

**High Commission of India  
London**

**VISA ADVISORY NOTICE**

19 November 2010

In order to provide better services to applicants and to upgrade the services, the collection and delivery of visa applications was outsourced to M/s. VF Services (UK) Ltd. with effect from 29 May 2008. M/s. VFS have opened eight Indian Visa Application Centres (IVACs) in UK for the purpose. Most of the visa applications are already being filled by applicants online followed by submission of the printed copies of their applications, photos, passports and fees to IVACs for processing by HCI London / Consulates in Birmingham and Edinburgh.

2. With a view to further improving visa services, it has been decided that all visa applications in UK would have to be filled online at <http://in.vfsglobal.co.uk> with effect from **23rd November 2010**. After the mandatory electronic filling of visa applications, the applicants will continue to submit the printed copies of their applications, photos, passports and fees to the respective IVACs. The visa applications filled by post/in person before 23rd November 2010 will continue to be processed as before. A detailed notice for the guidance of applicants will be issued by M/s. VF Services (UK) Ltd.

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