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Dear Secretary,

As you are aware, Aadhaar based Direct Benefit Transfer (DBT) is a major reform initiative of the Government, entailing targeted delivery of benefits and services to common citizens through effective use of technology. This is being reviewed regularly at the highest level.

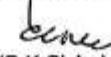
2. While progress has been made in implementing Aadhaar based DBT in major schemes, the work needs to be completed on a mission mode. Specifically, in all schemes where 50% Aadhaar seeding has already been achieved, 100% Aadhaar seeding of beneficiaries in scheme databases may be targeted for achievement by 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2017. For all other Schemes this may be done by 31<sup>st</sup> March 2018.

3. Simultaneously, authentication of Aadhaar and de-duplication of beneficiary database may be undertaken to weed out ghost/bogus beneficiaries. This will enable better targeting of programmes, resulting in saving of public funds. There is also a need to capture and report benefits accruing from DBT initiatives as well as document best practices in implementation of Aadhaar based DBT. These may be reported on the DBT portal.

4. I am also writing to all Chief Secretaries/Administrators for their intervention at the State /UT level. I would request you to work closely with the State/UT Governments to ensure time bound implementation of Aadhaar based DBT.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

  
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