



GOVT. OF ASSAM,

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COMMISSIONER, CHIRANG ::KAJALGAON

File No. ADH-13/2/2025-ADH-CHR/622101

Approved Date

To,

1. The Circle Officer, Bijni Revenue Circle, Bijni
2. The Circle Officer, Sidli Revenue Circle, Sidli
3. The Circle Officer, Bengtol Revenue Circle, Bengtol

Sub: Restriction on Fresh Aadhaar Enrolment of Adults (18 Years & Above), with Specified Exemptions, up to 31.03.2027 – regarding.

Ref: Notification No. ECF-No. 257924/19 dated 07/09/2026, issued by the General Administration Department, Government of Assam.

Sir,

I am directed to forward, for your information and strict compliance, a copy of the Notification cited above, issued by the General Administration Department, Government of Assam, whereby the Governor of Assam has been pleased to order that the issuance of fresh Aadhaar cards to adults (18 years and above) shall remain prohibited, except for Divyangjans, Scheduled Tribes, Tea Garden communities, Moran and Matak communities, up to 31st March, 2027.

In this connection, the following instructions are conveyed for compliance in your respective Circles:

1. The restriction on issuance of fresh Aadhaar cards to adults (18 years and above) shall remain in force up to 31.03.2027, except in respect of Divyangjans, Scheduled Tribes, Tea Garden communities, Moran and Matak communities, who stand exempted till the said date.
2. In all other cases, any proposal for issuance of a fresh Aadhaar card to an adult shall be submitted by this Office to the State Government for prior approval, and no fresh enrolment of adults falling outside the exempted categories shall be undertaken without such prior approval.
3. The restriction shall not apply to persons below 18 years of age, and enrolment of minors may continue as per the existing procedure.
4. Aadhaar applications already under process/pending with the Circle/District Administration shall be disposed of before 12th October, 2026, strictly in accordance with the SOP issued vide Order No. ECF-No. 257924/14 dated 13th October, 2025.
5. All Circle Officers are directed to ensure that eligible persons belonging to the exempted categories (Divyangjans, Scheduled Tribes, Tea Garden, Moran and Matak communities) within their respective jurisdictions are issued Aadhaar cards on or before 31st March, 2027.
6. Wherever fingerprint-based enrolment faces difficulty, iris-based biometric authentication may be adopted for such eligible persons.

7. Circle Officers may note that, with effect from 1st April, 2027, the restriction on issuance of fresh Aadhaar cards to adults shall apply uniformly to all categories, including Divyangjans, Scheduled Tribes, Tea Garden, Moran and Matak communities, and plan enrolment activities accordingly.

All Circle Officers are requested to give this matter top priority and ensure strict compliance of the above instructions. Any deviation or difficulty faced in implementation may be brought to the notice of this Office immediately.

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Encl: As stated above.

Yours faithfully,

Addl. District Commissioner
Chirang, Kajalgaon
Approved Date

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Copy to:

1. CA to DC for kind appraisal of the District Commisioner, Chirang.
2. All concerned officials of the Aadhaar Enrolment Centres under Chirang District, for information and necessary action.
3. The District Informatics Officer, NIC, Chirang, for uploading on the District website.

e-Signed

Addl. District Commissioner
Chirang, Kajalgaon