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WEBSITE QUALITY CERTIFICATION SCHEME

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CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL

Approval Number: **STQC/CQW/2025/62**

It is hereby certified that the website of
NITI Aayog
NITI Aayog, Patel Chowk, Parliament Street,
New Delhi

URL of Website: <https://niti.gov.in>

Fulfills the requirements of the
Website Quality Certification Scheme

It is verified that the website meets the requirements of the
Guidelines for Indian Government Websites, Ver 3.0

This Certificate is valid upto: 27/04/2029

Date of Issue: 28/04/2026

Note 1: With 12 exemptions as per Annexure – I attached.

Note 2: Subject to compliance during the surveillance audit.

Note 3: Visit <https://stqc.gov.in/website-quality-certification-0> for details of the scheme.



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ANNEXURE – I to Website Quality Certificate
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Details of Exemptions sought from GIGW ver.3.0 requirements

Name: NITI Aayog


URL: <https://niti.gov.in>

S. No.	GIGW 3.0 Requirement	Ref. Cl. No.
	<u>Quality Guidelines</u>	
22	API integration with key government platforms (India Portal, DigiLocker, Aadhaar, Single-Sign-On, MyGov, Data Platform, MyScheme) and similar websites of the government organization must be enabled for seamless exchange of Information and data.	5.1.22
	<u>Accessibility Guidelines</u>	
02	For pre-recorded audio-only and pre-recorded video-only media, the following are true, except when the audio or video is a media alternative for text and is clearly labelled as such: (a) Pre-recorded Audio-only: An alternative for time-based media is provided that presents equivalent information for pre-recorded audio-only content. (b) Pre-recorded Video-only: Either an alternative for time-based media or an audio track is provided that presents equivalent information for pre-recorded video-only content.	5.2.2
03	Captions are provided for all pre-recorded audio content in synchronized media, except when the media is a media alternative for text and is clearly labelled as such.	5.2.3
04	An alternative for time-based media or audio description of the pre-recorded video content is provided for synchronized media, except when the media is a media alternative for text and is clearly labelled as such.	5.2.4
05	Captions are provided for all live audio content in synchronized media.	5.2.5
06	Audio description is provided for all pre-recorded video content in synchronized media.	5.2.6
13	If any audio on a Web page plays automatically for more than 3 seconds, either a mechanism is available to pause or stop the audio, or a mechanism is available to control audio volume independently from the overall system volume level.	5.2.13
23	If a keyboard shortcut is implemented in content using only letter (including upper- and lower-case letters), punctuation, number, or symbol characters, then at least one of the following is true: (a) Turn off: A mechanism is available to turn the shortcut off. (b) Remap: A mechanism is available to remap the shortcut to include one or more non-printable keyboard keys (e.g., Ctrl, Alt). (c) Active only on focus: The keyboard shortcut for a user interface component is only active when that component has focus.	5.2.23

24	<p>For each time limit that is set by the content, at least one of the following is true:</p> <p>(a) Turn off: The user is allowed to turn off the time limit before encountering it; or Adjust: The user is allowed to adjust the time limit before encountering it over a wide range that is at least ten times the length of the default setting; or</p> <p>(b) Extend: The user is warned before time expires and given at least 20 seconds to extend the time limit with a simple action (for example, "press the spacebar") and the user is allowed to extend the time limit at least ten times; or</p> <p>(c) Real-time Exception: The time limit is a required part of a real-time event (for example, an auction) and no alternative to the time limit is possible; or</p> <p>(d) Essential Exception: The time limit is essential and extending it would invalidate the activity; or</p> <p>(e) 20 Hour Exception: The time limit is longer than 20 hours.</p>	5.2.24
26	<p>Web pages do not contain anything that flashes more than three times in any one second period, or the flash is below the general flash and red flash thresholds.</p>	5.2.26
37	<p>Functionality that can be operated by device motion or user motion can also be operated by user interface components and responding to the motion can be disabled to prevent accidental actuation, except when:</p> <p>(a) Supported Interface: The motion is used to operate functionality through an accessibility supported interface.</p> <p>(b) Essential: The motion is essential for the function and doing so would invalidate the activity.</p> <p>(c) Functionality that can be operated by device motion or user motion must also be operable by user interface components and responding to the motion can be disabled to prevent accidental actuation, except when:</p> <p>(d) Supported Interface: The motion is used to operate functionality through an accessibility supported interface.</p> <p>(e) Essential: The motion is essential for the function and doing so would invalidate the activity.</p>	5.2.37
47	<p>For Web pages that cause legal commitments or financial transactions for the user to occur, that modify or delete user-controllable data in data storage systems, or that submit user test responses, at least one of the following is true:</p> <p>a) Reversible: Submissions are reversible.</p> <p>b) Checked: Data entered by the user is checked for input errors and the user is provided an opportunity to correct them.</p> <p>Confirmed: A mechanism is available for reviewing, confirming and correcting information before finalizing the submission.</p>	5.2.47

Disclaimer:

The accessibility related exemptions given above are valid till no content requiring compliance to these points are uploaded to the website.


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