

Traffic Advisory
India International Trade Fair, 2012

India International Trade Fair, 2012 is being organized at Pragati Maidan from 14th to 27th November, 2012. The Trade Fair attracts about a lakh visitors everyday. Because of the Trade Fair rush, traffic congestion is expected on the days of Fair at Mathura Road, Bhairon Marg, Ring Road, Shershah Road and Purana Qila Road. People not connected to Trade Fair may take alternative routes to avoid congestion.

TIMINGS

- There will be no entry for Trade Fair after 4.00 p.m. on weekends and after 6.00 p.m. on weekdays.
- Tickets are sold upto 2.00 p.m. on weekends & upto 4.00 p.m. on weekdays.

Entry to the Fair will be restricted for business visitors only from 14th to 18th November, 2012. Trade Fair will be open for general public from 19th to 27th November, 2012.

TRAFFIC RESTRICTIONS AND DIVERSIONS

To have smooth traffic and avoid congestion on the affected routes, Traffic Police will be taking the following measures:

- i) No vehicle will be allowed to halt or park anywhere at Mathura Road and Bhairon Marg. There will also be no parking by visitors at Sher Shah and Purana Qila Road.
- ii) Any violation by any vehicle will be prosecuted for improper parking. Improper parked vehicles will be towed away with fines of Rs. 600 for improper parking and disobedience of lawful instructions apart from towing charges.
- iii) U-turn on Mathura Road will be prohibited. Right turn from Mathura Road to Purana Qila road and Bhagwan Das Road will not be allowed.

HOW TO VISIT TRADE FAIR

- i) People can visit Trade Fair by taking Metro train and alight at Pragati Maidan Metro station. Those using DTC buses for travelling from Delhi or NCR can alight at designated bus routes on Mathura Road and Bhairon Marg.
- ii) Those who want to use their own vehicles for reaching Pragati Maidan must avail Park & Ride facility specially provided for this purpose at two locations at Sunehri Pullah near Dayal Singh College on Lodhi Road and Ashpond behind Rajghat. From Park & Ride locations, there will be free DTC shuttles to take visitors to Pragati Maidan.
- iii) These coming for trade fair can use High Court Parking on Purana Qila Road on Payment basis.

PRE-PAID TSR FACILITY

Pre-paid TSR facility will be available for visitors at Gate No. 9 on Mathura Road and Gate No. 2 on Bhairon Marg.

TICKETS FOR TRADE FAIR

Tickets for the Trade Fair can be bought at any Metro station in Delhi or NCR and can also be bought at Gate No. 1 & 2 of Pragati Maidan and Bhairon Marg. There is no sale of tickets for the Fair anywhere else.

ROUND ROBIN SHUTTLES

There will be Round Robin DTC Shuttle connecting Pragati Maidan Metro Station, I.P. Metro Station and gates of Pragati Maidan. People can use this Round Robin Shuttle for entry and exit from Pragati Maidan and connecting to Metro Stations, Pre-Paid TSR facility and Park & Ride facilities.

PEDESTRIAN FOOT OVER BRIDGES

There will be large number of pedestrian movement on Mathura Road. As heavy traffic is expected to ply on this road throughout the day, people should use three foot over bridges on Mathura Road. There is also an underpass for crossing the road by people at Bhairon Marg.

SECURITY PRECAUTIONS

People are advised not to touch unclaimed objects as these could be dangerous. There will be CCTV coverage for watch against anti social elements. People should be careful of pick-pockets and eve-teasers. There will be continuous presence of police to assist people in times of need. People can call telephone nos. 100 & 25844444 for assistance of police and traffic police.

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