Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority

Operational SOPs for International Inbound Passenger Flights-Canada is
Included in Category B Countries. Travellers from Canada will Require to
Provide Proof of Negative RT-PCR Test Conducted not more than 96 hours
from the commencement of original travel

The aircraft operations shall be subject to full compliance of Pakistan Civil Aviation Authority (PCAA) instructions regarding aircraft disinfection, passenger and crew protection measures. All Airlines are to ensure that all SOPs implemented by the PCAA are followed in letter & spirit by all passengers and crew members. Non-compliance shall result in strict punitive action by PCAA.

In order to ensure safety of passengers and crew (cockpit & cabin) and to minimize the risks associated with COVID-19, following measures are to be taken in case of passenger and chartered aircraft flight operations to Pakistan:

PRE-EMBARKATION:

- 1. Requirement of COVID-19 RT-PCR test from passengers travelling to Pakistanis subject to the country of original embarkation. Ministry of Nationals Health Services, Regulation and Coordination (M/o NHSR&C) has categorized countries into three categories: A, B and C based on COVID-19 risk assessment which will be reviewed fortnightly. Asymptomatic travellers from Category A Countries do not require RT-PCR test before commencement of travel; whereas, travellers from Category B and C countries shall be require to provide proof of negative RT-PCR test conducted not more than 96 hours from the commencement of original travel, failing which the operator / airline shall not issue the boarding pass. Airlines shall be responsible to ensure compliance. International travellers from Countries in Category C shall be subjected to another mandatory RT-PCR Test upon arrival in Pakistan.
- 2. It shall be mandatory for all passengers travelling to Pakistan to download and install PASS TRACK app from the Google Paly Store / Apple Store and enter their personal details as required. The airlines shall ensure that the passengers uploaded their information on the app or have a printed a copy of uploaded information generated by the app prior to issuance of boarding passes at point of original embarkation. Those passengers who do not have android / Apple phones shall enter their data on the web portal (https://passtrack.nitb.gov.pk/login). Passengers who prefer to upload their data on the web portal shall be required to provide paper print of the same prior to obtaining boarding

pass at the airport of original embarkation. Passengers shall be required to capture the image of their RT-PCR test (if done) and upload it on the app or web portal.

- 3. Following passengers, shall be exempted from both RT-PCR testing PASS TRACK app uploading requirement, however they shall submit complete Health Declaration Form at the airport of arrival in Pakistan.
 - a. Passengers less than 12 years.
 - b. Disabled passengers.
 - c. High level international delegations.
- 4. All passengers and crew members travelling to Pakistan shall also be required to fill the Health Declaration Forms prior to boarding the aircraft which shall be disseminated by airlines (Form attached as Annex-A)
- 5. The aircrafts travelling to Pakistan shall be disinfected in accordance with the procedures prescribed by PCCA before passenger boarding. The disinfection is to be logged in aircraft documents. The Captain of the aircraft shall satisfy himself regarding full compliance of PCAA instructions on disinfection.
- 6. An inventory of essential Personal Protection Equipment (PPE), comprising protection suits, gloves, face masks, goggles, and N-95 masks, etc. shall be maintained in each aircraft.
- 7. The airline through its station manager / or the GHA where applicable, shall be responsible for providing the passenger manifest to the destination airport in Pakistan, before take-off of the flight. The Airport Manager at the destination airport shall transfer this passenger manifest to the health desk at the airport manned by Central Health Establishments (CHE) Directorate, M/o NHSR&C.

DURING FLIGHT:

8. Passengers are to comply with the following instructions during air travel to Pakistan. These are in addition to any other instructions which

are otherwise mandated for safe air travel, or as issued by the Cabin Crew from time to time during the flight:

- a. All passengers are required to wear face masks throughout the duration of flights except during meal timings. The masks shall be provided by the airline at check in counter of the airport if the passengers do not have their own.
- b. Passengers are to occupy only the seats allocated to them and not change the seats in any case. They are also not allowed to congregate in the aircraft during the course of air travel.
- c. Any passenger having symptoms of feelings of COVID-19, including but not limited to shortness of breath, coughing and high fever must immediately inform the cabin crew.
- 9. All cockpit and cabin crew will wear face masks throughout the duration of flight without compromising on safety.
- 10. Cabin crew will provide hand sanitizer after every hour during the flight to each passenger except during the food / beverage service.
- 11. Food and beverages will be served on flights will proper packaging and precaution.
- 12. One Aft row in each aircraft shall be kept vacant for the passengers and crew displaying symptoms of illness.
- 13. The passengers and crew members displaying symptoms of illness will be isolated towards aft of the aircraft and kept there till the termination of flight. Such passengers shall remain at this seat in the aircraft till such time the health crew is called in by the cabin crew for medical evacuation.
- 14. Cabin Crew will spray disinfectant in the lavatory after every 60 minutes of flight.
- 15. The cabin crew shall use alcohol-based disinfection wipes to clean and disinfect their hands. After touching or disposing wastes, hands should be cleaned with hand sanitizer or soap.
- 16. Upon contacting ill passengers (having symptoms of COVID-19), cabin attendants must ensure use of N-95 masks, gloves and protective goggles.

