



# ADVISORY

## UPDATED LIST OF COUNTRIES UNDER THE GREEN, YELLOW, AND RED CATEGORIES

Relative to IATF-MEID Resolution Nos. 146 and 146-B dated 28 October 2021, please be advised of the updated list of countries under the "Green", "Yellow", and "Red" categories and updated proof of vaccination requirements, **effective from 1 to 15 November 2021:**

### I. GREEN LIST COUNTRIES

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| 1. Algeria                               | 25. Northern Mariana Islands                         |
| 2. American Samoa                        | 26. Palau  |
| 3. Bhutan                                | 27. Poland   |
| 4. Burkina Faso                          | 28. Saba   |
| 5. Cameroon                              | (Special Municipality of the Kingdom of Netherlands) |
| 6. Chad                                  | 29. Saint Helena                                     |
| 7. China (Mainland)                      | 30. Saint Pierre and Miquelon                        |
| 8. Comoros                               | 31. Samoa  |
| 9. Cook Islands                          | 32. Sierra Leone                                     |
| 10. Eritrea                              | 33. Sint Eustatius                                   |
| 11. Falkland Islands (Malvinas)          | 34. Solomon Islands                                  |
| 12. Hong Kong                            | 35. Sudan  |
| (Special Administrative Region of China) | 36. Syria  |
| 13. Kiribati                             | 37. Taiwan   |
| 14. Madagascar                           | 38. Tajikistan                                       |
| 15. Mali                                 | 39. Tanzania   |
| 16. Marshall Islands                     | 40. Tokelau  |
| 17. Federated States of Micronesia       | 41. Tonga  |
| 18. Montserrat                           | 42. Turkmenistan                                     |
| 19. Nauru                                | 43. Tuvalu   |
| 20. New Zealand                          | 44. Uzbekistan                                       |
| 21. Nicaragua                            | 45. Vanuatu  |
| 22. Niger                                | 46. Yemen  |
| 23. Niue                                 |  |
| 24. North Korea                          |  |

### II. YELLOW LIST COUNTRIES

*All other countries/territories/jurisdictions not otherwise enlisted hereinabove.*



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### III. RED LIST COUNTRY

#### Latvia

All passengers coming from or who have been to the “Red List” country within the last fourteen (14) days shall not be allowed entry, EXCEPT, returning Filipinos via government-initiated, non-government-initiated, and Bayanihan repatriation flights subject to health and quarantine protocols:

1. Returning Filipinos shall undergo a fourteen (14)-day quarantine [10-day facility-based and home quarantine until completion] and be required an RT-PCR test on the seventh day, with the date of arrival being the first day; and
2. Those who **transited or who have a mere lay-over at the airport of “Red List” country** (lay-over only at the airport and with no-immigration admission at said country) shall not be deemed as coming from this country.

### IV. PROOF OF VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS

Further, for validation purposes of vaccination status, proof of vaccination requirements is also revised:

#### Passengers' Categories

- Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs), their spouse, children, and parent/s traveling with them, vaccinated *abroad*

#### Proof of Vaccination Status

In lieu of Philippine Overseas Labor Office certification, they may present the digital/ physical vaccination certificate of the foreign government where they were vaccinated without the need of a reciprocity agreement.

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#### Passengers' Categories

- Non-OFWs vaccinated in *Philippines or abroad*
- Foreigners vaccinated in the *Philippines*

#### Proof of Vaccination Status

**ANY** of the following:

- a. VaxCertPH digital vaccination certificate;
- b. Bureau of Quarantine (BOQ) / World Health Organization (WHO)- issued International Certificate of Vaccination or Prophylaxis (ICV);
- c. National/state digital certificate of the foreign government where they were vaccinated abroad and has accepted VaxCertPH under reciprocal arrangement.

- Foreigners vaccinated *abroad*

- a. WHO- issued ICV;

**OR**

- b. National/state digital certificate of the foreign government which has accepted VaxCertPH under a reciprocal arrangement;

Testing and quarantine requirements per IATF-MEID Resolution No. 144-A dated 14 October 2021 (and BI Advisory dated 15 October 2021) shall remain in effect.

Existing guidelines for arriving Section 9(e) visa holders and crew member/s shall still be observed.

The foregoing is without prejudice to the exercise of the mandate of the Bureau of Immigration in Arrival and Departure formalities.

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