

Assessing the Readiness of Civil Registration Bureau of South Khorasan Province to Exploit the Experiences of National Smart ID card Establishment throughout the World

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Abstract

The national Iranian Smart ID card program is now in the pilot study stage and is about to enter the third phase that is establishment in different provinces throughout the country. Hence, assessment of each province's readiness for a flawless establishment and the continuous operation of Smart ID card in Iran seems essential. Therefore, this paper attempts to present approaches to problems and complications of establishment of Iranian Smart ID card through assessment of the readiness of South Khorasan Province to exploit the experiences of national Smart ID card establishment throughout the World. In order to achieve this, a semi structured interview with the managers of this bureau was used and their taken or planned measures regarding each significant experience of national Smart ID card were analyzed, measuring their adequacy or inadequacy. According to the results, this province is relatively ready to run the national Smart ID card, yet in order for a flawless establishment of the project, other measures must be taken in specific provincial and national areas that are thoroughly surveyed here.

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