

**Cyber Crime Division
Criminal Investigation Department (CID)**

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To,

**The Chief Election Officer,
Sheshadri road,
Bengaluru, Karnataka-560 001**

Respected Sir/Madam,

Sub:- To direct the concerned to Provide relevant information for the purpose of investigation

Ref:- 1. Aland PS cr. No. 26/2023 u/s 182, 419, 464, 465 of IPC & u/s 66(C) & 66(D) IT Act.
2. Our office previous letter dated, 16.01.2025 and 01.02.2025

As per the above subject a case has been registered as per reference 1 and transferred to EOD Division CID Karnataka. Further the case has been Internally transferred to Cyber Crime Division for further investigation. During the course of investigation, the previous investigating officer requested IP Logs, Date, Time along with Destination IPs and Destination Ports as per reference (2).

During the course of investigation, the IP Logs are provided. On perusal the Destination IP and Destination Port are missing. Therefore, it is requested to direct the concerned to provide the same. Also provide the information/document related to below mentioned queries.

1. Whether OTP/Multifactor authentication facility is adopted in NVSP & VHA apps, platforms.
2. Whether OTP/authentication facility is extended to upload the applications. If so, provide details.
3. If authentication like OTP is existed, whether the OTP will be sent to Mobile No. used for login or Mobile Number provides in the form by applicant or both?
4. Provide the certificate U/s 65B of Indian Evidence Act 1872 by the person holding lawful control/ user from where the logs were created during the activities and generated to produce before LEA. Further the Hon'ble Supreme Court held that **"65 B certificate is mandatory for admissibility of electronic evidence in secondary form"** in the judgement **"Arjun Panditrao Khotkar vs Kailash Kushanrao Gorantyal on 14 July, 2020"**.
5. Direct the concerned to arrange a presentation with respect to allegation made and step by step usage of NVSP, VHA and Garuda apps from the voter / public perspective to the investigation team.

Hence it is requested to direct the concerned to provide the details for the purpose of investigation.

Investigation officer

14/02/2025
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