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PRESS RELEASE

All PIO card holders are hereby informed that validity of hand-written travel documents (PIO Cards) has been extended till 31.12.2024.

However, this extended timeline is subject to the condition that if, in the meantime, any deadline is notified by the competent authority thereby making hand-written PIO cards invalid, then PIO cardholders may have to obtain appropriate visa from Indian Missions/Posts.

All PIO cardholders with valid PIO cards as on 09.01.2015 are advised to get their PIO Cards converted to OCI cards as per their convenience before the expiry of extended timeline.