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Sub- Streamlining of Social Security Pension /Pension from Welfare Fund Boards – Aadhar registration of pensioners- Guidelines issued – reg

In the recent review meetings held by Government on the progress of implementation of the Universal Social Security Pension scheme by collecting data to upgrade the personal profile of pensioners, it has been instructed to collect the Aadhar numbers of the pensioners for the smooth payment of pension. The Information Kerala Mission has reported that a section of beneficiaries have to submit their Aadhar number to the pension database. Aadhar number is required for streamlining the payment of Welfare Fund Board Pensions also. After having detailed consultation with stake holders, Government issued the following guidelines for the registration of Aadhar for the pensioners under the Social Security Pension scheme and Welfare Fund Board Pensions:

- Information Kerala Mission will publish the list of pensioners who are not having Aadhar numbers.
- ii. It will be made available to the IT Mission through login facility
- iii. Local Governments, Kudumbasree workers and Akshaya centres shall jointly work for Aadhar registration of the beneficiaries on a time bound basis.
- IT Mission will issue instructions to the Akshaya kendras to enroll the pensioners on a priority basis.
- v. Akshya centres shall make mobile arrangements for Aadhar registration for those pensioners who are not able go to the Akshaya centre on health ground or so.

- vi. Local Governments should take necessary steps for Aadhar registration arrangements on a campaign mode and to ensure complete enrolment.
- vii. sanction is also accorded to meet the expenditure in connection with the campaign programme, mobile registration arrangements etc from the own funds of the Local Governments
- viii. The Chairpersons of the Local Government and Chairpersons of Welfare Standing

 Committee are jointly entrusted to take appropriate steps to complete the Aadhar

 enrolment of pensioners on a time bound basis.

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