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Procedure for Registration of Yatris for Shri AmarnathYatra, 2015

As per the guidelines of the Amarnath Shrine Board, the following is the procedure for registration of Yatris for Shri Amarnath Yatra, 2015:

- 1. This year's Shri AmarnathjiYatra will commence on 2nd July, 2015, via both the routes Baltal and Pahalgam, and conclude on 29th august, 2015
- 2. Registration is necessary for the Yatris
- 3. Nobody shall be allowed to undertake the Yatra without Yatra Permit which is valid for the days and route in question
- A Yatri can secure his/her Yatra Permit via selected Bank Branches (87 of J&K Bank, 305 of Punjab National bank and 38 of YES Bank) located in various States/UTs
- 5. The addresses of the selected Bank Branches, for providing Registration are available at Shri Amarnathji Shrine Board's website: www.shriamarnathjishrine.com
- 6. The Registration for the Yatra 2015, via selected Bank Branches, will commence from 1st March, 2015
- 7. For Registration/ obtaining a Yatra Permit through a designated Bank, an intending Yatri shall have to submit filled in prescribed Application Form and Compulsory Health Certificate issued by the Authorised Doctor/Reputed Private medical Institution
- 8. The State-wise lists of Doctors/reputed private Medical Institutions authorized to issue the prescribed Compulsory Health Certificate are available at Shri Amarnathji Shrine Board's website

- 9. The formats of the application Form and Compulsory Health Certificate are also available at Shri Amarnathji Shrine Board's website
- 10. For Yatra 2015, Compulsory Health Certificate issued only after 10th February, 2015, would be valid for the registration purposes.
- 11. An intending Yatri will be required to pay Rs. 50/- as Registration fee, for registration through a designated Bank
- 12. A Yatri who travels by Helicopter will not be required to separately register for the
- 13. A Yatri who travels by Helicopter will, however, be required to submit the prescribed Compulsory Health Certificate at the time of boarding the Helicopter
- 14. A Yatri should embark on his/her Yatra only on the day and from the route for which he/she is registered
- 15. Please visit Board's website to know how an ex-Indian pilgrim can register himself/herself for the Yatra
- 16. A group of five or more Yatris can also register themselves through the Group Registration Facility
- 17. The procedure to register through Group Registration Facility is available on shrine board's website

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