## Foreign Tourist Inflow to India January 2020

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 January, 2020:

## **Foreign Tourist Arrivals (FTAs):**

- FTAs in January 2020 were 11,18,150 as compared to 11,03,380 in January 2019 registering a growth of 1.3%.
- The percentage share of Foreign Tourist Arrivals in India during January 2020 among the top 15 source countries was highest from Bangladesh (18.68%) followed by USA (15.34%), UK (9.68%), Canada (4.51%), Australia (4.01%), Russian Fed (3.75%), Malaysia (2.89%), China (2.86%), France (2.54%), Germany (2.37%), Sri Lanka (2.24%), Japan (2.06%), Thailand (1.52%), Rep. of Korea (1.47%) and Nepal (1.41%).
- The percentage share of Foreign Tourist Arrivals in India during January 2020 among the top 15 ports was highest at Delhi Airport (27.39%) followed by Mumbai Airport (15.58%), Haridaspur Land Check Post (7.81%), Chennai Airport (7.13%), Bengaluru Airport (5.71%), Goa Airport (4.74%), Kolkata Airport (4.58%), Cochin Airport (3.79%), Ahmedabad Airport (3.34%), Hyderabad Airport (2.90%), Gede Rail Land Check Post (2.05%), Ghojadanga Land Check Post (1.41%), Trivandrum Airport (1.30%), Amritsar Airport (1.23%) and Tiruchirappalli Airport (1.22%).

## FTAs on e-Tourist Visa:

- During the month of January, 2020 total of 3,81,267 tourist arrived on e-Tourist Visa as compared to 2,90,967 during the month of January, 2019 registering a growth of 31.0%.
- The percentage shares of top 15 source countries availing e-Tourist Visa facilities during January, 2020 were highest from UK (12.9%), followed by USA (11.5%), Russian Fed.(8.8), China (6.1%), Malaysia (5.3%), Canada (5.1%), France (4.9%), Australia (4.1%), Germany (3.8%), Thailand (2.7%), Italy (2.6%), Israel (1.7%), Rep. of Korea (1.6%), Oman(1.6%), and Singapore (1.4%).

• The percentage shares of top 15 ports in tourist arrivals on e-Tourist Visa during January 2020 were highest from New Delhi Airport (34.2%) followed by Mumbai Airport (16.6%), Dabolim (Goa) Airport (11.2%), Chennai Airport (7.0%), Bengaluru Airport (6.7%), Kochi Airport (5.0%), Kolkata Airport (3.0%), Hyderabad Airport (2.7%), Tirchy Airport (2.1%), Ahmedabad Airport (1.8%), Trivandrum Airport (1.7%), Gaya Airport (1.3%), Sonali Land Checkpost (1.3%), Amritsar Airport (1.1%) and Mormugao Seaport (1.0%)

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