MEASURES FOR TRAVELLERS RETURNING FROM SABAH

Reference is made to the MINISTRY OF HEALTH, MALAYSIA, ANNOUNCEMENT dated 25 September 2020.

The Government has announced that all travellers returning from Sabah would be subjected to compulsory Covid-19 health inspection and screening activities upon arrival at the country’s entry points in the Peninsular and Sarawak from 27 September 2020 to 10 October 2020.

The screening activities at the entry points are summarised as follows:

i. Must download the MySejahtera application on their handphone and complete all the required information.
ii. Conduct the COVID-19 screening test at the point of entrance.
iii. Travelers to go through a 14-day self-quarantine period at their own premises starting from the date of arrival at the entry point. All travellers will be given a Home Surveillance Order (HSO) letter and quarantine bracelet. Release from HSO will be granted if laboratory test results are negative.
iv. A permission letter will be given to travellers who need to continue their journey to their homes by public transport such as taxis and Grab. Refer to ‘Lampiran 2’.
v. Travellers whom experience respiratory tract infection symptoms within 14 days from the date of return should undergo repeated screening for Covid-19.

Refer to ‘Lampiran 1’ for the flow chart.

There will be no charges on Covid-19 screening tests for travellers (citizens and non-citizens) returning from Sabah.

MOH will review from time to time the implementation period of Covid-19 infection prevention and control measures on individuals who have just returned from Sabah based on the assessment of the risk of infection transmission at that time.

Thank you.

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