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Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made
by the Government of Gujarat under the Gujarat Acts

FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 10th January, 2018.

Gujarat Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2017.

No.GTH/2018/1/PDS/112017/1296/C:- WHEREAS the use of Aadhaar as an identity document for delivery of services or benefits or subsidies simplifies the Government delivery processes, brings in transparency and efficiency, and enables beneficiaries to get their entitlements directly in a convenient and seamless manner and Aadhaar obviates the need for producing multiple documents to prove one's identity;

AND WHEREAS, it is required to furnish proof of possession of Aadhaar number or undergo Aadhaar authentication to receive the benefits under the Targeted Public Distribution System (hereinafter referred to as "the said Scheme") under the National Food Security Act, 2013 (20 of 2013) which is being administered by the Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department, as notified by Government Notification, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department No. GTH/2017/17/PDS/112017/1296/C dated the 23-06-2017 and Government of Gujarat considers it necessary to add documents in para 1(3)(b)(viii) of the said notification;

AND WHEREAS the benefits of the said Scheme availed by the barcoded ration card holders (hereinafter referred to as "the beneficiary/beneficiaries") involves the expenditure incurred from the Consolidated Fund of the State;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 read with section 3 of the Gujarat Aadhaar (Targeted Delivery of Financial and Other Subsidies, Benefits and Services) Act, 2017 (Guj. 3 of 2017), and in supersession of G.N-GTH/2017/17/PDS/112017/1296/C dated the 23rd June 2017, the Government of Gujarat hereby specifies the said Scheme with an aim of distribution of essential commodities like wheat, rice, sugar, iodized salt and edible oil etc. at subsidized prices with the following eligibility through the Directorate of Food and Civil Supplies for the benefits of the beneficiary, namely:—

