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Aadhaar Card

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- (a) the details of number of people covered under Aadhaar card, State-wise;
- (b) the name of schemes that have been linked with Aadhaar card;
- (c) whether instances of fake Aadhaar cards have come to the notice of the Government; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard?

Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:-

**ANSWER**

(a): As on 15.02.2016, a total of 97.85 crore Aadhaars have been generated. The status of Aadhaar generation State/UT wise as on 15.02.2016, vis-à-vis population as per 2011 census is given in Annexure.

(b): UIDAI is mandated to issue Aadhaar Cards to the residents of the country. Linking of schemes with Aadhaar is decided by the Ministry/Department which is implementing or monitoring that scheme. Various Ministries/Departments are leveraging Aadhaar for identification & efficient delivery of services. Hon'ble Supreme Court vide its orders dated 11.08.2015 and 15.10.2015 has permitted the use of Aadhaar in the schemes, namely, P.D.S. Scheme, L.P.G. Distribution Scheme, The Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme(MGNREGS), National Social Assistance Programme(Old Age Pensions, Widow Pensions, Disability Pensions), Prime Minister's Jan Dhan Yojana(PMJDY) and Employees' Provident Fund Organisation(EPFO).

(c) and (d): Aadhaar is generated after a number of quality checks and biometric de-duplication. Uniqueness of Aadhaar ensures that no one person can get two Aadhaars and same Aadhaar is never issued to two persons. Every attempt is made to ensure that fake or duplicate enrolments are identified through quality checks and biometric de-duplication process, and rejected. In a miniscule number of cases, where a duplicate or ineligible enrolment may slip through, there are provisions for taking action against the delinquent operator/supervisor/enrolment agency; financial penalties; and criminal proceedings by lodging of FIR, besides cancellation of such Aadhaars.

Aadhaar verification service is available on a public portal <https://resident.uidai.net.in> where any person can check the validity of an Aadhaar instantaneously.

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## Annexure

S No.State /UTTotal Population as per 2011 censusTotal Aadhaar generated as on 15.02.2016% Saturation

1Himachal Pradesh68565096827733100

2Punjab2770423627920886101

3Chandigarh10546861050067100

4Uttarakhand10116752810618280

5Haryana2535308125754076102

6Delhi1675323519318658115

7Rajasthan686210125628405582

8Uttar Pradesh19958147714074713671

9Bihar1038046376559528963

10Sikkim60768857664295

11Tripura3671032353953496

12Jharkhand329662382963590390

13Chhattisgarh255401962425786495

14Madhya Pradesh725975656309456887

15Gujarat603836284671064477

16Daman and Diu24291119263379

17Maharashtra11237297210396240393  
18Andhra Pradesh & Telangana8459896386945413103  
19Karnataka611307045372718788  
20Goa1457723140815197  
21Kerala333876773313940599  
22Puducherry12444641240236100  
23Andaman and Nicobar Islands37994435317093  
24Jammu and Kashmir12548926710325557  
25Arunachal Pradesh138261177563956  
26Nagaland1980602102856652  
27Manipur2721756161969660  
28Mizoram109101444221841  
29Meghalaya2964007971673  
30Assam311692728450523  
31West Bengal913477367266054180  
32Odisha419473583292409178  
33Dadra and Nagar Haveli34285330038388  
34Lakshadweep644296203496  
35Tamil Nadu721389586028369084  
Grand Total121012685297853016781