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To

All Vice Chancellors of Technical Universities and  
All Principals/Directors of AICTE approved Institutions

**Subject: Display of Aadhaar Number on provisional certificates and  
degrees issued by Institutions/Universities**

Respected Sir/Madam,

It has come to the notice of UIDAI from news reports appearing in sections of the media that some State Governments are considering printing of the full Aadhaar number of students on their provisional certificates and degrees issued by the universities, for subsequent use in verification of the said documents at the time of recruitment or admission.

In this regard, UIDAI has invited attention to sub-regulation (3) of regulation 6 of the Aadhaar (Sharing of Information) Regulation, 2016, which provides that no entity in possession of the Aadhaar number shall make public any database or record containing the same, unless the Aadhaar number has been redacted or blacked out through appropriate means.

It has been further informed that under regulations as they currently stand, **printing of the Aadhaar number on provisional certificates and degrees is not permissible.**

This is for information and necessary action, *please.*

*With regards,*

Yours sincerely,

*Mamta*  
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