17. The completely filled in Health Declaration Form will be checked at the entrance to the boarding bridge at the airport by the PCAA / ASF Officials.

POST-DISEMBARKATION:

- 18. Disembarkation will be done row wise in an orderly manner from front to back ensuring social distance.
- 19. All travellers should be in queue with a distance of 02 meters and will undergo thermal scanning.
- 20. The health staff will evaluate the results of scanning:
 - a. <u>Travellers</u> detected with <u>fever</u> shall be marked. Supervisor will be informed immediately and shall be taken to Health Counter.
 - b. <u>Travellers with no fever</u> shall go through process as such after providing test results if coming from **Category B and C** countries.
 - c. All travellers originating from **Category C** countries shall also be subjected to mandatory RT-PCR Test upon arrival in Pakistan.

21. Protocol for symptomatic travellers:

- Such passengers will be required to have a COVID-19 RT-PCR test conducted and its result essentially submitted to the designated authorities within 48 hours of their arrival.
- Contact details of such suspected cases will be acquired by airport authorities, and information about test report submission process will be provided to such suspected cases before they leave the airport.
- Such suspected cases are not required to be retained / quarantined by the authorities at the time of disembarkation, and can proceed to their destination.
- In case of a positive RT-PCR result, such cases would be required to self-isolate as per the guidelines for positive cases and isolation procedures.
- The contacts of positive case need to self-quarantine in accordance to the guidelines for self-quarantine.
- 22. In case of any raised temperature or any other symptoms, the decision regarding quarantine requirement for any crew shall be made by health professionals at the airports.

- 23. Passengers with filled Health Declaration Form / data uploaded on Pass Track App and negative health screening will be allowed to proceed to immigration counters.
- 24. No meet and greet shall be allowed at the airport. Drivers shall stay inside the vehicle in the parking lot.

UPDATED LIST NOVEMBER 17, 2020 VALID FROM NOVEMBER 27, 2020 FOR CATEGORY A & B AND FROM NOVEMBER 20, 2020 FOR CATEGORY C

INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLERS FROM FOLLOWING COUNTRIES DO NOT REQUIRE COVID-19 RT-PCR TEST BEFORE ENTRY INTO PAKISTAN

Sr. No	Countries	Sr. No.	Countries
01	Australia	12	Maldives
02	China	13	Namibia
03	Cote D'Ivoire	14	New Zealand
04	Cuba	15	Nigeria
05	Fiji	16	Rwanda
06	Finland	17	South Korea
07	Iceland	18	Saudi Arabia
08	Japan	19	Senegal
09	Kazakhstan	20	Sri Lanka
10	Laos	21	Vietnam
11	Malawi		

CATEGORY B

FOR COUNTRIES NOT INCLUDED IN CATEGORY A AND C, INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLERS REQUIRE COVID-19 PCR TEST BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF TRAVEL TO PAKISTAN (MAX 96 HOURS OLD). [CANADA IS INCLUDED IN CATEGORY B COUNTRIES. ALL INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLERS TRAVELLING FROM CANADA TO PAKISTAN ARE REQUIRED COVID-19 RP-PCT TEST BEFORE STARTING/COMMENCING THEIR TRAVEL (MAX 96 HOUSES OLD).]

CATEGORY C

- INTERNATIONAL TRAVELLERS FROM FOLLOWING COUNTRIES REQUIRE TWO COVID-19 PCR TESTS
- FIRST NEGATIVE COVID-19 PCR BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF TRAVEL TO PAKISTAN (MAX 96 HRS OLD) AND THEN SECOND COVID-19 PCR TEST UPON ARRIVAL IN PAKISTAN

SR.	COUNTRY
01	Denmark



GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

GOVERNMENT OF PARISTAN

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(See Rule 9 (1) (a)

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PERSONAL DECLARATION OF ORIGIN AND HEALTH

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR TRAVELERS

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Contact number in Pakistan		پاکستان ش دابط فمبر یاسیدورٹ فمبر
Passport Number	W.	پاسپودے نمبر
شمریت Nationality	فى نبر .Flight No	فلام
Age جنن عمر Sex : ا	Male 2/	Female عورت
Address in Pakistan		پاکستان میں پند
Travel History: سنري معلومات		
Name of countries you have visited in last 14 days آپ نے گذشتہ 14 دوں میں کن مما لک کا سز کیا ہے		
Have you being in Contact with COVID-19 Patient in last 14 Dayes کیا آپ کا گذشتہ 14 رنوں میں کی کیا آپ کا گذشتہ 14رنوں میں کی COVID-19	Yes ∐UĮ	المجي <i>ن</i>
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Health Status: صحت کی معلومات		
Do you have any of the following		كياآ پكومندرجر ذيل يس سے كوكى علامات ب
Fever/ ئاد	Yes U	ئيں 🦳 No
کیائی / Cough	Yes 🗌 U	نیں 🗀 No
بانس لين من تكيف م Difficulty in breathing	Yes U	نہیں 🗌 No
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