



**Embassy of India
Kinshasa**

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It has come to the Embassy's notice that some fraud agencies/groups are collecting money allegedly to facilitate repatriation to India from Democratic Republic of Congo and thereby misrepresenting the Embassy of India, Kinshasa. All Indian Nationals residing in DR Congo are hereby informed that Mission has not authorized any agency for chartered flight operations. All are requested not to fall prey to such false promises and give money to such agencies, It is requested to verify all such information on the official website and other social media handles of Government of India or the Embassy of India, Kinshasa.

Indian National desirous to travel to India may take normal commercial flight between DRC and Dubai and Vande Bharat Mission flight between Dubai and India.

Tickets for Vande Bharat Mission (VBM) flights are now sold online on the web portals of Air India and Air India Express. Please refer to the flight schedule available on the website of the Air India/ Air India Express.

Transit visa is not required in case departure is from the same airport in Dubai.

You are requested to register yourself on the website of Consulate General of India, Dubai at: https://www.cgidubai.gov.in/covid_register/, before booking tickets.

It is also requested to confirm with the Airlines for any transit/Immigration requirements before booking tickets.

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