

TAMIL NADU ONLINE GAMING AUTHORITY

From
The Secretary,
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To Whomsoever It May Concern.

Letter No.364/TNOGA/2025-31, Dated: 16.09.2025

Dear Madam/ Sir,

Sub: Tamil Nadu Online Gaming Authority – Request for collaboration in the Survey on Online Gaming Patterns among Senior Citizens (60+) – Regarding.

The Tamil Nadu Online Gaming Authority (TNOGA) was instituted under the Tamil Nadu Prohibition of Online Gambling and Regulation of Online Games Act, 2022, becoming the first dedicated regulatory body of its kind in the country. The Authority aims to strike a balance between encouraging innovation in the gaming ecosystem and safeguarding public welfare. Its approach includes a range of measures such as prohibition of online gambling and betting of any kind, mandatory registration and licensing of online games, advertising guidelines, and notification of specific regulations for online games as and when required.

The authority has been taking various active steps to create awareness on online gaming addiction among students, teachers, parents and law enforcement agencies across the state. The authority strongly endorses evidence-based policy initiative for which periodical collection of data on various aspects on online gaming is essential.

- 2. As part of its broader mandate the Authority has proposed to conduct a survey on online gaming patterns among senior citizens (60 years and above) in Tamil Nadu. This initiative is aligned with the observance of the International Day of Older Persons (October 1, 2025) under the UN theme "Older Persons Driving Local and Global Action: Our Aspirations, Our Well-Being, Our Rights".
- 3. The objective of the survey is to understand the prevalence, patterns, preferences, and concerns of senior citizens in relation to online gaming, and to gather insights that will help the Authority in formulating appropriate awareness programmes and responsible gaming policies.
- 4. With humble regards, the Authority has made the survey questionnaire available in the following modes for the convenience of participants:
 - a. Google Form Link: You are kindly requested to share the following link

or the QR code with senior citizens for offering their responses. Google Form Link: https://forms.gle/irLWDuhiVmLDYP7c7



Scan the QR

b. Downloadable PDF: A PDF version of the questionnaire is available at the following link. The questionnaire may be printed, filled in, and the responses intimated to the Authority.

Google Drive Link:

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1SRI_oy5KssELacKBUO4EuE 2Vw-c5YwUE?usp=sharing

- c. Offline Printed Copy: In case offline copies are required, the Authority will be pleased to provide printed copies of the questionnaire upon request.
- 5. The questionnaire will remain active and open for responses until end October 2025. We humbly seek your fullest cooperation in circulating this among senior citizens and encouraging their participation. Your valued support will greatly assist the Authority in promoting responsible gaming awareness and strengthening policy measures.

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Yours Faithfully,

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