

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

Office of the Commissioner of
Civil Supplies, A.P., Hyderabad.

CCS Ref.No:IT-22022/25 /2016

Dated:15 .03.2016

Sub:- CS Department – Andhra Pradesh State – Supreme Court Order dated.11/08/2015 – Prohibition of Display of Aadhaar Numbers of residence in Public domain – Reg.

Ref:- Letter No.23(14)/2015 – Comp Cell, dated.10/02/2016 of Director, Department of Food & Public Distribution, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution , Government of India, New Delhi.

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As per the above clarification, Aadhaar Numbers of the card holders should not be posted, displayed or made available in public domain such as Internet, web, public notices etc.

All the Collectors (CS) and District Supply Officers are, therefore, requested to take immediate action and strictly ensure that any reports put in public domain, Aadhaar Numbers of the card holders etc even in drill down reports.

This shall be treated as “Most Immediate”.

Sd/-R.Karikal Valaven
Commissioner of Civil Supplies

To

All Collectors (CS).

All District Supply Officers,

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Deputy Director (IT)

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To
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It is, therefore, to request you to take immediate action and action is disable the Aadhaar Numbers display option in Ration card data base ePDS Website and in various reports being generated and displayed in public domain even in drill down reports, in order to comply the orders of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and instructions of Department of Food & Public Distribution, Government of India, New Delhi.

Please treat this as "most immediate" and give us a line in reply as the action taken.

Yours faithfully

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