



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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AMENDED ADVISORY

**REVISED GUIDELINES AS PER IATF-MEID RESOLUTION NO. 110
SERIES OF 2021**

Pursuant to Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Diseases (IATF-MEID) Resolution No. 110 Series of 2021 dated 15 April 2021, IATF-MEID Resolution No. 103(s. 2021) issued on 18 March 2021 is amended as follows:

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- b. Effective 0001H March 22,2021 to 2359H **April 30,2021** the entry of foreign nationals shall be temporarily suspended, except for the following:

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v. Emergency, humanitarian, and other analogous cases approved by the Chairperson of the NTF COVID-19 or his duly authorized representative, provided the foreign nationals have valid visas at the time of entry; **and**

vi. Foreign nationals with valid entry exemption documents duly issued by DFA prior to March 22,2021.

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In view thereof, please be guided by the following revised guidelines:

1. **ALL FILIPINO** citizens shall be allowed to return to the Philippines;
2. Effective 0001H March 22,2021 to 2359H April 30,2021 **ONLY** the following foreign nationals shall be allowed entry, **PROVIDED, they have valid visas at the time of entry:**

	Requirements
1. Diplomats and members of international organizations, and their dependents	- 9(e) visa or 47(a) (2) visa
2. Foreign nationals involved in medical repatriation	- DFA Endorsement - OWWA Endorsement - valid visa
3. Foreign seafarers under "Green Lanes" program	- 9(c) visa for crew change
4. Foreign parent/s, spouses and children of Filipino citizens <i>* Balikbayan privilege remains suspended</i>	- must be travelling with the Filipino citizen - valid visa
5. Emergency, humanitarian, and other analogous cases	- Approved by the Chairperson of the NTF COVID-19 or his duly authorized representative - valid visa
6. Foreign nationals with valid exemption documents	- DFA exemption duly issued prior to March 22,2021 - valid visa

Previously issued advisories inconsistent herewith are hereby amended.

Existing guidelines for arriving flight crew member/s shall still be observed.

All of the foregoing is without prejudice to the exercise of the mandate of the Bureau of Immigration in arrival and departure formalities.

For strict compliance.

16 April 2021


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Commissioner