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COVID-19 TESTING FOR DIPLOMATS, DIPLOMATIC STAFF AND FAMILIES TRAVELLING TO PAKISTAN

Reference is made to our letter of even number dated June 01, 2021, providing guidelines on the travel of Diplomats, Diplomatic Staff and their families travelling to Pakistan.

2. Para 2 of the aforementioned letter may be amended to read as follows:

"With immediate effect, the subject passengers travelling to Pakistan will be required to:

- Possess valid negative PCR Test results conducted within the 72 hours prior to commencement of travel to Pakistan
- Possess Valid COVID-19 Vaccination Certificates / Proof of Vaccination
- Ensure mandatory Home Quarantine with PCR Tests conducted on day 2nd and 8th of Home Quarantine"
- Remaining contents of the above stated letter remain unchanged.

(IRFAN SABIR)
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Director AT & ER

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Copy to:-

- Secretary, Ministry of National Health Services, <u>Islamabad</u>
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Reference is made to our letter of even number dated May 21, 2021, providing guidelines on the travel of Diplomats, Diplomatic Staff and their families travelling to Pakistan.

- With immediate effect, the subject passengers travelling to Pakistan will be required to:
 - Possess valid negative PCR Test results conducted within the 72 hours prior to commencement of travel to Pakistan
 - Possess Valid COVID-19 Vaccination Certificates
 - Ensure mandatory Home Quarantine with PCR Tests conducted on day 2nd and 8th of Home Quarantine.
- 3. There will be no mandatory Rapid Antigen Testing on arrival for the subject passengers. However, Diplomats, Diplomatic Staff and their families opting to undertake Rapid Antigen Testing and testing negative thereafter, will be exempted from mandatory Home Quarantine requirements.
- 4. Given the volatile COVID-10 situation across the globe, any additional stipulations may also be mandated by the relevant Health Authorities upon arrival of the subject passengers in Pakistan.

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Reference is made to our letters of even number dated May 01, 2021 providing Standard Operating Procedures (Version 4.0) fir International Inbound Passenger, Chartered and Private Aircraft Flights to Pakistan.

- With immediate effect, in order to undertake inbound travel to Pakistan, all Diplomats, Diplomatic Staff and their Families will be required to:
 - Possess a valid negative COVID-19 PCR Test Certification conducted within the 72 hours prior to commencement of travel to Pakistan.
 - Undergo RAT Testing upon arrival in Pakistan and in case of positive RAT result, will also be required to undergo mandatory indoor Quarantine with their respective Embassies.
- 3. In addition to the above and considering the rapidly changing COVID-19 situation across the globe, any or all of the aforementioned passengers may also be subjected to other additional stipulations, which may be specified by the Health Authorities upon arrival in Pakistan.

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