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Office Memorandum

Sub : Acceptance of Rupay Credit/Debit Card along with Unified Payment Interface (UPI) and Bharat interface for Money (BHIM) for collection of Government Revenue.

Reference is invited to this office OM No. S-11012/3(1)/DP/WC/2017/GBA/5673-5828 dated 30.11.2017 and S-11012/3(1)/DP/WC/2017/GBA/5122-5275 dated 10.08.2017, wherein guidelines for use of BHIM/UPI was issued for collection of Government revenue and all the Ministries/Departments were requested to make use of BHIM (as a preferred option) / UPI facility for payment of Government revenue by the public.

2. Earlier an OM was also issued vide this office OM No.1(1)/2006/ECS/TA/165 dated 28.03.2016 where in guidelines for payment of Government money into the accredited bank branch of the Ministry /Department of the Ministry / Department through Debit/Credit Cards and Net Banking facility subject to the conditions given in the Office Memorandum.

3. Bharatkosh/NTRP has also been enabled to accept receipts through Debit/Credit Cards (including Rupay card), Net Banking, UPI/BHIM. Ministries/Departments may give wide publicity to the facilities available through Bharatkosh.

4. All the Ministries/Departments are requested that Websites/ Payment Portals functioning for them must enable all the digital payment modes i.e. UPI/BHIM, UPI/BHIM QR codes, Debit Card/Credit Card (including Rupay Cards) and Net Banking in order to give wider acceptance of digital modes of collection of Government revenue.

(T.C.A.Kalyani)

Jt. Controller General of Accounts (GBA)

To,

1. All Secretaries to Government of India
2. The Controller General of Defence Accounts, M/O Defence, New Delhi
3. The Financial Commissioner, Railway Board, M/O Railways, New Delhi
4. The Member (Finance), D/o Posts, New Delhi
5. The Member (Finance), D/O Telecommunications. New Delhi
6. All the Pr.CCA's/CCAs/CAs (with independent charge) of all Ministries/Departments (Civil) of Government of India
7. The Finance Secretary of UT's of Dadra and Nagar Haveli, Daman and Diu, Chandigarh, Andaman and Nicobar Islands, Lakshwadeep.
8. Scientist C, Digital Economy & Digital Payment Division, Ministry of Electronics & IT
9. Sr.Accounts Officer, ITD, O/o CGA with the request to upload this OM on CGAs website.Copy for information to:

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2. PS to Addl. CGA(SG)
3. OA to Jt.CGA(GIFMIS)
4. ACGA(ITD-NTRP)