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Sub: Operation of Schedule International Flights To/From Bangladesh during COVID-19 Pandemic.

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1. Considering the persistent risk and to avoid further expansion of pandemic COVID-19 throughout the country, **with effect from 0001 BST on 16th June 2020 until further notice**, all **scheduled international commercial passenger flights** to/from Bahrain, Bhutan, Hongkong, India, Kuwait, Malaysia, Maldives, Nepal, Oman, Saudi Arabia, Sri Lanka, Singapore, Thailand, Turkey and UAE shall not be allowed to land at any Airport in Bangladesh.
2. Physical distancing of personnels on duty at the airport and disinfection procedure for passenger, crew, aircraft etc. shall be complied by all concerned as per the CAAB published directives.
3. Passengers intending to travel abroad must possess all valid travel documents, visas, health/medical/ 'COVID-19 negative' certificate and other necessary documents etc. as per the requirement of the competent authority of the respective destination country.
4. Foreign nationals coming to Bangladesh with valid visas will be required to produce a medical certificate (with English translation) to be obtained within 72 hours of travel, indicating that he/she is 'COVID-19 Negative'. The individual needs to submit these certificates on arrival at the entry point (airport/sea port/land port) in Bangladesh.
5. If any Bangladesh origin passengers possess an NVR and come to Bangladesh without the required 'COVID-19 Negative' certificate, he/she would be institutionally quarantined for 14 (Fourteen) days.
6. If any Bangladesh origin passengers possess an NVR and come to Bangladesh with the 'COVID-19 Negative' certificate, he/she would be home/self quarantined for 14 (Fourteen) days. However, if he/she is diagnosed with any symptom of Corona Virus on his/her arrival, he/she would be institutionally quarantined in for 14 (Fourteen) days.
7. All other flights shall be conducted as usual except for the Relief / Humanitarian (arranged/ offered by State to State), Repatriation, Citizen Evacuation, Diplomatic flight requests shall be made to Civil Aviation Authority of Bangladesh through Ministry of Foreign Affairs Bangladesh.
8. Any condition and instruction, in regard to air travel, imposed by Ministry of Foreign Affairs Bangladesh and any other competent authority of Bangladesh time to time, shall be applicable.


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