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To: BSP Agents

Subject: Amendment of negative certificate requirement for travelling to The United States

Please be informed the amendment of negative certificate requirement for travelling to U.S. after 13:01 (Hong Kong time) on December 6, 2021. For details, please refer the following.

**(1) All Airline Passengers Arriving into U.S.**

It is required to have a negative certificate with **a sample taken within 1 day before departure, regardless of the vaccination status or citizenship** before boarding a flight to the U.S. from a foreign country to meet the requirements.

**(2) Transit one/more connecting flight to U.S.**

Your test can be taken **within 1 day before the departure of the first flight.**

**(3) Exemption**

- Children under 2 years of age
- U.S. federal law enforcement personnel
- U.S. military personnel
- Those with humanitarian exemptions approved by CDC (must present official CDC letter)

**(4) Recovered from COVID-19**

Passenger travel with documentation of recovery from COVID-19 (i.e., your positive COVID-19 viral test result on a sample taken no more than 90 days before the flight's departure from a foreign country and a letter from a licensed healthcare provider or a public health official stating that you were cleared to travel).

**(5) Others**

Obligation for a non-US nationals or citizens to have a vaccination certificate is still effective.  
US nationals and permanent residents are not required to have a vaccination certificate.

**(6) Reference**

Please refer to the below URL of CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention) in the US.

Requirement for Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test or Documentation of Recovery from COVID-19

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/testing-international-air-travelers.html>

Requirement for Proof of COVID-19 Vaccination for Air Passengers

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/proof-of-vaccination.html>



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Due to changes in the infection situation, entry restrictions and quarantine measures are changing daily. Travelers are strongly advised to check the relevant information from embassies, consulates, and health organizations of destination. Any incomplete travel documents and quarantine documents, entry may not be permitted or boarding may be refused.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact our JAL sale representative for details.

Thank you for your kind attention.

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