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The State of Ihraam

1 PREPARE YOURSELF

- Take a Ghusl (If not possible, Wudhu will suffice)
- Trim The Nails
- Remove Unwanted Hair
- Trim Moustache (For Men)

2 IHRAAM CLOTHING

Ihraam **must be worn** ***at or before the Meeqaat,*** **not at Jeddah.**

IHRAAM FOR MEN



2 unsewn pieces of cloth - ***not tailored*** into garments such as a thobe, shirt or trousers.

- **Shaafi'ee;** **Exposure of ankles.**
- **Hanafi;** **Exposure of ankles & metatarsal bone.**

IHRAAM FOR WOMEN



Normal clothing. ***No gloves.*** Keep the face uncovered except in the presence of non-mahram men.

- **Shaafi'ee;** ***Compulsory*** **to wear socks.**
- **Hanafi;** ***Highly recommended.***

3 SALAATUL IHRAAM

- These 2 units of prayer are *Nafl* (optional)
- After performing 2 units of prayer, males should remove headwear.

Fardh **Salaah is more important than these 2 units of prayer**

4 INTENTION & TALBIYAH

Upon reciting the Niyyah & Talbiyah, you enter the sacred state of Ihraam. (consecration).

LISTEN TO THE TALBIYAH

"O Allaah, i intend to perform 'Umrah/Hajj, solely for Your Pleasure, so accept it from me and make it easy for me". ***(any language is acceptable.)***

لَبَّيْكَ اَللّٰهُمَّ لَبَّيْكَ، لَبَّيْكَ لَ شَرِيْكَ لَكَ لَبَّيْكَ، إِنَّ اَلْحَمْدَ وَالنِّعْمَةَ لَّكَ وَالْمُلْكَ لَشَرِيْكَ لَكَ

Labbaik, Allaahumma Labbaik, Labbaik, Laa Sharika Laka Labbaik.
Innal Hamda Wan-Ni'mata Laka Wal-Mulk, Laa Sharika Lak.

I respond to Your call O Allaah! I respond to Your call. You have no partner. I respond to Your call. All praise, thanks, and blessings are for You. All Sovereignty is for You. You have no partners.

5 WISDOM OF IHRAAM

- Rich and poor Stand equal before Almighty Allaah.
- A reminder that we leave this world with only a shroud.
- Cultivates humility and encourages sincere repentance.

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