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**Government of Pakistan**  
**Ministry of Religious Affairs &**  
**Interfaith Harmony**

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No.1(9)HGOs/2014


Islamabad, 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2014

The Directors,  
Directorate of Hajj,  
Peshawar, Islamabad, Lahore,  
Multan, Karachi and Quetta.

Subject: **BIO-METRICS SUBMISSION FOR GETTING SAUDI ARABIA VISAS.**

Dear Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith copy of the Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia, Islamabad letter No.210-8/8/445 dated 22 January, 2014 which is self-explanatory. The same may kindly be circulated for information and necessary action at the end of all concerned.

  
(NASIR AZIZ KHAN)  
Section Officer (HGOs)

Copy to all Regional Chairmen, HOAP.

Copy for information to:

1. PS to Secretary.
2. PA to J.S. (Hajj)
3. DS (HP).
4. I.T. Administrator, with the request to upload the enclosed letter of the Royal Embassy of Saudi Arabia, Islamabad as referred above, on the website of Ministry.



No:210-8/8/445  
Date:22 January ,2014.

The Royal Embassy of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia in Islamabad presents its compliments to the Ministry of Religious Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan and has the honor to inform that That Etimad(private)limited has been exclusively appointed by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for visa Drop-Box facilities in Pakistan. Therefore, Every individual requiring a visa to enter the Kingdom ,whether for Hajj, Umrah, Business, Work, Family visit, Transit or any other purpose, will be processed by Etimad(private)limited.Furthermore,each applicant must be physically present at Etimad's visa service centres for Bio-Matrices submission(finger printing and photographs),as compulsory part of their visa application. The Bio-metric enrolment shall begin by End of February or early March2014.

This Embassy will highly appreciate if the esteemed Ministry could kindly inform all the concerned regarding it. For further details or calcification the Ministry may contact their service centre via:

Website: [www.Etimad.pk](http://www.Etimad.pk)  
Telephone: 0092-21-32785640/1

The Royal Embassy of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the esteemed Ministry of Religious Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan the assurance of its highest consideration.

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Islamic Republic of Pakistan  
Islamabad

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