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Advisory (2) on Covid-19 related Evacuation Facilitation
– For Bangalore Airport and Chennai Airport

Bangalore Airport related:

1. Government of Karnataka has a policy of 7 day institutional quarantine; Hotels to be pre booked.
2. The cost of hotel quarantine and testing needs to be borne by the sponsor/passenger
3. The passengers shall abide by all the guidelines issued by health department of Karnataka Government.
4. The passengers need to undergo Rapid antibody testing for covid and only passengers who are negative to be allowed on-board the flight.

In view of the above, all Indian nationals proposing to go to Bangalore by the Badr Airlines charter flight may provide the confirmations on above points, specially on points 1 and 4, by 17:00 hours Monday 29 June 2020 through the emails: cons.khartoum@mea.gov.in, cons1.khartoum@mea.gov.in

In case the above requirements are not met, the travellers may opt to go to New Delhi where after 7 days institutional quarantine and required testing (both at the cost of the passengers), they will be able to proceed to their respective states/cities.

Chennai Airport related:

The Government of Tamil Nadu (TN) has laid down the following quarantine rules for the Chennai Airport bound passengers:

- The passengers shall undergo paid institutional (hotel) quarantine, at the designated place after arrival for 7 days followed by 14 days of home quarantine;

- The passengers shall undergo COVID-19 testing on arrival and Day-7 at their own cost at the designated private labs; and
- Making available the details of Nodal/contact person/persons who will coordinate paid testing and paid quarantine in Tamil Nadu for the passenger.
- Upon furnishing of the above mandatory information, the request for the travel of Indian passengers has to be forwarded by this Embassy to the Government of TN 5 days prior to the flight departure as per the following tabular proforma for data/confirmation:

Confirmation of paid Quarantine & Testing	Nodal / contact in Tamil Nadu for Confirmation of online hotel booking of quarantine facility as well as booking of ICMR approved labs for covid19 testing

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