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Date: 30 June 2023

**From:** *Organising Secretary, Public Officers' Welfare Council*  
**To:** *Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments*

### **Tour to India and Thailand**

The Public Officers' Welfare Council (POWC) is organising a group tour to India and Thailand for Public Officers and their families from Wednesday 02<sup>nd</sup> to Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

2. The flight details are as follows:

10 Nights' Stay	<i>Departure from Mauritius (SSR International Airport) Air Mauritius</i>			<i>Departure from Delhi (Indira Gandhi International Airport) Air Mauritius</i>		
	Date	Flight No.	Mauritian Time (Hours)	Date	Flight No.	Indian Time (Hours)
	Wednesday 02 <sup>nd</sup> August 2023	MK 744	2115	Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> August 2023	MK 745	0800

3. The package comprises the following:

- air tickets
- hotel accommodation with daily breakfast
  - 3 night' stay at Hotel The Regent Grand (4 star Hotel in Delhi)
  - 1 night' stay at Hotel Citrus Grand (4 Star Hotel in Pattaya)
  - 3 nights' stay at Bangkok Palace (4 Star Hotel in Bangkok)
  - 1 nights' stay at Hotel Howard Plaza the Fern (4 Star Hotel in Agra)
- transfers by air conditioned coach programme (see programme of the tour at **annex 1**)
- English speaking guide
- One bottle of Mineral water per person per day (not on the free day)
- **daily breakfast, lunches and dinners** as per programme
- sightseeing and visits with entrance tickets to most attractive places as per programme

4. Thirty seats have been secured for the group and the **cost per person** is as follows:

Room Combination	Rate (MUR)
Single Room	93,000
Per Adult in Double Sharing Room	80,000
Per Adult in Triple Sharing Room	79,500

Child Policy	Rate (MUR)
Child aged between 02 to 11 years old requiring additional bed	68,500
Child aged between 02 to 11 years old sharing parents' bed	63,200
Infant (up to 23 months)	4,000

**Note:**

- A person aged up to 23 months is considered as an infant;
  - A person aged between 02 to 11 years is considered as a child;
  - A person aged 12 years and above is considered as an adult; and
  - A person aged 60 years and above (senior citizen) benefits a discount of MUR 500 on the package.
  - A maximum of 2 children can be accommodated in a room (one sharing parents' bed and one with additional bed) except for triple sharing room where only one child can be accommodated on sharing parents' bed basis.
5. Participants should possess a passport with minimum six months' validity as from the return date of the tour. (Valid till 14 February 2024)
6. Public officers interested to join the tour are requested to fill in the participation form at **annex 2** and submit same to the Council together with the exact amount on the scheduled payment date.
7. Please note that the following documents should be submitted while effecting payment:
- Photocopy of a recent payslip or top part of the payslip indicating the name, paysite code and National Identity Card number or any written evidence/document attesting that the applicant is a serving public officer;
  - Photocopy of passport of each participant. In case of non-availability or invalid passport, participants will have to submit a photocopy of Birth Certificate or National Identity Card when effecting payment until issuance and/or renewal of passport. The participant should make necessary arrangements to obtain a valid passport at the earliest possible and submit a photocopy to the Council; and
  - Relevant authorising documents from the nearest police station for a person below the age of 18 (minor) who will not be accompanied by their parents on the tour.
8. Payments will be received on a "**first come, first served basis**" from 0900hrs to 1400hrs at the seat of the Public Officers' Welfare Council, Level 12, SICOM Building 2, Corner Chevreau and Reverend Jean LeBrun Street, Port Louis, as from issue of the Circular and until all seats are fully booked.

*Applicants are encouraged to effect payment preferably by card or cheque to the order of "Public Officers' Welfare Council".*

9. Participants willing to avail themselves of the passage benefits will have to make their own arrangements with the Accountant-General or the Human Resource Section of their respective Ministries/Departments.
10. Cancellation will be accepted only in exceptional cases (e.g. illness, death of close relative or any other valid reason) supported by documentary evidence. In case of cancellation, an administrative fee of MUR 200 per participant together with other cancellation charges claimed by stakeholders will be applicable.
11. Participants, who are under medical supervision or who are on special drugs should submit relevant details to the Council.
12. Participants are required to comply with all instructions given by the group leaders/guides during the tour and will have to bear responsibility of any mishap caused by themselves or accompanied members of their family during the tour.
13. Participants are recommended to make their own arrangements for travel insurance.
14. Please note that, in India and Thailand, all money transactions are made in Indian Rupee and Thai Bhat respectively.
15. The Council reserves the right to cancel the tour in case of any unforeseen circumstances. Participants will be refunded accordingly.
16. It would be appreciated if the contents of this circular letter could be brought to the attention of all public officers serving in your Ministry/Department. A copy thereof is also posted on the Council's website: <http://powc.govmu.org>

