

Press Release

RSCL and Axis Bank launch 'One Raipur' Common Payment System

- First among smart cities in India to launch an integrated payments system
- One Raipur smart card, mobile app & portal to offer quick, hassle free payment system to citizens

Raipur, 20th September, 2018: Raipur Smart City Limited (RSCL) today announced the launch of the 'One Raipur' Common Payment System (CPS) developed by Axis Bank. This all-in-one digital payment solution, offers a prepaid One Raipur smart card, mobile app and a web portal, which will enable citizens to conveniently make cashless payments for several services within the city including payments to municipal corporation, shopping, commuting, etc. The initiative was inaugurated by Shri Amar Agrawal, Administration Minister, Chhattisgarh Government and Shri Ramesh Bais, Member of Parliament (Raipur) today.

Speaking at the occasion, **Shri Rajat Bansal (IAS), Commissioner RMC and MD RSCL**, said, "With this launch, Raipur will become the first Indian city to have such an integrated payment system. 'One Raipur' system will benefit about 16 lakh residents of Raipur. Our aim has been to create a digital ecosystem for the convenience of the citizens of Raipur and contribute to the Digital India Mission. We are happy to have begun this journey."

Commenting on the association and launch, **Shri Debarchan Mishra, Executive Vice President & Head - Government Business, Axis Bank**, said, "We are honored to launch this unique, one-of its-kind offering for Raipur Smart City Limited. This offering reaffirms our belief in a less-cash and digital economy. With One Raipur smart card, mobile app and portal, the citizens of Raipur can avail various services across the city with cashless payments that are secure, easier and faster. We are proud that Axis Bank has delivered such a complex project in a record time of less than 5 months."

The One Raipur smart card can be used for shopping, paying bills, online purchases as well as in buses for travel. Citizens will have a web portal and mobile app that facilitates interactions with the municipal corporation. Multiple service centers will be opened across the city for card issuance and post issuance services such as top-up, balance enquiry etc. To facilitate acceptance of these cards, POS devices will be provided for transit and at various government & municipal offices. Citizens will also be able to get exclusive promotional offers at various merchant outlets to make it Raipur's most preferred card for all transactions.

The One Raipur app will also have additional offerings like the vehicle tracking system that will give real time information on the estimated arrival of buses for commuting. The 'Near Me' feature on the app will show users the closest hospital, parking lots, government offices, toilets, parks, museums, etc. Residents will be able to consume other information such as city related news and developments on the app and portal. Information services like Know Your City, Citizen Charter, City Statistics, Travel & Tourism, Public Transport etc. will also be made available. Citizens will be able to raise grievances through the app where instances such as an encroachment can be addressed by taking pictures that are geo tagged and routed to the 'Nidaan Seva Parishad' officers at Raipur.

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