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RMI ej bojak in kepelok borders ko an

Ilo 1 raan in Jeptomba 2022, Cabinet eo ear kweilok im erra nan kabelleke border ko an RMI ilo 8 raan in Jeptomba 2022.

Aolep ro rej rej drelon tok aelon kein reban aikujin register ilo Safe Travels Program eo an RMI (prokraam in enaj kilok alikin 7 September 2022). Ro rej lomnak in katok renaj aikuj in jerbak wot ipan United Airline nan wiaiki ticket ko aer. Nan wiaki Ticket eo, juon paajinjia enaj aikujin kwalok pepa in wa in böbrae COVID-19 eo an nan rijerbak ro an UA. Ninnin ko 6 aer allon lon waj nan ajri ro 4 aer yiio (ro redrik tata im remaröñ bok wa kein) renaj aikuj bwe en moj im dredrelok aer wa mokta jen aer maron ekkäke ilo jen 1 raan in Oktoba 2022. Ajri jidrik rein renaj drelone group in ajri ro 5 aer yiio lonlok ilo an moj im dredrelok aer boki wa ko nan böbrae COVID-19.

Mwenan eo kio im jej loore enot an kar Cabinet eo erra kake, ejämin wor oktak ie (nan ne ebar ekkar an wor oktak) im ej enot in:

Mokta jen itaak tok Aelon kein

- Dredrelok am bok wa ko nan bobrae COVID-19 koba booster wa ko
- Konak mej jen tore eo kwoj ber ilo balun eo im en ikutkut am kwal peim ak kojerbak hand sanitizer ko

Ilo am itaak tok RMI

- Teej/kakolkol ilo ien eo koj topar tok aelon kein
- Rapid Antigen teej (Ag-RDT)



- Lalem (5) raan im ak quarantine ak kotolok eok jen ro jot. Ro renaj positive, nej lelok uno ko elane ekkar
- Jabdrewot eo im ear negative teej eo an ak enaj enjaake an nañinmej kon kokale ko an COVID-19 ilo raan ko tok alik, enaj aikuj loe lok Jikin Ejmour eo nan an bok teej in COVID-19 im ebok uno ko rekkar.

Lok.

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ENGLISH:

RMI to Open Borders

On 1 September 2022, the Cabinet met and approved opening of RMI's border on 8 September 2022.

Incoming international travellers will no longer be required to register through the Safe Travels Program (as it will cease to exist after 7 September 2022). Travelers will have to book their journeys into the RMI directly with United Airlines and other international airlines.

The **only requirement to book or buy a ticket**, will be for a passenger to submit a copy of their COVID-19 vaccination card to UA. 6 months+ to 4 years old (the youngest group to receive the COVID-19 vaccine) are required to be fully vaccinated effective by 1 October 2022. They will join 5 yrs and older on requirement to be fully vaccinated before entering the RMI.

On arrival, the current protocols approved by Cabinet will still remain in place (until further notice).

Prerequisites (pre-travel) to RMI

- Fully vaccinated against Covid-19: Primary series and boosted as eligible.
- Mask wearing enroute and practicing good hand hygiene.

Upon Arrival in the RMI

- Testing on Arrival in RMI
- Rapid antigen test (Ag-RDT): Treatment as appropriate.
- Five days home quarantine/isolation. If negative rapid antigen test on



arrival, can move around in public but must mask up.

- Anyone that initially tests negative on arrival and later develop symptoms consistent with COVID-19, should report to a health facility for COVID-19 testing and access to therapeutics (if eligible).

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