

## **ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE ISMAILI LEADERS' INTERNATIONAL FORUM**

Our beloved Mawlana Hazar Imam has authorised the Ismaili Leaders' International Forum (LIF) to inform the Jamat formally that, responding to an official invitation from the Government, he will visit the United Arab Emirates in the later part of January 2018.

At this time, alongside engaging with activities relating to the initiatives of the Imam and the Aga Khan Development Network (AKDN), Mawlana Hazar Imam will grant a Diamond Jubilee Darbar and undertake Jamati work for the UAE jurisdiction Jamat.

Access to the Darbar and Jamati work will be restricted to the jurisdiction Jamat and, therefore, Jamati members from outside this jurisdiction are respectfully requested to refrain from travelling to the UAE in the expectation of being able to participate in these programmes.

Mawlana Hazar Imam has graciously expressed the intention to continue granting Diamond Jubilee visits to other Jamats during 2018.

On this happy occasion of the confirmation of Mawlana Hazar Imam's visit to the UAE, the LIF, all Jamati institutions, and Mukhis, Kamadias, Mukhianis and Kamadianis convey warm Mubarak to the Jamat.

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