

Foreign Tourist Inflow to India November 2019

Ministry of Tourism compiles monthly Foreign Tourist Arrivals (FTAs) & FTAs on e- Tourist Visa on the basis of information received from Bureau of Immigration (BOI). The following are the important highlights regarding FTAs and FTAs on e-Tourist Visa during the month of November, 2019:

Foreign Tourist Arrivals (FTAs):

- FTAs in November 2019 were 10,91,946 as compared to 10,12,569 in November 2018 registering a growth of 7.8%.
- FTAs during the period January- November 2019 were 96,69,633 as compared to 93,66,478 in January- November 2018 registering a growth of 3.2%.
- The percentage share of Foreign Tourist Arrivals in India during November, 2019 among the top 15 source countries was highest from Bangladesh (19.34%) followed by United States (14.64%), UK (9.23%), Canada (4.03%), Australia (3.81%), Russian Fed. (3.68%), China (3.63%), Malaysia (3.28%), Germany (2.76%), France (2.32%), Sri Lanka (2.28%), Japan (1.98%), Singapore (1.96%), Thailand (1.87%) and Myanmar (1.29%).
- The percentage share of Foreign Tourist Arrivals in India during November, 2019 among the top 15 ports was highest at Delhi Airport (29.91%) followed by Mumbai Airport (13.92%), Haridaspur Land Check Post (8.16%), Chennai Airport (6.15%), Bengaluru Airport (5.85%), Kolkata Airport (4.90%), Dabolim (Goa) Airport (4.39%), Hyderabad Airport (3.18%), Cochin Airport (2.81%), Ahmedabad Airport (2.52%), Gede Rail Land Check Post (2.07%), Ghojadanga Land Check Post (1.50%), Sonauli Land Check Post (1.48%), Tiruchirapalli Airport (1.39%) and Gaya Airport (1.26%).

FTAs on e-Tourist Visa:

- During the month of November, 2019 total of 3,75,484 tourist arrived on e-Tourist Visa as compared to 2,61,959 during the month of November, 2018 registering a growth of 43.3%.
- During January- November 2019, a total of 25,51,211 tourist arrived on e-Tourist Visa as compared to 20,61,511 during January- November 2018, registering a growth of 23.8%.
- The percentage shares of top 15 source countries availing e-Tourist Visa facilities during November, 2019 were highest from UK (12.22%), followed by USA (10.75%), China (8.06%), Russian Fed (7.85%), Malaysia (5.71%), France (4.61%), Germany (4.60%), Australia (4.16%), Canada (3.85%), Thailand (3.25%), Italy (2.32%), Singapore (1.87%), Spain (1.64%), Vietnam (1.50%) and Israel (1.40%).
- The percentage shares of top 15 ports in tourist arrivals on e-Tourist Visa during November, 2019 were highest from New Delhi Airport (40.3%) followed by Mumbai Airport (14.5%), Dabolim (Goa) Airport (9.3%), Bengaluru Airport (6.9%), Chennai Airport (5.6%), Kolkata Airport (3.4%), Kochi Airport (3.3%), Hyderabad Airport (2.7%), Tirchy Airport (2.2%), Sonauli Land Check Post (1.7%), Gaya Airport (1.6%), Mumbai Seaport (1.3%), Ahmedabad Airport (1.2%), Amritsar Airport (1.2%) and Trivandrum Airport (1.1%).
