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PASSPORT SEVA CAMP, KAKINADA (8 – 9 March, 2014)

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A Passport Seva Camp will be organised by the Regional Passport Office, Visakhapatnam on 8 – 9 March, 2014 from 1000 hours – 1700 hours (both days) at the Alumni Auditorium, Opp. Administration Building, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University (JNTU), Kakinada – 533 003, for the benefit of passport applicants residing in East Godavari district. The Camp aims at taking IT-driven public services closer home.

The applicants are required to visit the Camp in person for application processing, biometric capture and photographs. (The applicants may carry at least two coloured photographs with light background in case of any exigency). The applicants would need to log on to the website www.passportindia.gov.in; fill & submit the application form online, make payment of passport fees (as detailed on the website) online through debit/credit card or internet banking of State Bank of India (SBI). Applicants can also use the SBI challan payment option provided on the website. Appointments will be allotted by the System as per availability, from 1730 hours on 5th March 2014. On the appointed day/time, the applicants, along with print-out of Appointment Slip, original documents and photocopies thereof and SBI payment receipt where applicable, may visit the Camp for submission of application.

Passport applications falling only under Normal category, Fresh or Reissue will be accepted. Applications for Tatkaal/Lost/Damaged passport cases or PCC will not be accepted.

For more details relating to passport services, Passport website (<u>www.passportindia.gov.in</u>) or the National Call Centre (toll free number 1800-258-1800), may be accessed.
