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Subject : Submission of Circular of the National Task Force for Handling COVID-19 Number 4 of 2020 concerning the Travel Health Protocol for People during the COVID-19 Pandemic

Referring to the subject matter of the News, the following matters are respectfully conveyed:

1. In order to improve the implementation of the COVID-19 health protocol which is accompanied by monitoring, control and evaluation to prevent an increase in COVID-19, on December 28, 2020, the National Task Force for Handling COVID-19 (National Task Force for COVID-19) has issued a Circular The National Task Force for Handling COVID-19 Number 4 of 2020 concerning the Travel Health Protocol for People during the COVID-19 Pandemic (**SE No.4 / 2020**).
2. Broadly speaking, the main provisions that need to be considered by all Indonesian Representatives are as follows:
 - 2.1 **Scope**
SE No.4 / 2020 applies to Indonesian citizens and foreigners traveling internationally.
 - 2.2 **Trip Closure for foreigners**
 - a. Foreigners from all countries cannot enter Indonesia for as long **period 1-January 14, 2021** either directly or through transit in a foreign country.
 - b. Exceptions apply to foreigners who meet one of the criteria below:
 - 1) the holder of a diplomatic residence permit and an official residence permit; and
 - 2) holders of a limited stay permit (KITAS) or permanent residence permit card (KITAP).
 - c. For foreigners who enter Indonesia during the period 28-31 December 2020, the provisions of the Addendum to the COVID-19 National Task Force Circular Letter Number 3 of 2020 apply.

- d. For foreigners who meet the categories b and c, upon arrival in Indonesia, they must show the results of the RT-PCR in the country of origin whose samples were taken within a maximum period of 2 X 24 hours before departure time and attached at the time of health examination or Indonesian International e-HAC.

2.3 Indonesian citizens traveling from abroad

Indonesian citizens traveling from all foreign countries who enter Indonesia, either directly or transiting in a foreign country, must show negative results through the RT-PCR test in the country of origin whose samples are taken within a maximum period of 2 x 24 hours before the time of departure and attached at the time health check or Indonesian International e-HAC.

2.4 RT-PCR test and quarantine upon arrival

Indonesian citizens arriving from abroad must re-perform the RT-PCR upon arrival in Indonesia and are required to quarantine for 5 days at a special quarantine accommodation provided by the Government.

Foreigners arriving from overseas must carry out RT-PCR upon arrival in Indonesia and are required to quarantine for 5 days at quarantine accommodation at independent costs at hotels / inns that have received certification for the implementation of COVID-19 quarantine accommodation by the Ministry of Health.

2.5 Health care post RT – PCR reset

If the results of the RT – PCR re-examination of the Indonesian citizen upon arrival show a positive result, the Indonesian citizen will undergo treatment at the hospital at the government's expense. For foreigners, treatment at the hospital will be borne by the individual concerned / independent.

2.6 Post-quarantine RT – PCR examination

After going through quarantine for 5 days, Indonesian citizens and / or foreigners must re-examine the RT – PCR. If the results of the RT-PCR examination show negative results, the Indonesian citizen and / or foreigner can continue their journey.

If the results of the post-quarantine RT-PCR examination are positive, the Indonesian citizen will undergo treatment at the hospital at the government's expense. For foreigners, treatment at the hospital will be borne by the individual concerned / independent.

2.7 Official visits of foreign officials at Ministerial level and above

Foreign travelers who hold diplomatic visas and official visas related to official visits of foreign officials at Ministerial level and above are permitted to enter Indonesia by implementing very strict health protocols.

2.8 Validity period

SE No.4 / 2020 is in effect from 28 December 2020 - 14 January 2021 and can be changed according to developments in the situation.

2.9 Etc

Covid-19 National Task Force Circular Letter No. 3 of 2020 concerning the Travel Health Protocol for People During Christmas Holidays and Welcoming the New Year 2021 in the Covid-19 Pandemic Period and the Addendum remains in effect as long as it does not conflict with SE No.4 / 2020.

