

Circular: NPCI/2019-20/AEPS/001

9th April, 2019

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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. UIDAI vide Circular 03 of 2019 dated 5th April,2019 has extended the timeline for implementation of Virtual ID and UID Token till **31**st **May, 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 20th April, 2019 and move to production by 15th May, 2019. Any delay in implementation of UIDAI API version 2.5 by AUA/KUA which may result in levy of penalty by UIDAI on non-compliant 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.

Regards,

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