

**Embassy of India
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Security Advisory

Recent input indicates that Anti Government Elements (AGEs) are contemplating to target Indian establishments and unidentified 'prominent' Guest Houses in which Indians are staying especially Wazir Akbar Khan areas on Street 15 and Street 12.

2. Particularly, the locations revealed in the input are a private Guest House in Qasri Park (Southeast of Ansari Square) which is attached to the Safi Hotel/Safi Landmark building, and United Nations (UN) Staff House located in Shar-e-Naw between Haji Yaqoob Square and Ansari Square.

3. Further, inputs of threats directed against Indian nationals – both Government of India personnel and those privately employed or working in NGOs in Afghanistan. It is also likelihood of the AGEs staging abductions especially workers working in Eastern parts of Afghanistan. Such abduction attempts could involve methods like intercepting, firing upon and immobilizing the transport in which Indian nationals are travelling.

4. In view of the above, all Indian nationals residing in Afghanistan are requested to maintain special vigilance during coming days. It is also emphasized that unnecessary movement in the city (especially the above mentioned areas) including crowded areas like restaurants, markets and Malls may please be avoided. As advised from time to time, you are also advised to constantly change your route/timings within the city so as not to form a fixed pattern of movement. Awareness of the prevailing security scenario via local visual/print media as well as through interaction with fellow colleagues is also suggested.

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All Indians in Afghanistan