

According to the press release on November 29th, 2021, the Coordinating Minister for Maritime Affairs and Investment, Luhut B. Pandjaitan announced the extension of the implementation of the Emergency Community Activity Restriction (PPKM) in Java-Bali. The government decided to extend the PPKM of Java-Bali from **November 30th until December 13th 2021**. As reported after the assessment on the Evaluation of Community Activity Restrictions (PPKM) earlier, Luhut stated that the government will continue to ensure the implementation of health protocols in order to control the Covid-19 cases on the upcoming Christmas and New Year Holidays (Nataru) due to the increasing number of mobility in Java-Bali. However, the regulations of PPKM in Java-Bali will remain the same.

In addition, there are 10 regencies/cities that returned to PPKM level 2 which are the Jabodetabek regions. This is due to the decrease in tracing numbers of agglomeration members in the region. In response to that, there are some scenarios prepared by the government, including:

- 1. The acceleration of vaccinations especially for the elderly
- 2. Tightening the arrival of Foreign Nationals (WNA) from abroad

As emphasized before, the government still urges people to remain compliant with health protocols to prevent an increase of daily cases of Covid-19, by always implementing 3M (wear a mask, wash hands, keep the distance and avoid the crowd) and 3T (testing, tracing, and treatment).

Reference:

• The Instruction of the Ministry of Home Affairs Inmendagri No. 63 Year 2021

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