



INFORMATION

Updates of the Reduction of Quarantine Obligations for the International Travelers during the Period of COVID-19 Effective from February 16th, 2022

The COVID-19 Response Acceleration Task Force has issued Circular Letter (SE) No. 7 Year 2022 regarding the International Travel Health Protocol during the Corona Virus Disease Pandemic 2019 (COVID-19). As written in the circular letter, international travelers who arrive in Indonesia are obligated to conduct quarantine for 7 days, 5 days, or 3 days based on their vaccine status (first dose, second dose, or booster dose) **effective from February 16th, 2022**.

This update in the regulation is a part of the government's effort to handle the spread of COVID-19 in Indonesia, especially in preventing and controlling the transmission of the new variant of COVID-19, SARS-CoV-2 B.1.1.529, known as Omicron. By the enactment of Circular Letter (SE) No. 7 Year 2022, it caused the Circular Letter (SE) No. 4 Year 2022 to be **revoked and declared invalid**.

Several updates for international travelers (WNI and WNA) that arrive in Indonesia during the time after the enactment of this circular letter are as follows:

1. Indonesian Citizens (WNI) that arrive from abroad are allowed to enter Indonesia by following the strict health protocol stipulated by the Government.
2. The exception for foreigners (WNA) that can enter Indonesia is as follow:
 - a. Foreigners (WNA) with Visa Services, Diplomatic Visa, Visit Visa, Limited Stay Visa, Official Stay Permit, Diplomatic Stay Permit, Limited Stay Permit, and Permanent Stay Permit as mentioned in the Minister of Law and Human Rights (Permenkumham) No. 34 Year 2021 about Granting of Visa and Immigration Stay Permit for Period Handling of the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 and National Economic Recovery.
 - b. According to the agreement (bilateral) scheme, such as Travel Corridor Arrangement (TCA) between the Indonesian Government and the United Arab Emirates, China, South Korea, and Singapore.
 - c. Foreigners (WNA) who have written permission from the Ministries or Government Institutions.
3. All international travelers (WNI and WNA) are allowed to enter Indonesian territory through the entry points for international travel as follows:
 - a. Airports:
 - Soekarno Hatta, Banten;
 - Juanda, East Java;
 - Ngurah Rai, Bali;
 - Hang Nadim, Riau Islands;
 - Raja Haji Fisabilillah, Riau Islands;
 - Sam Ratulangi, North Sulawesi; and
 - Zainuddin Abdul Majid, West Nusa Tenggara.
 - b. Seaports:
 - Tanjung Benoa, Bali;
 - Batam, Riau Islands;
 - Tanjung Pinang, Riau Islands;
 - Bintan, Riau Islands; and
 - Nunukan, North Kalimantan.
 - c. Cross Border Posts:
 - Aruk, West Kalimantan;
 - Entikong, West Kalimantan; and
 - Motaain, East Nusa Tenggara.
4. International travelers, who enter Indonesian territory through the Zainuddin Abdul Majid airport (West Nusa Tenggara), Tanjung Benoa seaport (Bali), Batam seaport (Riau Island), and Bintan seaport (Riau Island), can only enter Indonesia with a bubble system mechanism as stipulated in the Circular Letter of the COVID-19 Response Acceleration Task Force concerning the applicable bubble system.
5. All international travelers (WNI and WNA) who arrive in Indonesia are required to conduct quarantine for:
 - 7 days for international travelers who have received the first dose of COVID-19 vaccines.
 - 5 days for international travelers who have received the second dose of COVID-19 vaccines.
 - 3 days for international travelers who have received the third dose of COVID-19 vaccines (booster shot).
 - For international travelers who are under 18 years old and require special protection, the duration of their quarantine will follow the provisions enforced on their parents or travel companions.
6. RT-PCR test obligation for all international travelers (WNI and WNA) is conducted twice, which the first one is conducted upon arrival. Meanwhile, the second test is conducted on:
 - The 6th day of quarantine for those who conduct 7 days quarantine duration.
 - The 4th day of quarantine for those who conduct 5 days quarantine duration.
 - The 3rd day of quarantine for those who conduct 3 days quarantine duration.

In addition, this regulation updates will be evaluated and adjusted by the Indonesian Government in responding to the development of the new variant of the Omicron virus.

For your reference, please check the Circular Letter (SE) No. 7 Year 2022 on the updates regarding international travelers arriving in Indonesia in Bahasa Indonesia and English translation in the link [here](#).

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