Umrah Mufrada at a glance

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Umrah e Muf<mark>arada</mark> Marwah End Hijr e Ismail a.s 3/7 Maqam e Ibrahim a.s Harwalah Hajar e Aswad Start Migat Safaa

Bismihi Ta'ala

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Obligations:

- 1. Putting on Ihram from Migat
- 2. Tawaf around the Kaaba
- 3. Praying two rakaats Tawaf prayer behind Maqam e Ibrahim
- 4. Sa'i between Safaa and Marwah
- 5. *Halaq* (shaving the head) or performing *Taqseer* (cutting a little hair)
- 6. Tawaf al-Nisa
- 7. Praying two rakaats of Tawaf al-Nisa behind Maqam e Ibrahim

1. Putting on Ihram:

Ihram obligations:

- 1. Take off all sewn clothes and wear two sheets.
- 2. *Niyyah* (intention): I wear the ihram of Umrah Mufrada 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 3. Saying *Talbiyah*:

Labbaik Allahumma Labbaik

Labbaika La Sharika Laka Labbaik

Mustahab (Recommended)

Innal Hamda Wan Nai'mata Laka Wal Mulk

La Sharika Laka Labbaik

Attention:

- A. For women, their own clothing is Ihram which should not be of pure silk.
- B. Restrictions of Ihram begin after reciting Talbiyah with intention.

Restrictions of Ihram

For Women only:

- 1. Wearing jewelry for adornment
- 2. To cover the face with anything
- 3. Wearing gloves

For Men only:

- 1. Wearing tailored clothes
- 2. Wearing socks/shoes that completely cover the top of the foot
- 3. Covering the head (including the ears)
- 4. Traveling in the Shadow

For both Men and Women:

- 1. Hunting
- 2. Oiling the body
- 3. Looking in the mirror

- 4. To adorn
- 5. To swear
- 6. Killing lice
- 7. Pulling out hair
- 8. I. Using perfumes and smelling scents
 - II. Holding nose to avoid foul smells
- 9. Cutting or biting nails
- 10. Lying, swearing, calling names or abusing etc.
- 11. Drawing or donating blood
- 12. Doing Nikkah or saying it
- 13. Masturbating
- 14. Intercourse
- 15. Kissing with lust
- 16. Lustful seeing or touching etc.
- 17. Tooth extraction
- 18. Plucking grass from Haram
- 19. Carrying arms
- 20. Applying *Surma* in eyes

2. Tawaf around Kaaba:

Conditions:

- 1. Niyyah (intention), I perform the Tawaf of Umrah Mufrada, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Wudhu (Ablution)/Ghusl must be done.
- 3. The *body* and *clothes* must be pure.
- 4. The *private parts* must be covered.
- 5. Circumcision (for men)

Obligations of Tawaf (Method of Tawaf):

- 1. Start Tawaf from Hajar e Aswad.
- 2. End Tawaf at Hajar e Aswad.
- 3. During Tawaf, the left shoulder must be towards the Kaaba.
- 4. Do Tawaf outside Hijr e Ismail.
- 5. Include *Shazarwan* (sloping foundational walls along the base of Kaabah).
- 6. Do seven rounds, no more or less.

3.Tawaf Prayers:

- 1. Niyyah (intention): I perform the Tawaf Prayer of my Umrah Mufrada, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Pray behind Magam e Ibrahim.
- 3. Pray immediately after Tawaf (upto 10 minute delay is fine).
- 4. Pray two rakaats like morning prayer.
- 5. Slow or Loud? any ways is fine.

4.Sa'i between Safaa and Marwah:

- 1. Niyyah (intention): I perform Sa'i of my Umrah Mufardah, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Start from Safaa.
- 3. From Safa to Marwah one round and from Marwah to Safaa will be considered the subsequent round. Hence the seventh round will end at Marwah.
- 4. Sa'i from the upper floor is not correct.
- 5. Wudhu and Ghusl not required

5. Halaq (Shaving head) or Tagseer (Cutting a little hair):

- 1. Niyyah (intention): I shave my head or perform taqseer, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Men have choice to either shave their head or perform Taqseer. For women Taqseer is the only option.
- 3. Plucking not allowed. Instead use scissor etc.
- 4. Help others only once you are done with yours.
- 5. It is not mandatory to perform Taqseer on Marwah, it can be done in your hotel, until then restrictions of Ihram remain.

Attention:

As soon as Halaq/Taqseer is done, the rest of the Ihram restrictions will end except for marital (permissible relations) restrictions. There are still two obligations left.

6.Tawaf Al-Nisa:

- 1. Niyyah (intention): I perform Tawaf al-Nisa, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Conditions and method are the same as the previous Tawaf.
- 3. It is not necessary to wear Ihram for this Tawaf. This can be performed in routine clothes.
- 4. Tawaf al-Nisa is obligatory on all (men, women, children, old, young, married, unmarried etc.)

7.Tawaf Al-Nisa Prayer:

- 1. *Niyyah* (intention): I perform the prayer of Tawaf al-Nisa, 'Qurbatan ilAllah'.
- 2. Conditions and method of this prayer are same as previously stated.
- 3. This prayer is obligatory on all (men, women, children, old, young, married, unmarried etc.)

With this your Umrah Mufrada will be completed and all restrictions will end except hunting and plucking grass with in the Haram limits even if the person is not in the state of Ihram.

Remember:

It is not difficult to perform these acts but,

- Don't be careless.
- Try to learn these actions.
- Stay in touch with your Maulana.
- You will be able to perform these acts with ease, Insha'Allah.