Circular: NPCI/2018-19/AEPS/009   20th November, 2018

To,

All members of Aadhaar Enabled Payment System

Timeline for AePS certification of Virtual ID & UID Token

To strengthen privacy and security of Aadhaar number holders, UIDAI had introduced concept of Virtual ID & UID Token. In line with the changes mandated by UIDAI, updated AePS specifications for Auth 2.5, ONUS 2.5, OFFUS 2.5, OTP 2.5 & eKYC2.5 has been shared to AePS member banks on:

Specification for Service	Released on
eKYC Interface Specification	30/05/2018
OTP Interface Specification	30/05/2018
AePS XML H-H Specification	13/06/2018
AePS Interface Specification -ONUS	27/07/2018
AePS Interface Specification -OFFUS	26/10/2018

UIDAI vide circular No. 9 of 2018 dated 29 June, 2018 has stated that penalties will be imposed on AUAs/KUAs who will continue to use older version of APIs after 31st August, 2018. As per the latest UIDAI Circular No. 16 of 2018, UIDAI has extended the timeline for implementation of Virtual ID and UID Token till **31st January, 2019**. To avoid last moment hassle and any unwarranted action by UIDAI, it is hereby requested to all AUAs/KUAs to complete the development and line up for certification pertaining to VID & UID token by **15th December, 2018**. Any delay in implementation of UIDAI API version 2.5 by AUA/KUA which may result in levy of penalty by UIDAI on non-complaint transactions shall be sole responsibility of respective AUA/KUA and NPCI shall not bear any liability of financial disincentives resulting from delay in implementation of API 2.5.

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