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To,  
The Director for N.R.I. Affairs  
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Sub: Extending benefit of Aadhaar/UID Scheme to Foreign Citizens of Goan Origin

Sir,

This Office has been receiving grievances from Foreign Citizens of Goan Origin who have permanently settled in Goa on the strength of their PIO/OCI Card status that they may be given the benefit of Aadhaar/UID Scheme.

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The matter was examined in view of the Government Circulars No.Comm/NRI/169/2013-13/913 dated 13/09/2012, No.COMM/NRI/169/2011-12 dated 07/06/2011, No.COMM/NRI/169/2010-11, dated 07/03/2011 and the guidelines issued by the UIDAI from time to time.

The following shall form the guidelines for those who are Foreign Citizens of Goan Origin who have permanently settled in Goa in the matters concerning their enrolment under Aadhaar.

- All individuals irrespective of Caste, Creed, Age, Gender or Nationality etc. who is resident in any part of India, and satisfies/fulfills the verification process laid down by the UIDAI, can enroll himself.
- Vide Circular No.COMM/NRI/169/2011-12 dated 07/06/2011, the Ministry of Indian Overseas Affairs, Government of India has spelt out the documents that are accepted as Proof of Identity and Proof of Residence for different categories of individuals And Foreign Citizens holding PIOs/OCIs residing in India can use the following documents as Proof of Identity & Proof of Residence.

