## (Unofficial Translation)

## Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19)

No. 5/2564

Re: Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 10)

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Pursuant to the Resolution of the Council of Ministers adopted on 30 March B.E. 2564 (2021) extending the duration of the enforcement of the Declaration of an Emergency Situation in all areas of the Kingdom as from 1 April B.E. 2564 (2021) until 31 May B.E. 2564 (2021) and the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9) issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021);

In order to efficiently perform tasks under the Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005), under the Declaration of an Emergency Situation and the extensions of its duration, and under the Order of the Prime Minister No. 5/2563 on the Establishment of a Special Task Force to Perform Duties in Accordance with the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005), issued on 25 March B.E. 2563 (2020), and its amendments, by virtue of Clause 4 (2) of the Order of the Prime Minister No. 4/2563 on the Appointment of Supervisors, Chief Officials and Competent Officials Responsible for Remedying the Emergency Situation, issued on 25 March B.E. 2563 (2020), and its amendments, the Prime Minister, in the capacity of the Director of the Centre for COVID-19 Situation Administration, hereby orders Chief Officials responsible for remedying the emergency situation and competent officials to carry out functions in accordance with the disease prevention measures, as follows:

1. Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9), issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021) shall undergo quarantine and comply with orders of communicable disease control officers at the place designated by communicable disease control officers for a period of no less than 14 days. The place of quarantine shall be

in compliance with the criteria and guidelines prescribed by the government, under the following criteria and conditions:

- (1) Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (1), (3), (5.1), (5.2), (5.3), (6), (7), (8.1), (8.2), (9.1) and (10) of the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9), issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021) shall undergo COVID-19 diagnostic test by RT-PCR technique 3 times. The first test shall be taken on the day of arrival in the Kingdom but no later than day 1 of the period of quarantine. The second test shall be taken between day 6 to 7 and the third test shall be taken between day 12 to 13 of the period of quarantine.
- (2) Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (9.2) and (9.3) of the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9), issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021) shall undergo COVID-19 diagnostic test by RT-PCR technique in accordance with the criteria and guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Public Health.

Paragraph one shall not apply to travellers entering into the Kingdom as prescribed in the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9), issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021), as follows:

- (1) Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (2) and (4);
- (2) Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (5.1) and staying in the Kingdom for no more than 7 days;
- (3) Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (5.2) and (5.3) who are vehicle operators or crew members who do not disembark an aircraft or disembark an aircraft for no more than 12 hours or who are vehicle operators or crew members who do not disembark a vessel or a vessel is docked for no more than 12 hours provided that such vehicle operators or crew members wear Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) in accordance with the criteria and guidelines as prescribed by the government.
- 2. Travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (11.1) who have been granted permission and are subject to specific conditions relating to the disease prevention measures as prescribed by the Ministry of Public Health, and travellers entering into the Kingdom in accordance with (11.2) of the Order of the Centre for the Administration of the

Situation due to the Outbreak of the Communicable Disease Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) No. 4/2564 on the Guidelines based on Regulations issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 9), issued on 31 March B.E. 2564 (2021) shall undergo quarantine. The place of quarantine, COVID-19 diagnostic test by RT-PCR technique, and compliance with disease prevention measures shall be in accordance with the criteria and guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Public Health.

3. The disease prevention measures under this Order shall be applicable to travellers entering into the Kingdom under Clause 1 and Clause 2 who have obtained a document certifying that the person is allowed to enter into the Kingdom (Certificate of Entry - COE) as from 1 May B.E. 2564 (2021) onwards, or those who have obtained a document certifying that the person is allowed to enter into the Kingdom (Certificate of Entry - COE) before 1 May B.E. 2564 (2021) and travel into the Kingdom as from 6 May B.E. 2564 (2021) onwards.

This Order shall come into effect as from 1 May B.E. 2564 (2021) until otherwise ordered.

Issued on 30 April B.E. 2564 (2021)

(General Prayut Chan-o-cha)

Prime Minister

Director of the Centre for COVID-19 Situation Administration