

**Government of India
National Commission for Minorities**

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PRESS RELEASE

The National Commission for Minorities (NCM) took cognizance of the representation from Shri Karan Jot Singh, Advocate, New Delhi & Sh. Charan Jeet Singh Rajput, Co-Chairman of Gurdwara Majnu Ka tilla and has appealed to Shri Vinai Kumar Saxena, the Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of Delhi, to restore direct vehicular access to Gurdwara Majnu Ka Tilla for pilgrims. The move comes after the removal of a road cut with traffic lights, causing significant inconvenience to devotees visiting the historic Gurdwara, which is a revered site for Sikhs.

In his letter, NCM Chairman Iqbal Singh Lalpura highlighted the difficulties faced by pilgrims, especially from the Kashmere Gate side, and requested either the reinstatement of the road cut or the construction of an underpass. The Gurdwara, associated with the visits of Guru Nanak Dev Ji and Guru Hargobind Ji, attracts a large number of devotees from India and abroad.

The NCM is committed to ensuring the accessibility of religious sites for minority communities and has urged authorities to take immediate action in this matter.
