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Embassy of India  
Bahrain

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**PRESS RELEASE**

The Embassy of India organised open house on May 02, 2025 chaired by Ambassador, H.E. Mr. Vinod Kurian Jacob. The Embassy's consular team and panel of lawyers were also present. More than 30 Indian nationals participated in the Open House conducted in English, Hindi, Tamil and Malayalam languages.

2. The open house was commenced by observing a moment of silence in remembrance of the Pahalgam terror attack.

3. Thereafter, the gathering was briefed on the cases raised during the last open house. An Indian national who was stranded in Bahrain for an extended period has been repatriated. The Embassy facilitated the issuance of an Emergency certificate and provided him with an air ticket through the Indian Community Welfare Fund. In another case, a woman who previously participated in an Open House received Emergency Certificate, and the outstanding school fees has been settled with the intervention of the Embassy. Ambassador conveyed his appreciation to the school principal and Malabar Gold & Diamonds for their support in clearing the outstanding dues. Embassy also issued an air ticket through Indian Community Welfare Fund to one cancer patient who is travelling to India to receive further treatment.

4. In the month of April, Embassy officials made a visit to Ladies jail and Jau jail. to meet the inmates in person. The inmates of ladies jail were provided with the support kits through Indian Community Welfare Fund.

5. Ambassador expressed his gratitude to the authorities of Bahrain Government, including the Ministry of Labour, LMRA, and Immigration authorities, for their swift assistance and response regarding Consular and Community Welfare matters.

6. Ambassador thanked the Embassy's panel lawyers for their consistent participation in the open house and for their unwavering support in reviewing the cases presented during the open house. He also appreciated the commitment and dedication of Indian Community organisations and volunteers in helping the distressed members of Indian Diaspora throughout the year.

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