

Passport India 2015

A Year of Smart Citizen Service Delivery

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Passport India 2015 21% Growth in Delivery of Citizen Services

- **1.2+ crore** Passport services delivered to citizens in India & abroad. An increase of **21%** compared to 2014 and **41%** compared to 2013.
- **18.66**% rise in applications received in India
- 6.33 crore Indians held valid Passport on 31st Dec 2015 (Up from 5.70 crore in 2014 and 5.19 crore in 2013)
- **1.14+ crore** new Passport holders added during the years 2014-15

Passport India 2015 In Numbers

| 1-7 | Appointment availability days across India | | | | | |
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| 87% | Tatkal Passports issued within 3 days | | | | | |
| 5% | Tatkal category applications (Down from 8% in 2013) | | | | | |
| 68% | Normal Passports issued within 30 days including PV | | | | | |
| | (Up from 46% in 2014) | | | | | |
| 34 Days | Average Police Verification time (Down from 49 days in 2013) | | | | | |
| 61% | PVRs completed within 21 days (Up from 47% in 2014 & 37% in 2013) | | | | | |
| 71/29 | First time / Reissue applicants | | | | | |
| 68/32 | Male/Female applicants | | | | | |
| 18% | Students applicants | | | | | |
| 30 Years | Average age of Passport applicant | | | | | |
| 1 Day | Youngest applicant | | | | | |
| 115 Years | Oldest applicant | | | | | |
| | 87% 5% 68% 34 Days 61% 71/29 68/32 18% 30 Years 1 Day | | | | | |

Passport India 2015 In Numbers

| • | 50,000+ | Citizens | Serviced | per day | within | India |
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- **17** Language Call Centre
- **20,000**+ Calls per day
- **2+ crore** Hits per day on Passport Seva Portal
- **1+ lakh** SMSs sent per day
- **13.7+ lakh** Mobile app. downloads till 31st Dec 2015
- **15,000**+ Mobile app. hits per day

Passport India 2015 Extending Reach to Citizens

- Total number of Passport Seva Kendras: 85 (Up from 77)
- PSKs commenced operations in Agartala, Aizawl, Imphal,
 Kalaburagi, Shillong, Darbhanga, Gangtok & Karimnagar
- **PSKs** in **Dimapur and Itanagar** to commence operations in January 2016
- **397 Passport Melas** on holidays. **2.5+** lakh applications processed during extended hours
- 124 Passport Seva Camps held at remote locations processing
 - **51,000** applications
- **Passport Seva Mitra**: 4-8 weeks Internship scheme launched for Graduate Students to enable them to experience the benefit of e-Governance.
- 1.2 lakh applications submitted online at Common Service Centers (CSCs)



Passport India 2015 Geographically

- **Uttar Pradesh** creates history. Emerges as the No.1 state for the first time in terms of Passport Services (13.37)
- Another Record Created. For the first time 4 states become
 Passport millionaire states; Uttar Pradesh(13.37), Maharashtra(11.87),
 Kerala(11.44), Tamil Nadu(10.08)
- **5** States with more than **5 lakh Passport Services**; Gujarat(7.47), Punjab(7.15), Karnataka(6.37), West Bengal(5.86), Telangana(5.38)
- Telangana, Meghalaya, Assam, Uttar Pradesh, Manipur and Tripura saw a maximum growth (35%-63%) in Passport application.

 National growth rate 18.66%
- **6** RPOs with more than **5 lakh Passport Services**; Lucknow(9.48), Hyderabad(7.60), Bangalore(6.33), Kolkata(6.13), Ahmedabad(5.66), Delhi(5.06)
- Missions/Posts in the **UAE(2.5+)** and **Saudi Arabia(1.5+)** issued maximum number of Passports abroad

Passport India 2015 Police Verification



✓ **87.02+ lakh** Police Verification Reports(PVR) submitted. An increase of **22.5**% over 2014

32.23% reduction in Police Verification Pendency

All India average **Police Verification time reduced to 34 days** (Down from 49 days in 2013)

61% Police Verification Reports completed within desired timeframe of **21 days** (Up from 47% in 2014 & 37% in 2013)

95% Police Districts follow Online model of verification.

✓ **156** Districts moved online in 2015. **683 of 731**Police Districts are now online integrated with Passport Seva System.

Passport India 2015 Minimum Government Maximum Governance

- Acceptance of Birth Certificate in respect of abandoned/orphaned children liberalised for providing passport services
- Liberalisation of the requirement of **NOC by Govt. officials** for passport applications
- Acceptance of registered rent agreement as proof of address
- Acceptance of self-attested documents
- Acceptance of **Photo passbooks** issued by Scheduled Private Sector Indian Banks and Regional Rural Banks
- Online Integration with UIDAI for e-authentication of Aadhaar



Passport India 2015 Meeting ISO Standards

Passport Seva achieved triple ISO certifications in 2015



- **ISO 9001:2008** Passport Seva Kendra Operations
- ISO/IEC 20000-1:2011 Passport Seva System Service
 Management and Operations
- **ISO 27001:2013** Passport Seva System Information Security Management

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Awards & Accolades









- National Award for e-Governance 2014 -2015 (Gold Award)
- Web Ratna Platinum Award 2014
- Express Group e-Governance Award
- CIO & Leader Business Impact Award 2015
- Jewels of Digital Champion Award 2015

PASSPORT SECTION EMBASSY OF INDIA, KATHMANDU

- Embassy of India, Kathmandu operates a full fledged Passport/Consular Section, which strives to provide best possible Passport Renewal Services to Indians based in Nepal
- For further information, kindly visit <u>http://www.indianembassy.org.np/</u>
- In case of any difficulty, kindly get in touch with the Consular Section, in person