

## Announcement

The Consulate General of the People's Republic of Bangladesh in Toronto, Canada will commence '**Consular Services**' on 17 December 2018, the following day of the 48<sup>th</sup> 'Victory Day' of Bangladesh. Besides the High Commission of Bangladesh in Ottawa, the Consulate General of Bangladesh in Toronto will render consular services to the Bangladesh diaspora and Canadian citizens living in Ontario, Saskatchewan, British Columbia, Alberta and Manitoba.

Opening of the new Consulate General in Toronto was a commitment of the present government to the Bangladesh diaspora living in Greater Toronto Area (GTA). As a part of present government's plan to raise Bangladesh's effective representation throughout the globe, this is so far the 18<sup>th</sup> Foreign Mission opened under this government. Opening of the new Consulate General in Toronto also symbolizes the robust bilateral relations that exists between Bangladesh and Canada. Besides the Consular Services and Community Welfare, the new Consulate General will contribute to develop 'people to people' contact and trade & commerce between the two friendly countries.

Initially, the Consulate General will provide services relating to i) Travel document ii) Visa iii) No-Visa Required (NVR) iv) Attestation v) Power of Attorney vi) Endorsement and vii) Consular Consultations.

Department of Immigration and Passport, Dhaka is working on the installation of MRP/MRV/E-passport for the Consulate General. Consulate General of Bangladesh in Toronto expects to commence the MRP/MRV/e-passport services soon.

Address of the new Consulate General of Bangladesh in Toronto is:

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The Consulate General of Bangladesh in Toronto will be open on Monday to Friday from 09:00-17:00 hrs. and remain closed on the weekends (Saturday and Sunday) and government holidays. The Consular Services will be rendered on the working days and visitor hours for the Consular Service is from 10:00 to 12:00 hrs. and 14:00 to 16:00 hrs.