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Aadhaar is world's largest digital identity program that provides for good governance, efficient, transparent, and targeted delivery of subsidies, benefits and services to over 1.32 billion Indian residents. UIDAI consistently undertakes strategic security initiatives to strengthen its foundational security infrastructure for secure and safe delivery of Aadhaar services. In its endeavour to secure Aadhaar data hosted in UIDAI's Central Identities Data Repository (CIDR), UIDAI intends to conduct a 'Bug Bounty' program along with responsible disclosure of vulnerabilities.

2.   In-order to conduct the 'Bug Bounty' program, following Empanelment / Registration Criteria has been defined.

Empanelment / Registration Criteria:

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a)	Candidate should be either an individual or a group of individuals not representing / aligned to any organization and should participate in his/her own individual capacity / group. The individual / group of individuals should be Indian Residents having a valid aadhaar number. The candidate is responsible for reviewing his/her/their employer's rules for participating in the Program and should be free from any conflict of interest with UIDAI.
b)	The Candidate(s) must not be a current or former employee of UIDAI or one of its contracted technology support and audit organizations during past 7 years.
c)	The Candidate should be listed in top 100 of the bug bounty leaders board such as HackerOne, Bugcrowd or listed in the Bounty Programs conducted by reputable companies such as Microsoft, Google, Facebook, Apple etc. or the candidate should be active in the bug bounty community / programs and should have submitted valid bugs or received bounty in last one year.

3.   **Empanelment / Registration process**:

a) Participation in 'Bug Bounty' Program will be limited to 20 empanelled / registered candidates (individual / group of individuals).

b) In-case more than 20 applications for empanelment / registration are received, then UIDAI reserves the right to evaluate and select top 20 suitable candidates for participation in 'Bug Bounty' Program.

c) In case of such evaluation, an independent committee shall be formulated by UIDAI to assess and verify the candidates' credentials, past bug hunting records / references, citation etc. UIDAI reserves the right to modify the evaluation processes depending upon the volume, nature and

types of applications received for empanelment / registration for participation in 'Bug Bounty' program.

d)   The decision taken by UIDAI in event of such evaluation will be final and binding for all enrolling candidates.

e)   In-case any candidate withdraws from the participation in 'Bug Bounty' program post successful registration, then UIDAI reserves the right to allow any other candidate to replace the withdrawing candidate.

4.   The empanelled/registered participants need to sign Non-disclosure Agreement (NDA) with UIDAI and abide by the instructions of UIDAI.

5.   Interested participants may submit their application to bug-bounty.is@uidai.net.in including any query by applicants.

6.   This is being issued with approval of Competent Authority.

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