



**INFORMATION**

**The Revocation of Extension of Enforcement of Restrictions on Community Activities (PPKM)**

The Minister of Home Affairs (Mendagri) Tito Karnavian issued Minister of Home Affairs Instruction (Inmendagri) No. 53 Year 2022 concerning Prevention and Control of Corona Virus Disease 2019 during the Transition Period Towards Endemic and followed the repeal of the Enforcement of Restrictions on Community Activities (PPKM) policy announced by the Indonesian President Joko Widodo (Jokowi) on 30 December 2022.

There are several points highlighted in the Inmendagri No. 53 Year 2022:

1) In order to continue to control the spread of COVID-19 and prevent spikes in cases, a transition period to endemic conditions is needed with a proactive, persuasive, focused and coordinated strategy and taking the following steps:

A. Health Protocol

Encouraging the public to continue to use masks properly, especially in crowds and crowds of community activities; in closed and narrow buildings/rooms (including in public transportation); people with symptoms of respiratory disease (such as coughing, runny nose and sneezing); and close and confirmed contacts;

B. Surveillance

Encouraging the public to carry out tests (testing) for those with symptoms of COVID-19; Continue to provide attention and protection from the risk of transmission of COVID-19 for special communities that are vulnerable to COVID-19 (such as nursing homes, boarding schools, prisons, orphanages, etc.); and increase public awareness to carry out testing if you become close contacts of a confirmed case of COVID-19.

C. Vaccination

Encouraging the public to carry out primary and booster doses independently or centrally in public places, such as offices, factories, places of worship, markets and terminals.

D. Public Communications

Intensifying communication, information and education by optimizing all media, both print and social media, by involving religious and community leaders as well as influential community networks.

2) Encouraging the public to keep washing their hands with soap or hand sanitizer;

3) Reminding the public that the risk of transmission of COVID-19 can still occur so that they remain vigilant and increase their self-reliance so they don't get infected with COVID-19; and

4) Encouraging the implementation of the use of the PeduliLindungi application to enter/use public facilities including for domestic travelers who will use public transportation.

With the enactment of this regulation, the Instruction of the Minister of Home Affairs No. 50 Year 2022 and No. 51 Year 2022 are revoked and declared no longer valid. In addition, if there is any significant increase of covid cases, the government will continue to implement the restrictions.

References:

- Inmendagri No. 53 Year 2022
- Official Press Release of the Cabinet Secretariat of the Republic of Indonesia (SETKAB)

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Thank you for your attention and hope this information would be valuable to you.

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