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Government of India
Ministry of Home Affairs
Foreigners Division – OCI Cell

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Jai Singh Road, New Delhi 110 001.

Dated the 26 December, 2016.

To,

(1) All Indian Missions/Posts
(2) FRROs – Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Amritsar, Bangalore,
Hyderabad, Kochi, Thiruvananthapuram, Calicut, Goa, Lucknow
and Ahmedabad.

Subject: Extension of deadline for registration as OCI cardholder by
erstwhile PIO cardholders – regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry’s letters of even number dated
16th July, 2015, 24th February, 2016, 10th March, 2016 and 16th June, 2016 on
the above mentioned subject and to say that it has been decided, with the
approval of competent authority, to extend the date for submission of the
application for registration as OCI cardholder by the erstwhile PIO cardholders
till 30th June, 2017.

2. All other terms and conditions mentioned in this Ministry’s letters of
even number dated 16.07.2015 and 10.03.2016 shall remain unchanged.

3. All authorities concerned are requested to strictly comply with the
above mentioned instructions. This may also be given wide publicity through
the website of Indian Missions/Posts/FRROs/Bureau of Immigration.

Yours sincerely,

(Pramod Kumar)
Director (Policy)
Tele: 23438035
Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to:-

1. Joint Secretary (CPV) [Shri Deepak Mittal], Ministry of External Affairs – with the request to circulate these instructions to all Indian Missions/Posts. It is further requested that these instructions may please be uploaded on the website of MEA and all Indian Missions/Posts.

2. Joint Secretary (OIA-II) [Ms. Vani Rao], Ministry of External Affairs.

3. Joint Director [Shri P.K. Bhardwaj], Bureau of Immigration – with the request to circulate these instructions to all FRROs and also place these instructions on the website of BiO and all FRROs.

4. The Director [Shri Anshul Sharma], Cabinet Secretariat.

5. S.O. IT Cell, MHA with the request to upload these instructions on the website of MHA

(Pramod Kumar)
Director (Policy)