for the words, “Integrated Risk Information System” occurring at both the places and for the word “Agency” the word “iris”, and “Agencies” shall respectively be substituted;

(ii) in sub-paragraph 'b.', for the words “Integrated Risk Information system” the word “iris” shall be substituted;

(iii) in sub-paragraph 'c', for the word “Agency”, the word “Agencies” shall be substituted.

By order of the Governor,

RAJESH KUMAR SINGH IAS
Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Explanatory Note

(This does not form part of the notification, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

In pursuance of section 7 of the Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2016 (Central Act 18 of 2016) the Government of Kerala have issued notification No.1102936/SFC-B2/2019/Fin. Dated 13th August, 2020 and published as S.R.O.No. 528/2020 in the Kerala Gazette Extraordinary No. 1923 dated 24th August, 2020. Now, the Government of India have suggested certain modifications in the above said notification. Accordingly the Government of Kerala have decided to amend the above said notification suitably.

The notification is intended to achieve the above object.

