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Issuance of Aadhaar Cards

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Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government has set the target of the next three months for issuing Aadhaar Card to all adult citizens in the country;
- (b) if so, the details of Aadhaar cards issued upto 30th June, 2016 State/Union- Territory-wise and the percentage of work so far completed;
- (c) the details of schemes so far linked with Aadhaar card;
- (d) whether a large number of illegal migrants from Bangladesh have been issued Aadhaar cards; and
- (e) if so, the necessary guidelines issued to the Unique Identification Authority of India (UIDAI) to check such cases?

Answer

(a): Although a target of universal enrolment is being pursued, enrolment of Aadhaar is voluntary and an on-going process. Aadhaar is issued to the residents of the country and is not a proof of citizenship.

(b): As on 30.06.2016, Aadhaar have been issued to 102.60 crore residents of the country. The State/ UT wise details are given in Annexure-I.

(c): The details of the schemes linked with Aadhaar as on 31.05.2016 are given in Annexure-II.

(d): No, Sir.

(e): Does not arise.
