



Central Adoption Resource Authority

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(A Statutory Body of Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India)

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To
All the Authorised Foreign Adoption Agencies (AFAAs)
All the Specialised Adoption Agencies (SAAs)

Sub.: Registration of cases of Resident Indians (RIs) on change of their habitual place of residence to a foreign country as Non-Resident Indians (NRIs)-reg.

It has been observed that some of the cases of the Resident Indian Prospective Adoptive Parents (PAPs) have either re-registered afresh for Inter-country Adoption as NRI on re-locating to a foreign country without withdrawing their earlier registration or continue to pursue their In-country Registration as Resident Indian.

2. In this regard, it is reiterated that the PAPs can only have one registration on CARINGS and in case they require to change the registration due to change in habitual place of residence, they will have to withdraw their previous application prior to making a fresh registration.
3. The priority of Non-Resident Indians (NRI) remains same as Residents Indian (RI) and based on the request, their seniority may be maintained in accordance with their previous registration after they have registered afresh.
4. This is inline with the existing rules and regulations on the registration process for adoption from India.
5. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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2. Indian Diplomatic Missions (IDMs) and Govt. Departments wherever applicable- for information
3. CW Section-II, Ministry of Women & Child Development, Government of India, New Delhi- for information