

# CEYLINE MARITIME SERVICES (PVT) LTD

## MINISTRY OF HEALTH UPDATED GUIDELINES – LETTER DATED ON 25.10.2021 - ENTERING INTO SRI LANKA - SRI LANKAN SEAFARERS ARRIVING VIA AIRPORTS & SEA PORTS

**“Fully vaccinated” travelers** - recommended doses of the vaccine completed, depart from origin country after two weeks (14 days) of fully vaccination

**“Pre-Departure PCR”** -a valid negative PCR report in English, conducted before 72hrs of embarking at the origin / RAT within 48hrs of embarking

No	Entering Category	Category	Vaccination Status	Place Of Quarantine	Requirement
A i	Airport	Sri Lankan-Seafarers arriving via airports	Fully Vaccinated	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Based on MOH approval Home Quarantine -</li> <li>2. Day 1 PCR Test</li> <li>3. Govt Approved quarantine Centre</li> <li>4. Approved Level 1 Hotel</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Negative PCR report 72 Hours prior To Embark</li> <li>2. .Vaccination Card</li> <li>3. Health Declaration Form</li> </ol>
A ii	Airport	Sri Lankan-Seafarers arriving via airports	Not vaccinated	<p><b>Should undergo day 01 PCR testing</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Based on MOH approval Home Quarantine -</li> <li>2. Day 1 PCR Test</li> <li>3. Govt Approved quarantine Centre</li> <li>4. Approved Level 1 Hotel</li> <li>5. Should perform day 7 PCR, and can be released from the IC, with the negative PCR report</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Negative PCR report 72 Hours prior To Disembark</li> <li>2. Vaccination Card (if partly vaccinated)</li> <li>3. .Health Declaration Form</li> </ol>
A iii	Sea-Port	Sri Lankan-Seafarers arriving via sea port	Fully Vaccinated	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Day 1 PCR Test</li> <li>2. Govt Approved quarantine Centre</li> <li>3. Approved Level 1 Hotel</li> <li>4. Can be released with negative PCR reports and do not need to undergo quarantine.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Vaccination Card</li> <li>2. Health Declaration Form</li> <li>3. MOD/MOFA and NHQ approval.</li> </ol>
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## **SRI LANKAN SEAFARERS SEAFARERS OR SEA MARSHALS ARRIVING INTO SRI LANKA**

### **Not fully vaccinated Sri Lankan Seafarers or Sea marshals, arriving via seaports / Airports**

- Not received COVID 19 Vaccination/ not completed the recommended doses / arriving into Sri Lanka in less than 14 days of recommended doses of vaccination
- Should perform a PCR test in day 1 at Ministry of Health approved laboratory at Katunayake or at a government quarantine center / quarantine hotel / safe and secure level 1 certified hotel / isolation center
- If the day 1 PCR test is negative, can undergo at Home Quarantine (facilities should be available)
- Should perform exit COVID 19 PCR test / Rapid Antigen Test on 07<sup>th</sup> day and producing the negative results of PCR/ Antigen tests reports to area MOH

### **Fully vaccinated Sri Lankan Seafarers or Sea marshals . Arriving via Airports**

- Should be fully vaccinated/ 72hrs prior Embarkation conducted negative PCR report / 48hrs prior conducted Antigen Report
- For Sri Lankan Seafarers, if the pre-boarding PCR test is exempted, they should undergo day 1 PCR test at the Ministry of Health approved laboratory at Katunayake or at a government quarantine center / quarantine hotel / safe and secure level 1 certified hotel / isolation center. They can be released with a negative PCR report and do not need to undergo quarantine.
- If develop COVID 19 like Symptoms, should conduct a PCR test from a MOH approved lab and produce to area MOH

### **Fully vaccinated Sri Lankan Seafarers or Sea marshals . Arriving via Seaports**

- Should undergo a day 1 PCR and at isolation center (quarantine center for Seafarers / se marshals) and can be released with a negative PCR report , Do not need to undergo for quarantine

### **Travelers with Positive COVID 19 Test**

- OIC of IC / Hotel Doctor /Hotel Management / Local agent should inform to MOH/email the details to epidemiology unit
- All the approved labs should inform to Epidemiology unit
- Local seafarers / sea marshals can be allowed to home quarantine /Immediate care center /designated hospital
- All foreign nationals (apart from diplomatic / resident visa holders) will be sent to an immediate care center managed by private hospitals

### **Other Measures**

- In charge of quarantine hotel /quarantine center/ hotel doctor - level 1 /staff of the airport should verify the status of the vaccination
- In charge of quarantine hotel /quarantine center/ hotel doctor - level 1 should issue a 'discharge document' when discharging travelers after quarantine
- Quarantine period of the traveler will be extended, if they are identified as the immediate close contact of a COVID 19 positive person or if they arriving from a high risk country as decided by MOH

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