

## INDEPENDENT STATE OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA NATIONAL PANDEMIC ACT 2020

## OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER

## PANDEMIC NOTICE No.1 - COVID-19 TEST REQUIREMENT

- 1. Per Measure 2 International Travel Measures paragraph 28, I hereby provide an exemption to paragraph 7, for person travelling into PNG until 11:00pm Wednesday 22 July 2020.
- 2. All persons exempted by paragraph 1, travelling into PNG before 11:00pm Wednesday 22 July 2020 must have a COVID-19 test within a 14-day period prior to boarding an aircraft and have returned a result indicating they do not have detectable levels of COVID-19.
- 3. For the avoidance of doubt, all persons travelling after 11.00 pm on Wednesday 22 July 2020 must have a COVID-19 test within a 7-day period prior to boarding an aircraft and have returned a result indicating they do not have detectable levels of COVID-19.
- 4. This exemption does not apply to persons seeking to quarantine for 7 days in PNG and currently meet the criteria as per Measure 2 – International Travel Measures – paragraph 15. Any such person must have a COVID-19 test within a 7-day period prior to boarding an aircraft and have returned a result indicating they do not have detectable levels of COVID-19.

David Manning, MBE, DPS, OR Controller

Date: 16 July 2020