

**Embassy of India
Phnom Penh**

Advisory of Overseas Citizen of India (OCI) card holders

According to existing guidelines, OCI cardholders are required to get their OCI cards re-issued in following cases:

- i. Each time a new passport is issued up to the age of 20 years of age; and
 - ii. Once after completing 50 years of age.
2. With a view to avoid inconvenience to OCI cardholders who may be required to get their OCI cards re-issued (in accordance with above guidelines), Government of India has decided to grant extension of time till December 31, 2021 to all eligible foreigners to get their OCI cards re-issued, if so required.
3. In addition to this, requirement of carrying old and new passports along with OCI card has been done away with. Henceforth, OCI cardholders travelling to India on the strength of their existing OCI card bearing old passport number are not required to carry their old passport. However, carrying the new passport is mandatory.
4. OCI cardholders are requested to kindly note the above guidelines before proceeding on any travel to India.

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