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**TEMPORARY MEASURES TO PREVENT IMPORTATION OF COVID-19
TO MYANMAR THROUGH AIR TRAVEL
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1. The Ministry of Health and Sports, with the approval of the National Central Committee for Prevention, Control and Treatment of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19), has issued the attached notification on 31 December 2020 to put in place the following temporary measures in order to prevent the importation of COVID-19 to Myanmar through air travel:

- 1.1 Landing at any airport in Myanmar will not be allowed for all international commercial passenger flights;
- 1.2 All landing permissions previously granted by the Department of Civil Aviation are suspended.

2. The above temporary measures will not apply to:

- 2.1 relief flights;
- 2.2 all-cargo flights;
- 2.3 medical evacuation flights; and
- 2.4 special flights specifically approved by the Department of Civil Aviation.

3. The temporary measures in paragraph 1 will also not apply to international commercial passenger flights which may be allowed on selected routes by the National Central Committee for Prevention, Control and Treatment of COVID-19 depending on the

evolving epidemiological situation of COVID-19.

4. The temporary measures will be effective from 31 December 2020 23:59 Myanmar Standard Time (MST) up to 31 January 2021 23:59 MST, and supersede the Temporary Measures to Prevent Importation of COVID-19 to Myanmar through Air Travel issued by the Ministry of Health and Sports on 29 March 2020.

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- (a) Landing at any airport in Myanmar will not be allowed for all international commercial passenger flights;
- (b) All landing permissions previously granted by the Department of Civil Aviation are suspended.

2. The above temporary measures will not apply to:

- (a) relief flights;
- (b) all-cargo flights;
- (c) medical evacuation flights; and
- (d) special flights specifically approved by the Department of Civil Aviation.

3. The temporary measures in paragraph 1 will not apply to international commercial passenger flights which may be allowed on selected routes by the National Central Committee for Prevention, Control and Treatment of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) depending on the evolving epidemiological situation of COVID-19.

4. This notification hereby supersedes the Temporary Measures to Prevent Importation of COVID-19 to Myanmar through Air Travel issued by the Ministry of Health and Sports on 29 March 2020.

Ministry of Health and Sports