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Government of India
गृहमंत्रालय/विदेशीप्रभाग
Ministry of Home Affairs/Foreigners Division
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दिनांक /Dated 19/02/2019

To,

1. All Indian Missions/Posts abroad.
2. All State Governments/Union Territory Administrations.
3. FRRO – Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Amritsar, Bangalore, Hyderabad, Kochi, Thiruvananthapuram, Calicut, Goa, Lucknow and Ahmedabad.

Subject: Inclusion of Kingdom of Saudi Arabia in the list of countries whose nationals are eligible for e-Visa Scheme with immediate effect.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's Circular No. 482 (F.No.25020/75/2016-F.I) dated 29.12.2016 conveying the decisions of the Central Government on liberalisation, simplification and rationalisation of visa regime in India and to say that it has now been decided with the approval of the competent authority, to include 'Kingdom of Saudi Arabia' in the list of countries whose nationals are eligible for grant of e-visa on a reciprocal basis with immediate effect. Accordingly Kingdom of Saudi Arabia is added in the list of countries in Appendix III, of the new Visa Manual as follows:-

S.No.	Country
167.	Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

2. These instructions shall come into force with immediate effect.

Yours faithfully,

(Lokesh Chander Trehan)
Under Secretary to Govt. of India

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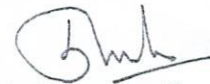
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Copy to:

1. Secretary, Ministry of Tourism.
2. Ministry of Civil Aviation.
3. Ministry of External Affairs [Shri Amit Narang, Joint Secretary (CPV Division), with the request to circulate these instructions to all Indian Mission/Posts]
4. Joint Director, Bureau of Immigration [Shri Rajeev Ranjan Verma, with the request to circulate these instructions to all FRROs/FROs for compliance]
5. DDG, NIC – with a request to place this Circular in the online Notice Board of C.VISA and C.FRO and suitable amendment in list of countries.
6. Director, Cabinet Secretariat.

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