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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Finance**  
**(Department of Revenue)**  
**Central Board of Indirect Taxes and Customs**  
**Notification No. 19/2020 – Central Tax**

New Delhi, the 23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2020

G.S.R....(E).- In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (6C) of section 25 of the Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017 (12 of 2017) , the Central Government, on the recommendations of the Council, hereby notifies the date of coming into force of this notification as the date, from which the -

- (a) authorised signatory of all types;
- (b) Managing and Authorised partners of a partnership firm; and
- (c) Karta of an Hindu undivided family,

shall undergo authentication of possession of Aadhaar number, as specified in rule 8 of the Central Goods and Services Tax Rules, 2017(hereinafter referred to as the said rules), in order to be eligible for registration under GST:

Provided that if Aadhaar number is not assigned to the said persons, they shall be offered alternate and viable means of identification in the manner specified in rule 9 of the said rules.

2. This notification shall come into effect from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2020.

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