  
**S. Bundhoo**  
**Organising Secretary**  


*Copy to: Presidents of Staff Welfare Associations*



Public Officers' Welfare Council Annex 1	
Group Tour to India & Thailand	
Check in at SSR International Airport at 1915hr	
Programme 2023	
<b>3rd August 2023</b>	<b>Arrival Delhi Airport</b>
	Arrival at Delhi Airport
	Meet and greet with guide
	Drive to Haldirams For Breakfast
	Check in at hotel around 12:00 hrs
	Half Day Delhi sightseeing ( visiting India Gate, Rajghat)
	Evening is free at Karol Bagh, Dinner own arrangement
	Overnight stay in Delhi
<b>4th August 2023</b>	<b>Delhi half day shopping + Bangkok by flight</b>
	Breakfast at hotel and check out with Luggage
	Half Day free for shopping/ Sightseeing
	Lunch own arrangement
	transfer to airport to board a flight to Bangkok
	Dinner own arrangement at airport
	Flight to Bangkok
<b>5th August 2023</b>	<b>Bangkok -Pattaya</b>
	Arrival at Bangkok Airport (Local Time)
	After Immigration drive to Pattaya
	Arrival in Pattaya,Breakfast at hotel, check in at hotel
	After refreshing up visit Gems gallery
	Afternoon is free for shopping in the mall
	Enjoy Walkking street and Pattaya Beach of your own
	Dinner - Own Arrangement
	Overnight stay at hotel in Pattaya
<b>6th August 2023</b>	<b>Pattaya Sightseeing</b>
	Breakfast at hotel, checkout from hotel
	Visit to Nong Nooch Village with Elephant Show and Thai Cultural show
	Buffet lunch at Nong Nooch included
	Visit to Laser Buddha & Pattaya View Point
	Transfer to Bangkok
	Arrival, check in the hotel, Dinner Own Arrangement
	Overnight stay in Bangkok
<b>7th August 2023</b>	<b>Bangkok</b>
	Breakfast at hotel
	Visit Safari World (Safari Park & Marine Park) Lunch included
	Evening visit to Asiatique Riverfront - Night Market for shopping
	Dinner Own arrangement
	Overnigt stay at Bangkok
<b>8th August 2023</b>	<b>Bangkok</b>
	Breakfast at hotel
	Transfer to Damnoen saduak for visit to floating market
	DriveTo MBK mall for shopping
	Lunch own arrangement
	Return back to hotel of your own
	Evening visit to CHAO PHRAYA River for dinner on Cruise included
	Overnigt stay in Bangkok

<b>9th August 2023</b>	<b>Bangkok City Tour</b>
	Breakfast at hotel
	Bangkok city tour - Photostop Royal Grand Palace, visit Wat Po (The Reclining Buddha Temple), China Town, Giant Swing
	Return back to hotel
	Lunch - own arrangement
	Free to Explore market
	Dinner - own arrangement
	Return to hotel & checkout
	Transfer to airport to board a flight to Delhi
<b>10th August 2023</b>	<b>Bangkok to Delhi by Flight</b>
	Arrival at Bkk Airport
	Flight to Delhi
	Drive to Agra
	On the way stop for breakfast at Haldiram's
	Lunch Own arrangement
	Check in the hotel
	Visit Taj Mahal
	Free to Explore market
	Return to hotel
	Dinner in hotel
	Overnight stay in Agra
<b>11th August 2023</b>	<b>Agra to Delhi</b>
	Breakfast at hotel
	Check out and drive to Delhi
	Lunch own arrangement
	On arrival check in the hotel.
	Rest of the Day is free for shopping
	Dinner own arrangement
	Overnight stay in Delhi
<b>12th August 2023</b>	<b>Delhi sightseeing/Shopping</b>
	Breakfast at hotel
	Day is Free for Shopping
	Return Back, Dinner in Restaurant
	Overnight stay in Delhi
<b>13th August 2023</b>	<b>Departure</b>
	Checkout from hotel
	Departure for Flight to Mauritius
	Arrival Mauritius - Local Time



**India / Thailand**  
**02<sup>nd</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

Name of Applicant: \*Mr./Mrs./Miss .....  
(\* Delete as appropriate and SURNAME in block letters)

Designation: .....

Ministry/Department: .....

Residential Address: .....

Phone Number: (Mob)..... (Res)..... (Off).....

Emergency Contact Person: ..... Phone Number: .....

Accompanied by:

Name	Relationship	D.O.B.	Age	Non Veg	Veg	Amount (MUR)
Self						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
<b>TOTAL</b>						

**NOTE**

- (i) Original passport check-in at the Airport.
- (ii) Participants are required to make their own arrangements for vaccination prior to departure.
- (iii) Participants are recommended to make their own arrangements for travel insurance.
- (iv) Participants, who are under medical supervision or who are on special drugs should submit relevant details to the Public Officers' Welfare Council.
- (v) The costs of any additional service/items, including beverages, not included in this package will have to be met by the participant.
- (vi) Participants should bear responsibility of any mishap caused by themselves or accompanied members of their family during the tour.
- (vii) Participants are required to comply with all instructions given by the group leaders/guides during the tour.

I and my family members confirm that we are participating in the Tour to India and Thailand at our own risk. I understand by signing this participation form that my family and I cannot enter any representation, or statement, or legal action against the Public Officers' Welfare Council.

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**Date** .....  
**Signature of Applicant**

*For office use only*

Amount Paid \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Payment Effected \_\_\_\_\_  
by: Cash: \_\_\_\_\_  
Bank Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cheque: \_\_\_\_\_  
Cheque No: \_\_\_\_\_







**RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT FORM 2023**

Activity: TOUR TO INDIA and THAILAND (02<sup>nd</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> August 2023)

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY AND FILL AS APPROPRIATE**

I ..... and my family members namely:

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confirm that we are participating in the above mentioned activity at our own risk.

I hereby release and hold harmless the PUBLIC OFFICERS' WELFARE COUNCIL with respect to any and all injury, disability, death, or loss or damage to person or property, whether caused by negligence or otherwise on the part of the participants during the activity.

I understand, by signing this form, that I and my family cannot enter any representation, or statement, or legal action against the PUBLIC OFFICERS' WELFARE COUNCIL.

I have read this Release of Liability and Assumption of Risk Agreement. I fully understand its terms.

**Signature of Applicant**

**Name of applicant**

**Date**

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