

## EMBASSY OF INDIA KYIV

## URGENT ADVISORY FOR INDIAN NATIONALS PARTICULARLY INDIAN STUDENTS IN DONETSK AND LUGANSK REGIONS WITH REQUEST TO LEAVE AT ONCE

It would be recalled that the Embassy had evacuated Indian nationals from Donetsk and Lugansk regions in the eastern Ukraine in June 2014. The Embassy has since been issuing advisories against Indian nationals, especially students, returning to the region in view of the continued hostilities. The Embassy had recently reiterated its advice for the Indian students in Donetsk and Lugansk to immediately leave the regions in view of the rapidly deteriorating security situation. Any further delay may result in their not being able to safely exit from there. Those students continuing to study may have problems with recognition of degrees by Medical Council of India as subsequent transfers may not be recognized as the Government of Ukraine has itself advised all foreign students to seek transfer to other universities in Ukraine.

- 2. As has been widely reported in the media, there have been intensification of shelling and fighting in Donetsk and Lugansk regions in the past few days. In view of the deteriorating security situation Indian nationals, especially the students, are strongly urged to leave Donetsk and Lugansk at once.
- 3. All Indian students and nationals in Donetsk and Lugansk region are requested to send URGENTLY their details, Passport number, Mobile/telephone numbers and whereabouts to the Embassy email id: eoikmail@gmail.com
- 4. In case of Emergency, the Embassy can be contacted at any time at: [Please note Embassy's new Email address]

**Email:** eoikmail@gmail.com (Please start SUBJECT of email with the word emergency in block letters and bold i.e. **EMERGENCY**, followed by subject matter)

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