

# **THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA**



## **TRAVEL ADVISORY NO.3 OF 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2020**

On the 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2020, the Government of the United Republic of Tanzania instituted additional measures with a goal of limiting the spread of corona virus in the United Republic of Tanzania. Following a decreased trend of admitted COVID-19 cases in the country, the Government has reviewed the Travel Advisory No. 2 of 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2020 to accommodate measures related to International travel as follows:

1. All travelers whether foreigners or returning residents entering or leaving the United Republic of Tanzania will be subjected to enhanced screening for COVID-19 infection. There will be no 14 days mandatory quarantine upon arrival.
2. All international travelers should observe adherence to Infection Prevention and Control measures such as hand hygiene, wearing masks and keeping physical distancing as appropriate.
3. All travelers are required to truthfully fill out Traveler's Surveillance Form available onboard or in any other transport means and submit to Port Health Authorities upon arrival;
4. All arriving/departing conveyances must provide Advance Passenger Information so as to allow the Points of Entry Authorities to scrutinize the manifest for possible high-risk passengers.
5. Pilot/Captain/Driver in command of conveyance should prior to arrival submit to Port Health Authority the dully filled conveyance health declaration forms (Health Part of General Declaration, Maritime Health Declaration and Ground Transport/Vehicles Health Declaration Form)
6. All Conveyance operators should observe adherence to Infection Prevention and Control measures such as hand hygiene, wearing masks and keeping physical distancing as appropriate.
7. Conveyances will be subjected to decontamination if deemed necessary

- Measures relating to truck/vehicle carrying Goods and Services:
  - i. have only 2-3 crew Members per vehicle to facilitate smooth border crossing in the region;
  - ii. will be decontaminated if crew members are suspected to have COVID-19
  - iii. crew members have to declare their final destinations at the Points of Entry (PoE), and during their journey are allowed to only stop at Government designated locations.
  - iv. crew members will be subjected to enhanced screening at Points of Entry and may be quarantined or isolated at designated facilities in case they are suspected of COVID-19 infection.
  - v. in case crews are quarantined/Isolated while in transit, truck owners / operators must make necessary arrangements to back-up their crew to ensure that goods are delivered to the intended destination;
  - vi. crew for cargo vessels will be quarantined at designated hotels or within their vessels for the period of their stay;
  
- In case of any medical emergency while in the United Republic of Tanzania, please call the toll-free **Health Emergency Number: 199.**

**NB:** The Travel Advisory will be reviewed from time to time as the need arises.



Umyy A. Mwalimu (MP),

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