

BOUGAINVILLE EMERGENCY CONTROLLER SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER: 4

TRAVELLING INTO BOUGAINVILLE BY AIR

REVOCATION OF ORDER 5 OF EMERGENCY ORDER 2 REVIEW OF ORDERS 6 - 10 OF EMERGENCY ORDER 3

- I, FRANCIS N. TOKURA OBE, QPM, DPS, Chief of the Bougainville Police Service and Bougainville Emergency Controller, by virtue of Powers conferred on me by section 6 of Bougainville Emergency Act 2006, as authorized under section 200 of the Bougainville Constitution, made pursuant to section 322 of the Constitution of Papua New Guinea, hereby revoke and review other Orders and issue the following supplementary Orders for immediate implementation;
- Order. 5 of Emergency Order 2 is revoked and Orders 6-10 of Emergency Order 3 is hereby reviewed.
- The only designated airport for all air travel into Bougainville is Buka Airport.
- There shall only be two commercial flights into Bougainville on a fortnightly basis as operated by Air Niugini and PNG Air. For effective control and coordination, PNG Air is required to operate on a Tuesday and Air Niugini on a Friday.
- 4. Intending passengers who wish to travel by air to Bougainville shall seek the approval of the Emergency Controller on Bougainville.
- All passengers travelling into Bougainville by air shall comply with the Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs) as issued by the Emergency Controller on Bougainville and operated by the National Airport's Corporation.

- 6. All passengers arriving into Bougainville by air from the rest of PNG are required to undergo, 14-days quarantine at the designated quarantine facilities in Bougainville. (Refer to Schedule 1).
- 7. Staff or employees of the designated quarantine facilities shall undergo training on management protocols for persons of interests (POI).
- 8. Designated quarantine facilities shall be advised within 24 hours prior to arrival of the flight.
- 9. Designated quarantine facilities shall advise the Emergency Controller or his delegate within 24 hours, should the POIs, quarantine period ends.
- 10. Only a designated medical officer, shall give clearance to any POI after they are tested during the quarantine period.
- 11. The COVID-19 response team shall ensure that those undergoing 14 days quarantine observe and adhere to the requirements under the quarantine protocols SOP.
- 12. All PNG citizens, PNG permanent residents and foreign nationals who have travelled into PNG and bound for Bougainville shall be quarantined in Port Moresby. Upon arrival in Bougainville, they shall provide their quarantine clearance certificate as proof of undergoing the required 14-days quarantine to the Emergency Controller.
- 13. Any passenger who does not provide a quarantine clearance certificate shall undergo the 14 days quarantine in Bougainville.
- 14. Charter flights to Bougainville are only allowed upon approval of the Emergency Controller on Bougainville.
- 15. Repatriations of deceased persons is not limited. However, one deceased person shall be accompanied by not more than two (2) people.

16. This Supplementary Order is effective as of 17th May 2020.

FRANCIS N. TOKURA, OBE, QPM, DPS

Deputy Commissioner of Police Bougainville Emergency Controller

SCHEDULE 1

DESIGNATED FACILITIES

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- 1. Designated Isolation facility
 - Suhin Health Centre, Buka
- 2. Designated Quarantine Facilities
 - Hahela Youth Centre, Buka
 - Lynchar Hotel, Buka