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Consulate-General of Japan in Chennai

PRESS RELEASE

Establishment of Visa Application Centres for Japanese Entry Visa in Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Kerala and Puducherry.

The Consulate-General of Japan in Chennai has introduced a new facility to invite more foreign visitors to Japan by launching Japan Visa Application Centres in multiple cities with effect from 31st March, 2017.

Those applying for visa to enter Japan have the option to approach (1) directly the visa counter in the Consulate-General in Chennai or (2) any of the Visa Application Centres opened in Chennai, Hyderabad, Puducherry, Kochi and Thiruvananthapuram. Visa Application Centres are managed by Visa Processing Agency, VFS Global Services Pvt. Ltd. Those who apply through Visa Application Centres managed by VFS Global Services Pvt. Ltd need to bear the extra cost of availing their services in addition to the usual Japanese Visa Fee charged by the Consulate-General of Japan in Chennai.

For details, please visit <http://www.vfsglobal.com/Japan/India/>

Details of Japan Visa Application Centres

1 Business Hours:

08:00 hrs. ~ 16:00 hrs. Mondays ~ Fridays except Holidays

(Submission timing: 08:00 hrs. ~ 16:00 hrs. / Collection timing: 13:00 hrs. ~ 16:00 hrs.)

2 Location Addresses:

●Chennai

Ispahani Center, Shop No.123/124,Nungambakkam High Road, Thousand light West,
Chennai - 600034

●Hyderabad

203, Maheshwari Mayank Plaza, Greenlands, Ameerpet,
Hyderabad - 500016

●Puducherry

No.32, Eswaran Kovil Street
Puducherry- 605001

●Kochi

1st Floor, Coastal Chambers (Manoj Tower), Opp. Mercy Hotel, M G Road, Ravipuram,
Kochi-682015.

●Thiruvananthapuram

First Floor - Asiatic Business Centre T c 2/2408-3, Attipra Village, Kazhakuttam
Thiruvananthapuram-695581

For enquiries on services provided by VFS Global Services Pvt. Ltd.

Call: 022-6786-6016 (08:00 hrs. ~ 17:00 hrs. Mondays ~ Fridays except Holidays)

Email: info.jpchennai@vfshelpline.com

Website: <http://www.vfsglobal.com/japan/india/>

Please note - Those applying for a Diplomatic / Official visa or visa with a Diplomatic / Official Passport need to apply for their visa at our visa counter in our Chennai office only. Other cases which require special attention on humanitarian grounds need to also submit their visa applications at our visa counter in our Chennai office directly.