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All Drone Manufacturers
Empanelled / Registered on UPYantraTracking.in Portal

Subject: Mandatory compliance of DGCA Digital Sky UIN, Type Certification, Approved Battery Details and Data Download Facility for registration and sale of drones through UPYantraTracking.in Portal.

Sir/Madam,

It has been observed that the Unique Identification Numbers (UINs) entered by certain drone manufacturers on the UPYantraTracking.in portal are either not in the prescribed sequence or do not correspond with the UINs issued/generated through the DGCA Digital Sky Portal. This discrepancy is a matter of serious concern and requires immediate rectification.

Accordingly, the following directions are hereby issued for strict compliance:

1. Removal of Existing Unsold Inventory: All existing unsold drone inventory entries currently available on the UPYantraTracking.in portal shall be removed. Manufacturers shall be required to register and upload their unsold inventory afresh in accordance with the revised requirements.
2. DGCA-issued UIN Mandatory: Only drones having valid Type Certification and UINs issued/generated through the DGCA Digital Sky Portal shall be permitted to be registered and offered for sale through the UPYantraTracking.in portal.
3. Approved Batteries: The batteries fitted in the drones must have been approved by the recognised testing centres, as indicated/accepted on the relevant departmental portal. Details of such approval shall be furnished along with the drone registration.
4. UIN Number and Photograph: Manufacturers shall enter the exact UIN allotted through the DGCA Digital Sky Portal and upload a clear original photograph showing the same UIN physically marked/embossed on the drone. Any additional manufacturer-specific identification number shall be entered separately and shall not substitute or conflict with the DGCA-issued UIN.
5. Uttar Pradesh Identification: For identification and tracking of drones registered for sale within Uttar Pradesh, the suffix "UP" shall be added at the end of the UIN in the UPYantraTracking portal's state identification field. The original DGCA-issued UIN shall remain unchanged in DGCA records and on the drone.

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6. Manufacturer Undertaking: Every manufacturer shall furnish an undertaking certifying that the UIN entered on the portal and its uploaded photograph are genuine, unaltered and identical to the UIN allotted by DGCA and physically embossed on the respective drone.

7. Data Download Facility in the Drone: The drone shall enable the pilot to download the track/path data of the last five flights, comprising Northing and Easting coordinates in either Degree-Minute-Second (DMS) or Decimal Degree format, onto a data chip/memory card. The data shall be furnished to the Department through email whenever required or uploaded on the UPYantraTracking.in portal once the facility is made available, in a .dat or .csv format.

All manufacturers are hereby directed to ensure strict compliance with the above instructions. Any incorrect, unverifiable or non-compliant UIN or equipment entry shall not be accepted for registration or further processing on the portal.

These instructions shall be applicable to all manufacturers registered on UPYantraTracking.in and shall come into effect immediately.

This may be treated as a matter of priority and strict compliance.

Yours faithfully,

25/11/26

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