

**OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT GENERAL  
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**CIRCULAR**

National Informatics Centre (NIC) has introduced two sage authentications for accessing email and other applications hosted by NIC for which the 'KAVACH' application is necessary to be installed in systems/ mobile phones. Any google search for 'KAVACH' may lead to fake sites resulting to breach of security of the systems/ mobile phones.

In view of the above, it is requested to download 'KAVACH' application for windows/ android only from authentic site. For the purpose the user needs to go to authentic link i.e. <https://kavach.mail.gov.in> directly by typing in the web browser and logging in to the site by using own NIC mail ID and password. Thereafter, the application may be downloaded from download section of the site. Further, it is requested to all the users to remain cautious while opening email or suspicious links received in email. Any malicious activity noticed in the email may be intimated to DA & RC for necessary action at this end.

Sd/-  
Deputy Accountant General/ Admin

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