

#### **COVID-19 HANDLING TASK FORCE**

# ADDENDUM OF CIRCULAR LETTER NUMBER 13 OF 2021 REGARDING

BAN OF THE 1442 HIJRIAH EID AL-FITR HOMECOMING (*MUDIK*) AND EFFORTS TO CONTROL THE SPREAD OF THE CORONA VIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID-19) DURING THE HOLY MONTH OF 1442 HIJRIAH RAMADHAN

#### A. Background

- whereas with the holy month of Ramadhan and the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr approaching, there exists possible increase of the public's mobility, whether it is for religious, family, or tourism activities that will have the risk of increasing the rate of the Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) transmission.
- 2. whereas based on the results of the Survey on Post Establishment of the 2021 Eid Al-Fitr *Mudik* Ban by the Research and Development Board of the Ministry of Transportation of the Republic of Indonesia, it is found that a group of people intends to conduct *mudik* between D-7 and D+7 after the enforcement of the Regulation on Eid Al-Fitr *Mudik* Ban.
- 3. whereas in the context of preventing and severing the chain of COVID-19 based on the considerations as referred to in number 1 and number 2, it is necessary to formulate the Head of the COVID-19 Handling Task Force Circular Letter Addendum regarding the Ban of the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr Homecoming (*Mudik*) and Efforts to Control the Spread of the Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) During the Holy Month of 1442 Hijriah Ramadhan.

#### B. Purpose and Objective

This Addendum of Circular Letter intends to regulate further restrictions for Domestic Travel Actor (*Pelaku Perjalanan Dalam Negeri* or PPDN) during the D-14 *mudik* ban (April 22 - May 5, 2021) and the D+7 *mudik* ban (May 18 - May 24, 2021). Whereas for the *mudik* ban period throughout May 6 - 17, 2021, the Circular Letter of the COVID-19 Handling Task Force Number 13 of 2021 regarding Ban of the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr Homecoming (*Mudik*) and Efforts to Control the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) During the Holy Month of 1442 Hijriah Ramadhan shall remain in effect.

The purpose of this Addendum of Circular Letter is to anticipate the increase of flow of public mobility that has the potential to increase the transmission between regions prior and following the period of the *mudik* ban.



## C. Time

- 1. The period of D 14 approaching the *mudik* ban (May 6, 2021 until May 17, 2021) as referred to in this Addendum of Circular Letter shall be valid from April 22, 2021 until May 5, 2021.
- 2. The period of D + 7 post *mudik* ban (May 6, 2021until May 17, 2021) as referred to in this Addendum of Circular Letter shall be valid from May 18 until May 24, 2021.

#### D. Scope

No addendum

#### E. Legal Basis

No addendum

#### F. Definition

No addendum

#### G. Protocol

Adding several provisions as follows:

- 13. In addition to the provisions in number 5, special restrictions for the mobility of Domestic Travel Actor (PPDN) on the period approaching the *mudik* ban of April 22 until May 5, 2021 and post the *mudik* ban of May 18 until May 24, 2021 comes into effect, with the provisions as follows:
  - a. Travelers of air transportations must show their statement letter of being tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test in which its sample shall be taken no later than 1 x 24 hours before their departure, or the statement letter of being tested negative by GeNose C19 in the Airport before departure as a travel requirement and fill-out the e-HAC Indonesia;
  - b. Travelers of sea transportations must show their statement letter of being tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test in which its sample shall be taken no later than 1 x 24 hours before their departure, or the statement letter of being tested negative by GeNose C19 in the Port before their departure as a travel requirement and fill-out the e-HAC Indonesia;
  - c. Travelers who cross the sea must show their statement letter of being tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test in which its sample shall be taken no later than 1 x 24 hours before their departure, or the statement letter of being tested negative by GeNose C19 in the Port before their departure as a travel requirement and fill-out the e-HAC Indonesia;



