Press Release

Passport Seva Camp at Leh

A Passport Camp will be organized by the Regional Passport Office, Srinagar from 14th to 21st June, 2017 at Leh for the applicants of Leh and Kargil, J&K. Appointments for the passport camp will be released online from 13th June, 2017 at 1700 hrs.

Disclosing this Sh. Vimarsh Aryan, Regional Passport Officer, Srinagar said that the applicants need to submit the application form online for "Fresh Passport" or "Re issue of Passport" as their case under normal category and book prior online appointment before visiting the Passport Seva Camp. Applicant would need to log on to the Passport India website (URL: <u>www.passportindia.gov.in</u>) fill and submit the application form online, make payment of passport fees (as detailed on the website) online through debit/credit card or internet banking of State Bank of India (SBI). Appointment for the passport camp will be allotted by the system as per the availability. Documents can be known from the document advisory link on the above website.

Applicants are required to visit the camp in person for application processing, biometric (fingerprints etc.) capture and photographs. The applicants may carry one coloured photograph with white background in case of any exigency. On the appointed day/time, the applicants along with the printout of appointment slip (ARN), original documents (and photocopies thereof), may visit the proposed POPSK at Leh for submission of their application. The venue of Passport Seva Camp will be Post Office, Leh. Thirty appointments will be released for each day and it will start at 9 a.m. on all days.

The camp will save the applicants long journey which they have to perform to submit their application at PSK Srinagar. During the camp Regional Passport Office, Srinagar will set up a POPSK at Leh for processing of the applications.

Applicants under PCC, On-hold cases and walk-in will not be accepted during the camp.

For more details related to Passport Services, Passport India website (URL: <u>www.passportindia.gov.in</u>) or the National Call Centre (Toll Free Number "1800-258-

1800") or they can contact at e-mail rpo.srinagar@mea.gov.in.