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Government of India
Ministry of Civil Aviation

Rajiv Gandhi Bhavan, New Delhi
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Subject: Voluntary disclosure of non-compliant drones flying in India

1. Whereas, the Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) has issued the Civil Aviation Requirements (CAR), Section 3 – Air Transport Series X, Part I, Issue I, dated 27 August 2018 which regulates the use of drones in the Indian Airspace and these regulations provide process for obtaining Unique Identification Number (UIN), Unmanned Aircraft Operator Permit (UAOP) and other operational requirements.
2. In order to facilitate the identification of civil drones and drone operators, a one-time opportunity for voluntary disclosure of such drones and drone operators was provided during 14-31 January 2020 vide public notice dated 13 January 2020 of this Ministry.
3. Based on public request, another opportunity is being provided to persons in possession of drones to submit the required information to the Government. The submission of requisite information will be through the online portal (<https://digitalsky.dgca.gov.in>), as earlier.
4. On successful submission of the required information and documents, an Ownership Acknowledgement Number (OAN) and a Drone Acknowledgement Number (DAN) will be issued online. The OAN or DAN does not confer any right to operate the drone in India, if it does not fulfill the provisions given in the CAR.
5. Ownership of a drone in India without a valid DAN or OAN shall invite penal action as per applicable laws.
6. Any additional information or clarification may be sought from the Digital Sky Help desk at support-digisky@gov.in.



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