

Registration of Foreign Nationals in India

- **For persons holding long term (validity exceeding 6 months) Tourist, Business and Entry Visas, the normal duration of each stay in India should not exceed 6 months.**
- **If the stay in India is to exceed 6 months, registration with Foreigners Regional Registration Office (FRRO) within 14 days of arrival in India, is mandatory.** List of FRRO --
<https://boi.gov.in/content/frro-contact-list>
- **Foreign nationals are required to register themselves within 14 days of their first arrival in India if their stay is for more than 180 days. All nationals except Pakistan / Afghanistan holding up to six months visa are exempted from Registration.**
- **USA, Canada & Japan Nationals with a valid Tourist visa for a period of 10 years are exempted from Registration provided their each stay does not exceed a period of 180 days.**
- **Pakistan Nationals are required to get their names registered within 24 hours of their arrival in India.**

For further details on registration at FRRO visit:-
<https://boi.gov.in/content/pakistani-nationals>

- **Afghan Nationals are required to register with the FRRO/FRO concerned within 14 days of arrival except those Afghan nationals who enter India on a visa valid for 30 days or less provided the Afghan national concerned gives his/her local address in India to the Indian Mission/FRRO/FRO.**

For further details on registration at FRRO visit:-
<https://boi.gov.in/content/afghan-nationals-0>