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**CHAIRPERSON**  
**PUBLIC ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE**

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**Subject: Urgent intervention required for the safety, security, and evacuation of Indian nationals in the Middle East amidst escalating conflict**

**Respected Prime Minister,**

I am writing to seek your attention to matter of utmost urgency and concern regarding the rapidly deteriorating security situation in the Middle East. As you are aware, the recent escalations of joint military actions by the United States and Israel in Iran have escalated regional tensions to an alarming level, causing widespread apprehension among Indian citizens.

There are millions of Indian nationals who reside and work across the Middle East. A highly significant proportion of this diaspora hails from the state of Kerala. These citizens are not only the primary breadwinners for their families but also vital contributors to our nation's economy. The sudden outbreak of military hostilities has understandably triggered panic among our diaspora and immense anxiety among their families back home in India.

In light of this critical and volatile situation, I urge the Government's immediate intervention to ensure that the Ministry of External Affairs and all Indian Embassies and Consulates in the affected regions to activate emergency response mechanisms and establish dedicated, 24/7 helplines to assist our citizens. Also, engage urgently with all relevant stakeholders to ensure the protection of civilian areas, particularly zones with a high concentration of Indian expatriates and initiate logistical plans for the safe passage and evacuation of Indian nationals to return home.

Yours sincerely,

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**Shri Narendra Modi**  
**Hon'ble Prime Minister of India**

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