

## **ADVISORY**

### **Restoration of e-Tourist / Regular Tourist Visa**

Government of India has restored Group & Individual Tourist Visa in accordance with the following conditions:

(i) Foreign nationals intending to visit India for tourism purposes will be allowed to enter into India on e-Tourist Visa/Tourist Visa through chartered flights (**for group tourism only**) from **15<sup>th</sup> October 2021**.

(ii) All individual foreign nationals intending to travel to India for tourism purposes through Vande Bharat Mission, Air Bubble Scheme or by any scheduled / non-scheduled commercial flights as allowed by the Ministry of civil Aviation would be permitted to enter India from **15<sup>th</sup> November 2021**.

(iii) Foreign nationals would be required to obtain a **fresh e-Tourist / Regular Tourist Visa** from BOI or Indian Missions/Posts abroad. Existing valid e-Tourist Visa / Regular Tourist Visa continue to remain suspended.

(iv) The maximum Visa validity will be 30 days with single entry permitted through sea routes or by flights but not through land ICPs.

(vi) First **Half a million Tourist Visa** will be granted on **Gratis** basis, except for service charges.