

ANNOUNCEMENT FOR HAJ 1442(H)—2021 (CE)

Guidelines - Synopsis:

- ❖ Haj Committee of India invites applications from prospective Pilgrims for Haj-2021.
- ❖ Haj-2021 will take place under Special Circumstances with Special Norms, Rules & Regulations Eligibility Criteria, Age Restrictions, Health & Fitness requirements and other relevant conditions as kingdom of Saudi Arabia may impose as and when they feel appropriate and Coronavirus Pandemic.
- ❖ The entire process of Haj Applications for Haj 2021 is provisional subject to final guidelines of KSA
- ❖ The process of Application for Haj-2021 through Haj Committee of India shall commence Online from 07-11-2020 and will conclude on 10-12-2020.
- ❖ Haj Application will be accepted online only. Applicants must read the Guidelines / Undertaking carefully before filling Haj Application. Pilgrim must upload First & last page of Machine Readable Passport, latest Passport size Photograph, copy of canceled cheque of Cover Head and copy of address Proof.
- ❖ Haj Application can be filled Online at website of Haj Committee of India i.e. <http://hajcommittee.gov.in> and through Haj Committee of India Mobile App. Payment of Registration fee is to be made online only.
- ❖ Applicants can fill in their Haj Application online themselves through Cyber cafés, District Haj Societies and A.P. State Haj Committee Office, Vijayawada as per their convenience.

Following changes / Features of Haj -2021:

- Age limit 18 -65 years.
- Infant/child below 18 years not allowed.
- Cover size maximum Three (3).
- Haj journey 30 to 35 days.
- Accommodation space 9 Sq.mt per pilgrim.
- Norms of Social distancing have to be followed.
- Standardize baggage will be provided by HCoI.
- Selected Embarkation points. Embarkation point for all Haj pilgrims from Andhra and Telangana - Hyderabad (Rajiv Gandhi International Airport).
- No provision of NRIs due to COVID-19.
- Advance Haj amount increase to Rs. 1,50,000-00.
- Haj Charges will be approx. Rs.3,75,000-00.
- All the pilgrims will be accommodated in one category i.e. Azizia.
- Machine readable passport validity up to **10 Jan' 2022**.
- Tentative departure schedule of Haj pilgrims of India from 26th June onwards to 13th July 2021.
- Tentative return schedule of Haj pilgrims of India from 30th July to 14th Aug'2021.
- The A.P. State Haj Committee can be contacted on its
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