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## NEWS

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The framework has been developed in close consultation with the Ministry of Cooperation, NABARD, NPCI and cooperative banks. It will cover all 34 State Cooperative Banks (SCBs) and 352 District Central Cooperative Banks (DCCBs) across the country.

Under the new system, the process of adopting
Aadhaar services has been made simpler and
cost-effective. Only the State Cooperative Banks
will be registered with UIDAI as Authentication
User Agencies (AUA) and eKYC User Agencies
(KUA). The DCCBs can seamlessly use the
Aadhaar authentication application and IT
infrastructure of their respective SCBs. This
eliminates the need for DCCBs to develop or
maintain separate IT systems, saving costs and
ensuring smoother operations.

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#### UIDAI का बड़ा ऐलान: को-ऑपरेटिव बैंकों में अब आधार से होगा हर काम, गांव-गांव पहुंचेगी बैंकिंग, ग्राहकों को होगा फायदा

आधार कोऑपरेटिव बैंकों तक पहुंचाने के लिए UIDAI ने नया फ्रेमवर्क लॉन्च किया है. इस सिस्टम से 380 से ज्यादा कोऑपरेटिव बैंक अब आधार आधारित ऑथेंटिकेशन और eKYC सेवाएं देंगे. इससे ग्रामीण और छोटे शहरों के ग्राहकों को खाता खोलने से लेकर सब्सिडी पाने तक हर सुविधा आसान और सुरक्षित तरीके से मिलेगी.

सरकार ने आधार सेवाओं को गांव-गांव तक ले जाने के लिए एक बड़ा कदम उठाया है. यूनीक आइडेंटिफिकेशन अथॉरिटी ऑफ इंडिया (UIDAI) ने को-ऑपरेटिव बैंकों के लिए नया आधार ऑथेंटिकेशन फ्रेमवर्क शुरू किया है. इस कदम से देशभर में फैले लाखों ग्राहक अब को-ऑपरेटिव बैंकों में आसानी से आधार आधारित बैंकिंग सुविधाओं का लाभ उठा सकेंगे.

इस नई व्यवस्था से खास तौर पर ग्रामीण और अर्ध-शहरी इलाकों में रहने वाले लोग जुड़ेंगे, जिन्हें अक्सर बैंकिंग सेवाएं लेने में मुश्किल होती थी. अब खाता खुलवाना, सब्सिडी लेना और डिजिटल लेन-देन करना पहले से ज्यादा आसान और सुरक्षित हो जाएगा.

#### LOKNIAT - TIMES

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Adopting Aadhaar services is now easier and less expensive under the new system.

According to the ministry, the UIDAI will only register state cooperative banks as eKYC User Agencies (KUA) and Authentication User Agencies (AUA).

## CNBC TV18

# UIDAI launches Aadhaar onboarding framework for cooperative banks

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#### UIDAI Unveils Aadhaar-Based Authentication Framework For Co-Operative Banks

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#### पंजाब केसरी

#### सहकारी बैंकों के लिए आधार आधारित नई प्रणाली तैयार

यह ढांचा सहकारिता मंत्रालय राष्ट्रीय कृषि और ग्रामीण विकास बैंक-नाबार्ड से परामर्श के बाद किया गया है तैयार

नई दिल्ली, (पंजाब केसरी)ः भारतीय विशिष्ट पहचान प्राधिकरण (यूआईडीएआई) ने अंतरांष्ट्रीय सहकारिता वर्ष के मौके पर सहकारी बें कों को आधार-आधारित प्रमाणीकरण सेवाएं प्रदान करने के लिए नया ढांचा तैयार किया है। जिससे बेंक की लोगों तक पहुंच बढ़ाने और डिजिटल समावेशन को काफी बढ़ावा मिलेगा। यह ढांचा सहकारिता मंत्रालय, राष्ट्रीय कृषि और ग्रामीण विकास बेंक-नाबार्ड, भारतीय राष्ट्रीय भुगतान निगम-एनपीसीआई और सहकारी बेंकों के साथ व्यापक परामशं के बाद तैयार किया गया है।

