

**Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology**  
**Major achievements Month of February, 2020**  
**(to be uploaded on MeitY Website)**

The significant developments pertaining to Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology for the month of February, 2020 are as given below:

**I. Important Policy decisions taken and major achievements during the month:**

**1) International Cooperation**

i) First meeting of G20 Digital Economy Task Force (DETF) was held on 1-2 February, 2020 under the Saudi Presidency at Riyadh to deliberate the Issue Note on Digital Economy shared by the Presidency. India's position on Trustworthy Artificial Intelligence (AI), Smart Cities/ Smart Mobility, Cyber Resilience/ Cyber Security, Data Flows and Measurement of Digital Economy was presented during the meeting. It was apprised that based on discussion and comments by the members, working documents will be circulated for further deliberations in the next DETF meetings.

ii) A meeting was held on 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 at MeitY with a delegation of Hitachi. The discussion mainly focused on the "Cross-domain Data Exchange Platform (CDXP) along with Hitachi's business activities and future intentions in India like R&D, CoE activities, Start-ups, investment plan and collaboration with government, etc.

iii) A meeting was held with officials of Commonwealth Secretariat on 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 at MeitY. During the meeting discussion was held on the modality of implementation of collaboration on :

- An MoU and a corresponding action plan to take this relationship forward
- Possibility of a Joint Conference of Commonwealth Ministers of IT in New Delhi
- Proposal of secondment of a MeitY officer in Commonwealth Secretariat to coordinate a systematic sharing of MeitY applications with other Commonwealth countries.

**2) Digital Payment**

i) With an objective to enable each and every shop for acceptance of digital payment through low cost UPI QR code, Goods and Services Tax Network (GSTN) has been requested to mandate the presence of static UPI QR as a pre-condition for application of GST certificate and to consider the feasibility of providing static UPI QR code (with embedded information of GST number) along with GST certificate.

ii) For promoting education regarding digital payment in schools, NCERT has been requested for integration of digital payments in National Curriculum Framework. Further, CBSE, ICSE and State education boards have been requested to introduce activity based programs for promotion of digital payments and to provide required training to the teachers.

iii) Bharat Bill Payment System (BBPS) offers integrated, accessible and interoperable recurring payment services to citizens. Goods and Services Tax Network (GSTN), Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT) and Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) of India have been

requested to consider the on-boarding of BBPS to collect GST, Income Tax and Insurance Premium respectively.

### **3) UIDAI**

i) A delegation of Civil Servants from the Republic of Maldives visited UIDAI on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. The delegation was given a presentation on Aadhaar followed by a question-answer session.

ii) UIDAI has been organizing a number of workshops regarding “Aadhaar Offline Applications and Services” explaining Aadhaar Offline Verification, Aadhaar Paperless Offline e-KYC and Secure QR Code and also gives live demonstration of applications and services. During February, 2020, two workshops were conducted at Lucknow and Kolkata for various State Government departments.

iii) With a view to expedite Aadhaar enrolment in the States of Assam and Meghalaya, CEO, UIDAI visited the two States and participated in the review meetings chaired by the Chief Secretaries of these States (at Shillong on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 and at Guwahati on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2020).

#### **Important developments under MeitY’s Schemes:**

- As on 29<sup>th</sup> February 2020, total number of Aadhaar generated are 125.53 crore against the ‘projected population 2019’ of 135.39 crore. Aadhaar saturation (Projected Population 2019) across India stands at 90.10%.
- Total number of e-Services registered in eTaal till 29<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 is 3,808

#### **I) Minimum Government, Maximum Governance**

##### **Jeevan Pramaan**

The number of Digital Life Certificates (DLCs) generated till February, 2020 is 351.57 lakh and number of DLCs generated in the month of February, 2020 is 5,03,585.

##### **MyGov**

MyGov has 825 discussion themes and 911 tasks. Around 1.25 crore people have registered on the Platform and each one is receiving weekly newsletter.

##### **Open Government Data Platform (OGD) India**

Around 3.72 lakh resources have been contributed under 8,167 catalogues and 1,957 Visualizations and 26,776 APIs have been created.

#### **II. Important policy matters held up on account of prolonged inter-ministerial consultations: ‘NIL’.**

**III. Compliance of CoS decisions:** Decisions of CoS meetings on the issues relating to MeitY are being updated on e-SamikSha portal under “Committee of Secretaries” module.

**IV. No. of cases of 'sanction for prosecution' pending for more than three months:**  
'NIL'

**V. Particular of cases in which there has been a departure from the transaction of Business Rules or established policy of the government:** There has been no departure from the Transaction of Business Rules or the established policy of the Government.

**VI. Status of implementation of e-Governance: MeitY has initiated File Management System through e-Office.**

<b>Total No. of Physical files created during February, 2020</b>	<b>Total No. of e-files created during February, 2020</b>
53	139

**VII. Status of Public Grievances:**

<b>No. of cases disposed during February, 2020</b>	<b>No. of Public Grievances pending at the end of February, 2020</b>
719	58

**VIII. Information on the specific steps taken by the Ministry/department for utilization of the Space technology based tools and applications in Governance and Development.**

The Geographic Information System (GIS) based decision support system (DSS) platform was established under the National Centre of Geo-Informatics (NCoG) which was approved by the Competent Authority on 31.12.2015 for total outlay of Rs. 98.28 crore.

Following are the key achievements on NCoG:

- i. Total number of Applications: 526
- ii. Total number of Web applications: 496
- iii. Total number of Mobile applications: 30
- iv. Number of Central Ministries/Departments/Agencies :28
- v. Number of States/UTs: 19