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## Press Note

### CBSE UPSCALES DIGI SCORING PROCESS

The chairman CBSE, Shri R K Chaturvedi, had announced the new initiative of DIGITAL-SCORING of OMR sheets to be done for the first time, during the recruitment examination of Principals and Assistant Commissioners of Navodaya Vidyalya Sangathan held on 4<sup>th</sup> December 2016.

After successful results, the technique was replicated during the KVS recruitment test held on 17.12.2016 for the post of Principals..

The process was further up scaled and used for the third time during the recruitment test of KVS Teachers held on 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> January 2017 .The digital scanning was done in Delhi and NCR at 108 examination centers..

DIGI SCORING involves scanning of the OMR sheets and storing images instantly on the central server. This secures the data of each examinee in a temper proof format without losing precious time.

Use of this technology by the board has visible benefits in terms of accuracy, transparency, cost efficiency and time saving.

Taking regular review of the logistics, feasibility and number of examinees, the board will proceed in a phased manner and plans to conduct the forthcoming UGC NET exam on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2017, using the same format in at least few hundred centers before switching over to other competitive exams.

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