इससे देशभर के सभी 34 राज्य सहकारी बैंकों (एससीबी) और 352 जिला केंद्रीय सहकारी बैंकों (डीसीसीबी) को लाभ होगा। नई प्रणाली के तहत, आधार सेवा अपनाने की प्रक्रिया सरल और सस्ती बनाई गई है। इसमें केवल राज्यों के सहकारी बैंक ही भारतीय विशिष्ट पहचान प्राधिकरण के साथ प्रमाणीकरण

उपयोगकर्ता एजेंसियों (एयूए) और ई-केवाईसी उपयोगकर्ता एजेंसियों (केयूए) के रूप में पंजीकृत होंगे। जिला केंद्रीय सहकारी बैंक अपने राज्य सहकारी बैंकों के आधार प्रमाणीकरण अनुप्रयोग और सूचना प्रोद्यौगिकी ढांचे का निर्बाध उपयोग कर सकेंगे। इससे जिला केंद्रीय सहकारी बैंक को अलग से आईटी प्रणाली विकसित करने या रखने की आवश्यकता समाप्त हो जाएगी। इससे सहकारी बैंक आधार

सेवाओं से ग्राहकों को तेज, अधिक सुरक्षित और सुगम सेवा प्रदान कर सकेंगे। बायोमेंद्रिक ई-केवाईसी और चेहरे की पहचान से खासकर ग्रामीण और अर्ध-शहरी क्षेत्रों में खाता खोलना आसान हो जाएगा। आधार के उपयोग से सब्सिडी और कल्याणकारी भुगतान सीधे ग्राहकों के सहकारी बैंक खातों में जमा किए जा सकेंगे।

इसके अलावा सहकारी बैंकों को आधार सक्षम भुगतान प्रणाली (एईपीएस) और आधार पेमेंट ब्रिज जैसी सेवाओं का विस्तार करने, डिजिटल लेनदेन व्यापक बनाने और सहकारी क्षेत्र में वित्तीय समावेशन बढ़ाने में सक्षम बनाएगा।

#### IANSlive

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#### UIDAI Launches Aadhaar Onboarding Framework For Cooperative Banks

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In a major stride for the cooperative sector, the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) has launched a new Aadhaar-based authentication framework exclusively designed for cooperative banks.

Announced on August 21, 2025, the initiative is aimed at advancing financial inclusion, enhancing digital services, and strengthening the role of cooperatives in last-mile banking across India.

The framework is set to cover 34 State

Cooperative Banks (SCBs) and 352 District

Central Cooperative Banks (DCCBs), bringing

over 380 cooperative institutions directly into the

Aadhaar ecosystem.



## UIDAI unveils new Aadhaar framework to empower cooperative banks nationwide

New Delhi, Aug 21: In a significant move aimed at boosting digital inclusion and rural banking, the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) has launched a new framework that allows cooperative banks to offer Aadhaar-based authentication services across the country.

Announced by the Ministry of Electronics and IT on Thursday to mark the International Year of Cooperatives, the framework was developed in collaboration with the Ministry of Cooperation, NABARD, NPCI, and cooperative banking institutions. It will initially cover all 34 state cooperative banks (SCBs) and 352 district central cooperative banks (DCCBs), streamlining their access to Aadhoar authentication and eKYC services.

Under the new system, only SCBs will be directly registered as Authentication User Agencies (AUA) and eKYC User Agencies (KUA) by UIDAI. DCCBs will be able to use the Aadhaar infrastructure of their parent SCBs, eliminating the need to build and maintain costly independent IT systems.

This change is expected to cut operational costs and make onboarding of rural and semiurban customers faster, safer, and more efficient through biometric eKYC and face authentication. Andhaar will also facilitate direct crediting of subsidies and welfare payments into cooperative bank accounts.

Additionally, cooperative banks will be able to offer services such as the Aadhaar Payment Bridge and the Aadhaar Enabled Payment System (AePS), enhancing their role in India's financial ecosystem and accelerating the nation's push for inclusive digital banking.

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#### #NEW DELHI

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