



## INFORMATION

Updates on The Extension of Enforcement of Restrictions on Community Activities (PPKM) Java-Bali to August 23<sup>rd</sup> 2021

On August 16<sup>th</sup> 2021, the Coordinating Minister for Maritime Affairs and Investment, Luhut Pandjaitan stated that the Community Activities Restrictions Enforcement (*Pemberlakuan Pembatasan Kegiatan Masyarakat/PPKM*) Level 4, 3, and 2 Java-Bali will be extended again until **August 23<sup>rd</sup> 2021** according to the direction of the President Joko Widodo.

PPKM remains extended to maintain good momentum in handling the Covid-19 cases in which some indicators have been improved in the past week. Luhut reported that the decrease in Covid-19 cases until now has reached 76% after last week reported as 53%. The Bed Occupancy Rate (BOR) has reached 48.14% nationally. There are 370,021 active cases in Indonesia at this time. Patients recovered increased by 29,925 people so that the total cure rate reached 3,381,884 people. Meanwhile, the number of cases of death increased by 1,245 people, so the total reached 118,833 people.

In this extension, shopping malls' capacity which was previously only permitted as much as 25% now is increased to 50%, and Dine-In activities are allowed up to 25% capacity or 2 people per table. Vaccination certificates and downloading the Peduli Lindungi application remain a requirement for people to enter and do activities in shopping malls, meanwhile, children under 12 years old and people over 70 years old are still not allowed to. Besides, outdoor sports which are carried out individually or in groups with no more than 4 people and do not involve physical contact will be allowed to operate with a strict health protocol. Places of worship are also allowed to be opened by a maximum of 25% capacity of the congregation. There were 8 cities/regencies that managed to fall from Level 4 to Level 3, namely Cilegon City (Banten), Semarang City, Wonosobo Regency, Semarang Regency, Purworejo Regency, Kendal Regency, Demak Regency (Central Java), and also Nganjuk Regency (East Java). However, there are also 4 regions that have increased from level 3 to level 4, namely Purbanlingga Regency, Blora Regency, Temanggung Regency, and Wonogiri Regency (Central Java). Meanwhile, all areas in DKI Jakarta, West Java, Yogyakarta, and Bali did not experience a change in status. The differences between PPKM Level 2 (two), 3 (three), and 4 (four) are as follows;

**PPKM Level 2 (two);**

- Non-essential work could work from in office with 50% capacity if the person has been vaccinated
- Essential work operates 100% divided into 2 shifts with strict health protocols
- Daily needs shops or markets can open at 75% capacity and close at 21.00
- Traditional markets other than daily needs can open at 75% capacity and close at 21.00
- Shopping centers such as malls and plazas can open at 50% capacity and close at 20.00
- Street vendors (PKL), barbershops, and the like can be open until 20.00
- Food stalls, street vendors, hawker stalls in open spaces may operate with a capacity of 50% and are open until 20.00. Meanwhile, diners who dine in are given a maximum time limit of 30 minutes.
- Restaurants in closed spaces can open at 50% capacity
- Teaching and learning activities are 50% online and 50% face-to-face
- Places of worship are opened with 50% capacity and strict health protocols.

**PPKM Level 3 (three);**

- Non-essential work should work from home (WFH)
- Essential work operates 100% divided into 2 shifts with strict health protocols
- Shops or daily necessities market can open at 50% capacity and close at 20.00
- Traditional markets other than daily needs can open with a capacity of 50% and close at 15.00
- Shopping centers such as malls and plazas can open with a capacity of 50% and close at 17.00
- Street vendors (PKL), barbershops, and the like can be open until 20.00
- Food stalls, street vendors, hawker stalls in open spaces may operate with a capacity of 25% and are open until 20.00. Meanwhile, diners who dine in are given 25% capacity or 2 people per table.
- Teaching and learning activities are 100% online
- Places of worship are opened with 50% capacity and strict health protocols.

**PPKM Level 4 (four);**

- Non-essential work should work from home (WFH)
- Essential work operates 50% divided into 2 shifts and 100% WFO for critical with strict health protocols
- Daily needs shops or markets can open at 50% capacity and close at 20.00
- Traditional markets other than daily needs can open with a capacity of 25% and close at 15.00
- Street vendors (PKL), barbershops, and the like can be open until 20.00
- Food stalls, street vendors, food stalls in open spaces may operate with a maximum capacity of 3 people and open until 20.00. Meanwhile, diners who dine in are given a 25% capacity or 2 people per table.
- The restaurant in a closed room only serves to take away/delivery.
- Teaching and learning activities are 100% online.
- Places of worship are allowed to be opened by a maximum of 50% capacity of the congregation

The minister emphasized again the three main pillars in handling the Covid-19 pandemic in Indonesia, that is including:

1. The speed of vaccination, especially in areas that are centers of economic activity.
2. The applicability health protocols in all components of society by implementing 3M;
  - Wear a mask (Wear a mask)
  - Washing hands (Washing hands)
  - Keep the distance and avoid the crowd
3. Massive testing, tracing, isolation, and treatment activities, including maintaining BOR, adding centralized isolation facilities, and ensuring the availability of medicines and oxygen supply.

Furthermore, the minister also explained that PPKM will keep continuing to be used as a government instrument to control mobility and community activities and will be evaluated every week so that it can reduce the high spread of Covid-19 cases in Indonesia until the circumstances can be completely under control.

**Reference:**

- Instruction of the Ministry of Home Affairs Inmendagri No. 34 Year 2021
- The press conference regarding the Extension of Emergency Community Activity Restrictions (PPKM) Java and Bali via the Official Youtube Channel of the Presidential Secretariat in Bahasa Indonesia

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