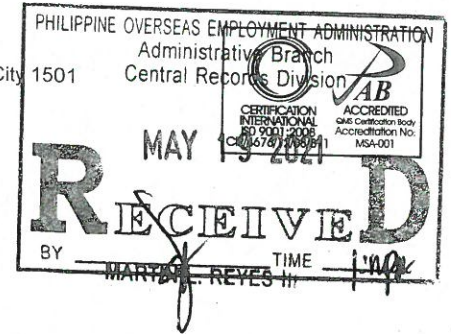




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## EXTENSION OF STAY-HOME NOTICE TO 21 DAYS FOR TRAVELERS FROM HIGH-RISK PLACES TO SINGAPORE

The Singapore government has announced that effective 8 May 2021, inbound travelers to the said country with recent travel history to higher risk countries and regions will have to serve a 21-day stay-home notice (SHN) at dedicated facilities. This is 7 days longer than the current required 14-day SHN period. Singapore refers to higher risk countries and regions as all places except for Australia, Brunei Darussalam, Mainland China, New Zealand, Taiwan, Hong Kong, and Macau.

The SHN period extension is part of the new border control measures adopted by Singapore's Multi-Ministry Task Force in view of the resurgence of COVID-19 community cases in the city-state, and the worsening global COVID-19 situation, "with new variants and new cases spreading from South Asia to Southeast Asia".

The requirements of obtaining Entry Approval from the Ministry of Manpower before commencing journey to Singapore and taking COVID-19 PCR test within 72 hours before departure to Singapore remain in effect for most foreign workers, including Overseas Filipino Workers.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.

  
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