

Travel Advisory for Gulf & Middle East Region

Waiver code - INT/02/26/MEA – Extension/ 06 Mar 2026

(This will supersede all previous communication)

Dear Travel Partner,

Consequent to the ongoing developments and subsequent cancellation of flights in Gulf & middle east region, followed by advisory issued by authorities, to minimise inconvenience and provide flexibility, we are offering the following waiver to our valued customers:

Applicability:

- Applicable for passengers holding confirmed tickets on all Air India flights operating out of Gulf & Middle east region to India via BOM and DEL, applicable only on 098 documents.
- The waiver will be applicable only for flights cancelled due to airspace closure up to one day prior to the passenger's cancelled flight.
- "Example: As on today 06 Mar – all booking done on flights till 05 Mar which has been cancelled, will be covered and this will be on the rolling basis till 15th Mar 2026".
- This restriction is intended to protect stranded passengers from 28th Feb to the immediately preceding day's cancelled flight and to prevent usage by passengers holding bookings for future travel dates.
- Only for flights departing from UAE, Kuwait, Bahrain, Saudi Arabia to India booked via Delhi and Mumbai. (Example: DXB-DEL-LKO, DXB-BOM-HYD).
- India to UAE, Kuwait, Bahrain, Saudi Arabia – Normal IROP policy will apply.
- Travel Date – Customers booked to travel from 28 February 2026 will have these following options:
 1. Waiver for cancellation / rescheduling fee for all tickets booked to travel from UAE/Saudi Arabia/Kuwait/Bahrain to India.
 2. One time waiver on rescheduling within one month of the existing travel date, within the validity of the ticket.
 3. No fare difference would be charged (NIL ADC).

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For further information and clarifications please contact your Air India sales representative. Additionally, please encourage customers to check their flight status [here](#)

Thank you for your continued partnership and support.

Warm Regards
Team Air India