

F. no. 13021/1/2021-AUTH-I HQ  
**Unique Identification Authority of India**  
(Authentication and Verification Division)

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Dated 28 June 2024

To,

All AUA/KUAs, ASAs, Biometric device vendors in Aadhaar authentication ecosystem

Subject: Extension of deadline for sunset of existing L0 Fingerprint Registered Devices deployed in Aadhaar authentication ecosystem

Sir/Madam,

Reference is drawn to UIDAI letter no. HQ-13021/1/2021-Auth-I HQ, dated 25.04.2022 and 31.05.2022, letter no. HQ-13023/1/2020-Auth-I HQ/2084, dated 20.6.2022 and 23.12.2022 and letter no. HQ-13021/1/2021-Auth-I HQ, dated 27.1.2023, regarding complete migration of L0 Fingerprint Registered Devices to L1 Fingerprint Registered Devices.

2. UIDAI is committed towards providing the highest quality of service in an efficient and secured manner. To enhance the security levels, UIDAI has taken several security measures to ensure security of transactions and end to end traceability during the authentication process and as a step towards improving this UIDAI has launched L1 fingerprint registered devices.

3. UIDAI, vide its letter no. HQ-13021/1/2021-Auth-1 HQ, dated 31.05.2022, has asked all AUA/KUA to identify the L0 Fingerprint Registered Devices and to replace these devices with L1 Fingerprint Registered Devices in Aadhaar ecosystem. Also, UIDAI vide letter no. HQ-13021/1/2021-Auth-1 HQ, dated 20.6.2022 have shared the list of L0 Fingerprint Registered Devices whose Public Device Certificate (PDC) validity is already over and were not re-certified for new PDC's. Requesting entities (RE's) were asked to phase out these devices, as these devices are less secure and have less authentication success rate.

4. In view of aforesaid, the timelines for hot listing following devices is as under:

| Sr No | Device Vendor                | Model ID               | Date of Hot listing |
|-------|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 1     | M/s Evolute Systems Pvt Ltd  | IDENTI5 with MSO1300E2 | 31.07.2024          |
| 2     | M/s Evolute Systems Pvt Ltd  | IMPRESS                | 31.07.2024          |
| 3     | M/s Evolute Systems Pvt Ltd  | LILY                   | 31.07.2024          |
| 4     | M/s Maestro Electronics      | SCRIPT                 | 31.07.2024          |
| 5     | M/s Smart Chip India Pvt Ltd | MSO1300EL0SW           | 31.07.2024          |

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| 6 | M/s Next Biometrics Solutions Pvt Ltd | NB-3023-U-UID | 31.07.2024 |
| 7 | M/s Tatvik Biosystems Pvt Ltd         | TMF20         | 31.07.2024 |

5. UIDAI recognizes the importance of a smooth and efficient transition to L1 Fingerprint Registered Devices. In order to facilitate successful migration for all RE's, it has been decided that the sunset of L0 Fingerprint Registered Devices (except above list) will be extended till 30.9.2024. It is requested to take precautionary measures to complete the migration process.

6. This issues with the approval of competent authority.

  
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