## **Summarized for IBAI Member**



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**INFORMATION** 

Circular Letter (SE) No 4 Year 2022 on the Updates of the Quarantine Reduction to 5 days for the International **Travelers Effective from February 1st 2022** 

On February 1st 2022, the COVID-19 Response Acceleration Task Force has issued the Circular Letter (SE) No 4 Year 2022 Regarding Overseas Travel Health Protocols during the Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Pandemic. This regulation update is a part of the government's effort to handle the spread of COVID-19 in Indonesia, especially in preventing, handling, and controlling the transmission of the new variant of COVID-19. This circular letter is effective from February 1<sup>st</sup> until a specified time.

There are several points highlighted in this regulation:

- Indonesian Citizens (WNI) that arrive from abroad are allowed to enter Indonesia by following the health protocol stipulated by the Government.
- The exception for foreigners (WNA) that can enter Indonesia is as follow:
  - a. Foreigners (WNA) who hold Visa Services, Diplomatic Visa, Visit Visa, Limited Stay Visa, Official Stay Permit, Diplomatic Stay Permit, Limited Stay Permit, and Permanent Stay Permit according to the Minister of Law and Human Rights regulation (Permenkumham) No. 34 Year 2021 about Granting of Visa and Immigration Stay Permit for Period Handling of the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 and National Economic Recovery.
  - b. According to the agreement (bilateral) scheme, such as Travel Corridor Arrangement (TCA) between the Indonesian Government and the United Arab Emirates, China, South Korea, and Singapore.
  - c. Foreigners (WNA) with written permission from the Ministries or Government Institutions.
- International travelers (WNI and WNA) have to show a negative result through the RT-PCR test in the country of origin whose samples are taken within a maximum of 2 x 24 hours before departure.
- Upon arrival, international travelers are required to conduct a guarantine for:
  - a. 7 x 24 hours of guarantine for the overseas travelers who have received the first dose vaccine.
  - b. 5 x 24 hours of quarantine for the overseas travelers who have received a full dose vaccine.
- Upon arrival, the international travelers are required to conduct the second RT-PCR test on;
  - a. the 6<sup>th</sup> day for those who conduct the 7 x 24 hours of quarantine, and;
  - b. on the 4<sup>th</sup> day for those who conduct the 5 x 24 hours of quarantine.

With the enactment of the Circular Letter No 4 Year 2022, therefore the Circular Letter No 2 Year 2022 about the International Travel Health Protocol during the Corona Virus Disease Pandemic 2019 (COVID-19) is revoked and declared invalid.

For your reference, please check the Circular Letter (SE) No. 4 Year 2022 in Bahasa Indonesia and unofficial English translation in the link here.

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