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Drukair Announces Increase on Regional Connectivity with Reintroduction of Bangkok Services via Guwahati and Additional Frequency to Singapore via Guwahati starting this April 2026

Drukair, Royal Bhutan Airlines, is pleased to announce the reintroduction of twice-weekly flights from Paro to Bangkok via Guwahati and commencement of third weekly frequency on its Singapore route via Guwahati starting this April 2026.

The reintroduction of twice-weekly flights to Bangkok via Guwahati restores an important regional link that has historically played a significant role in facilitating tourism, medical travel, education, and business exchanges among Bhutan, Northeast states of India, and Thailand. Bangkok remains a major regional gateway with extensive global connectivity, and the reinstated service is expected to further stimulate tourism flows into the region while supporting outbound travel by Bhutanese passengers.

The expanded flight services will operate on the Paro-Guwahati-Singapore (v.v.) and Paro-Guwahati-Bangkok (v.v.) sectors, further strengthening Bhutan's regional air connectivity and enhancing travel options for passengers across South and Southeast Asia. The additional Singapore frequency is introduced in response to sustained growth in passenger demand and reflects Drukair's strategic focus on expanding access to key international gateways. Singapore serves as one of the world's leading aviation and financial hubs, providing seamless onward connectivity to major destinations across Asia-Pacific, Europe, Australia, and North America. The increased frequency will offer greater flexibility, improved schedule options, and more efficient connections for both inbound and outbound travellers.

Commenting on the expansion, the Chief Executive Officer of Drukair, Mr. Tandi Wangchuk stated:

"The introduction of a third weekly service to Singapore and the reinstatement of our Bangkok flights via Guwahati represent a significant step in Drukair's ongoing network expansion strategy. The expansion aligns with the Government of India's 'Act East Policy' as well as provide support to the travel requirements of Gelephu Mindfulness City (GMC) in southern Bhutan adjacent to Assam. These services respond to growing market demand and reinforce our role in connecting Bhutan to key regional and global hubs. Enhanced connectivity is vital to supporting tourism growth, facilitating business and educational exchanges, and strengthening Bhutan's engagement with international markets. As we expand, we remain committed to operating in a sustainable and commercially responsible manner while maintaining the highest standards of safety and service excellence."

These network enhancements underscore Drukair's continued commitment to supporting Bhutan's economic development priorities by improving market access, strengthening trade and investment



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linkages, and promoting high-value, sustainable tourism. By leveraging Guwahati as a strategic transit point, the airline enhances regional integration while optimizing operational efficiency and passenger convenience.

Flight Schedule (All Times Local)

Paro-Guwahati-Bangkok (v.v.)

FLT NO	SECTOR	DEP	ARR	DAYS
KB140	Paro-Guwahati-Bangkok	1150	1725	Thursday & Sunday
KB141	Bangkok-Guwahati-Paro	0700	1035	Friday & Monday

All times in local. Schedule is subject to change.

Paro-Guwahati-Singapore (v.v.)

FLT NO	SECTOR	DEP	ARR	DAYS
KB540	Paro-Guwahati-Singapore	0830	1625	Tuesday
		0750	1555	Wednesday
		1130	1930	Saturday
KB541	Singapore-Guwahati-Paro	0600	1015	Wednesday
		1230	1645	Thursday
		1230	1645	Sunday

About Drukair, Royal Bhutan Airlines

Drukair Corporation Limited, the national flag carrier of Bhutan, was established in 1981. Operating from its hub at Paro International Airport, Drukair serves 10 international destinations across South Asia, Southeast Asia, and the Middle East, including India, Nepal, Bangladesh, Thailand, Singapore, and the United Arab Emirates. In addition to its international routes, Drukair services 3 domestic destinations within Bhutan and offers helicopter services to enhance its range beyond fixed-wing operations.

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