- d. Particularly for routine travels by sea transportations for limited sea voyage in one area of district/regency/province, or by private or public land transportations in city agglomeration area are not required to show the statement letter of being tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test/GeNose C19 test as a travel requirement, however random testing will be made if deemed necessary by the Regional COVID-19 Handling Task Force;
- e. Travelers of intercity train must show their statement letter of being tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test in which its sample shall be taken no later than 1 x 24 hours before their departure, or the statement letter of being tested negative by GeNose C19 in the Train Station before departure as a travel requirement and filling out the e-HAC Indonesia;
- f. Travelers of public land transportation shall be subject to a random testing of antigen rapid test/GeNose C19 test if deemed necessary by the Regional COVID-19 Handling Task Force;
- g. Travelers of private land transportation are encouraged to conduct RT-PCR test or antigen rapid test in which its sample shall be taken no later than 1 x 24 hours before departure, or GeNose C19 test in the rest area as a requirement to continue their travels and shall be subject to random testing if deemed necessary by the Regional COVID-19 Handling Task Force;
- h. The filling out of e-HAC Indonesia is encouraged for travelers of all modes of land transportation, public or private, except for travelers by air and sea who are required to fill out the e-HAC Indonesia;
- i. Children under 5 years old is not required to take an RT-PCR/antigen rapid test/GeNose C19 test as a travel requirement;
- j. If the traveler has been tested negative by RT-PCR/antigen rapid test/GeNose C19, but said individual has shown a symptom, then said traveler is prohibited to continue their travels and is required to do an RT-PCR diagnostic test and independent isolation during the waiting period of the examination result; and
- k. The Ministry/Institutions/Regional Apparatus who carries out the function regarding transportation of land/sea/air/train shall follow-up this Addendum of Circular Letter by issuing a legal instrument with reference to this Addendum of Circular Letter and the laws and regulations.
- 14. The travel of people during the holy month of Ramadhan and 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr as referred to in number G.1 of the COVID-19 Handling Task Force Circular Letter Number 13 of 2021 regarding Ban of the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr Homecoming (*Mudik*) and Efforts to Control the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) During the Holy Month of 1442 Hijriah Ramadhan is exempted for logistical distribution service vehicle and travelers with urgent needs of non-*mudik* interests, namely: work/official trips, visits to sick families, bereaved visits to deceased family members, pregnant



- mothers who is accompanied by 1 (one) family member, interest of childbirth that is accompanied by 2 (two) people, and other particular non-*mudik* interests accompanied with a statement letter from the local Head of Village/Sub-District.
- 15. The Ministry/Institution, the Provincial/Regency/City Government who will be imposing the criteria and special requirements regarding travelers in their local area in further specific manners, may follow up by issuing legal instruments in line and not contradicting to the COVID-19 Handling Task Force Circular Letter *Addendum* Number 13 of 2021 regarding Ban of the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr Homecoming (*Mudik*) and Efforts to Control the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) During the Holy Month of 1442 Hijriah Ramadhan.
- 16. Legal instruments as referred to in number 15 that regulates the criteria and special requirements shall be an integral part to the Addendum of the COVID-19 Handling Task Force Circular Letter Number 13 of 2021 regarding Ban of the 1442 Hijriah Eid Al-Fitr Homecoming (*Mudik*) and Efforts to Control the Spread of Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) During the Holy Month of 1442 Hijriah Ramadhan..

# H. Monitor, Control and Evaluation

No addendum

## I. Closing

This Addendum of Circular Letter shall be effective as of April 22 until May 5, 2021 and on May 18 until May 24, 2021, and may be further reviewed in accordance with the requirements and/or latest development in the field.

Therefore, to serve as a guidance and to be implemented with full responsibility.



Stipulated in Jakarta On April 21, 2021

Head of the Disaster Management National Body as the Head of the COVID-19 Handling Task Force,

[signed and stamped]

Doni Monardo

## Copies to:

- 1. President of the Republic of Indonesia;
- 2. Vice President of the Republic of Indonesia;
- 3. Head of Committee for the Policy of the Handling of the Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and the National Economic Recovery;
- 4. Head of the National Economic Recovery Task Force;
- 5. All the Ministries/Heads of Institution;
- 6. Commander of TNI;
- 7. Head of the POLRI; and
- 8. Head of the Regional Corona Virus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Handling Task Force.