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Updates on the extension of Enforcement of Restrictions on Community Activities (PPKM) Java-Bali to August 30, 2021

Through the press conference on August 23, 2021, President Joko Widodo has officially 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 30, 2021. However, several adjustments will be implemented by looking at the development of the situation which has improved so far until this week.

It is reported that positive confirmed cases have now decreased to 78% from the highest peak on July 15, 2021. The number of active Covid-19 cases has decreased to 8,265, while the cure rate continues to increase to reach a total of 824,958 cases. The Bed Occupancy Rate (BOR) for Covid patients has also reached 60% nationally. To maintain this good development, PPKM needs to be continued in order to maintain public awareness in carrying out activities.

Furthermore, the government decided that some areas of Java-Bali could experience a reduction in the PPKM level from level 4 to level 3, including the agglomeration areas of Jakarta, Bogor, Depok, Tangerang, Bekasi, as well as Greater Bandung, and Surabaya. By that, the area with level 4 has reduced from 67 cities/districts to 51 cities/regencies; areas with level 3 increased from 59 cities/districts to 67 cities/regencies; and for level two area that previously only two districts, now there are 10 cities/districts.

Here, difference between PPKM Level 2 (two), 3 (three) and 4 (four) are as follows;

PPKM Level 2 (two);

- Non-essential work may work from the 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 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 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 1 shift 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 25% capacity of the congregation or with a total of 30 person

The president also 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 of health protocols in all components of society by implementing 3M;
 - Wear a mask (Memakai Masker)
 - Washing hands (Mencuci Tangan)
 - Keep the distance and avoid the crowd (Menjaga jarak dan menjauhi kerumunan)
3. Massive testing, tracing, isolation, and treatment activities, including maintaining BOR, adding centralized isolation facilities, and ensuring the availability of medicines and oxygen supply.

Reference:

- Instruction of the Ministry of Home Affairs Inmendagri No. 35 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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