

Question 660) - Are the people of the Miqat or Hill allowed to enter the Haram or Makkah without Ihram?

A: They are allowed to when they do not intend Hajj or 'Umrah' If they enter Makkah or the Haram without Ihram, and intended Hajj or 'Umrah, then Damm becomes Wajib upon them. They will have to return to their Miqat, which is the Hill. If they entered Ihram of Hajj or 'Umrah at the Haram and did not return to the Hill; or they did return but did not make Talbiyah there before beginning Tawaf, they are sinners and the Damm is still payable.

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