

Change of jurisdiction for Pathankot and Gurdaspur district from Amritsar RPO to Jalandhar RPO

This is to notify to the passport applicants residing at Pathankot and Gurdaspur district, that, wef 23 Jul 2013, the jurisdiction of the above district will be realigned from Regional Passport Office, Amritsar to Regional Passport Office, Jalandhar.

In view of the above change, the applicants from Pathankot and Gurdaspur districts, henceforth, will be serviced at any of the three Passport Seva Kendras (PSKs) - Jalandhar 1(Eminent Mall), Jalandhar 2(Aman Plaza) and Hoshiarpur, under the jurisdiction of RPO, Jalandhar. This will be effective from 23 Jul 2013. Applicants applying on and after the above mentioned date would require selecting any of the above PSKs while filling up the online application form. The issuance of passports for the applications applied online on and after the above mentioned date will be undertaken from RPO Jalandhar.

The applicants who have already applied online, generated the ARN and taken appointment will

continue to be serviced at Amritsar PSK. The issuance of passport for the applications applied online prior to 23 Jul 2013 will be undertaken by RPO Amritsar.

The cut-off date for applying online and scheduling appointment at Amritsar PSK will be 22 Jul 2013 for the residents of Pathankot and Gurdaspur district. There are no other changes in the procedure of filling up the online application form and processing of application at the PSK.

Any enquiries pertaining to status of application, passport and police verification will be entertained by RPO Amritsar for the applications applied online till 22 Jul 2013. From 23 Jul 2013, the enquiries related to applications applied online will be entertained by RPO Jalandhar.

For further information, please refer to MEA website – www.passportindia.gov.in or contact the Regional Passport Office, Amritsar and Regional passport Office , Jalandhar. You may also call up National Passport Call Centre at 1800 258 1800.