

## ERD/M&PRD/PR/01/2019-15

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## Opening of Designated Bank Branches on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019 (Saturday and Sunday) for the Collection of Hajj Applications alongwith Dues for Hajj 2019

In order to facilitate the intending pilgrims in depositing Hajj applications along with dues for Hajj 2019, State Bank of Pakistan has directed 14 designated banks (viz. National Bank of Pakistan, Habib Bank, United Bank, MCB Bank, Allied Bank, Bank of Punjab, Bank Alfalah, Zarai Taraqiati Bank, Faysal Bank, Askari Bank, Bank Al-Habib, Habib Metropolitan Bank, Meezan Bank, and Dubai Islamic Bank) to open all of their designated branches on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2019 (Saturday and Sunday), for the purpose. Accordingly, all designated branches of these 14 banks will remain open on Saturday & Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for collection of Hajj applications along with dues from intending pilgrims of Hajj 2019 across the country.

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