GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF PLANNING RAJYA SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO-550 ANSWERED ON-08.08.2013

Permanent enrolment centres by UIDAI

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- (a) whether Unique Identification of India (UIDAI) has set up permanent enrolment centres in the recent past, if so, the details in this regard;
- (b) the details of the facilities available in the said permanent centers and the criteria adopted for selection of sites for setting up such centers; and
- (c) whether there is any proposal to set up such centers in other parts of the country, if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

MINISTER OF STATE FOR PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND PLANNING

(SHRI RAJEEV SHUKLA)

- (a)Yes, Sir. As on 05.08.2013, 1051 Permanent Enrolment Centres (PECs) have been established in States/UTs where UIDAI is undertaking resident enrolments for Aadhaar number. State wise details are as Annexure I. A list of all PECs alongwith addresses is available in the official website of UIDAI. (url: http://appointments.uidai.gov.in/easearch.aspx).
- (b) The facilities available in these PECs are New Enrolments, Biometric updates, Demographic updates, e-Aadhaar letter printing, Status Check, Lost EID/UID enrolments and re-enrolments. The PECs established by State Government/Registrar are located either in Government buildings in Block/ Mandal/ Tehsil/ Municipal ward office, or in the official premises of the Registrars from where their regular business is transacted, or in premises approved by the Registrars/State Governments.
- (c) UIDAI has plans to increase the number of PECs to about two thousand in 18 States/UTs through State Governments/Registrars by March 2014. In the remaining States/UTs, enrolments are being carried out by Registrar General of India, under National Population Register (NPR) process.