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MOST URGENT

To,

1. **All the Deputy Commissioners / Chairmen,**
District Regional Transport Authorities,
In the Punjab
2. **All the Secretaries,**
District Regional Transport Authorities
In the Punjab
3. **All the Assistant Commissioners**
(Chairman Composite Monitoring Teams at Tehsil level),
In the Punjab

Subject: - OBLIGATORY REGIME FOR VACCINATION

Please find enclosed a copy of letter No. 801A/NCOC-4 dated 24th August 2021 received from Deputy Director (NCOC), Islamabad on the above cited subject.

2. It is requested to implement the directions contained in the letter under reference regarding "Soft Launch of Obligatory Regime". At first phase, Soft Launch will be used for extensive communication and advertisement at prominent places (Bus stands, ticketing offices, toll plazas, rest areas & railway stations). The duration of this exercise will be from 01st to 15th September 2021.

3. Further, instructions for road travelers shall be compliance as follows:-

Stage:- 1	Public Transport on Motorways	Partial vaccinated till 15 th September	Complete vaccination by 15 th October
Stage:- 2	Public Transport National Highways, Inter/intra-city private transport and mass transit transport (Metro, BRT, Orange Train etc.)	Partial vaccinated till 30 th September	Complete vaccination by 31 st October

4. After expiry of stipulated period, no passenger shall be allowed to board on the public transport.


Secretary,
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Subject: Obligatory Regime for Vaccination

1. High vaccination ratio is fundamental to success of "Pandemic Exit Strategy" in Pakistan. An organized regime has been strategized to realize the successful exit strategy and achieve desired tangible vaccination targets. Aforementioned, an obligatory regime will be followed from dates mentioned against each. No individual will be entertained in under mentioned sectors, if vaccination criteria as described below is not met.

Sector Description	Partial Vaccination	Complete Vaccination By
• Education sector (Balance teachers, administrative and transport staff plying with educational institutes).	31-Aug	30 Sep
• Air Travel (both domestic and international – inbound and outbound).	In place	30 Sep
• Entry in shopping malls.	31-Aug	30 Sep
• Hotel / guest houses bookings.	31-Aug	30 Sep
• Dine in / outdoor dining at hotels, restaurants and marriage halls / ceremonies.	In place	30 Sep
• Students of 17 years age and above.	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Staff of trains, buses, vans, coasters, taxis, home delivery services etc.	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Staff of any facility operating within premises of railway station, bus stops, taxi stands and other public transports.	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Public dealing offices of all types (Government / Private).	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Rail travel.	15 Sep	15 Oct
• <u>Road travel</u>	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Stage – 1. Public transport on Motorways.	15 Sep	15 Oct
• Stage – 2. Public transport National Highways, intra/ inter-city private transport and mass transit transport (metro, BRT, orange train etc).	30 Sep	31 Oct

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Implementation Methodology

a. Soft Launch of Obligatory Regime

- (1) Obligatory regime will be launched in phases. First phase i.e Soft Launch (1-15 Sep 2021) will be used for extensive communication and advertisement at prominent places (Bus stands, ticketing offices, toll plazas, rest areas & railways stations).
- (2) People will not be denied any facility, instead they will be asked to get vaccinated (federating units to ensure availability of mob vaccination teams at required places).

b. Monitoring Mechanism

(1) Checking Transport at Point of Origin (Bus Stands)

- (a) All types of public transport be checked for vaccination at point of origin by bus stop manager. MVTs should be placed for vaccination at bus stand, rest areas and other suitable locations.
- (b) Bus stand manager will sign a verification certificate (having date and time on a format given by federating unit).
- (c) The verification certificate will be displayed on wind screen of public transport for unhindered crossing at toll plazas.
- (d) Traffic, motorways and national highways police and district administration will be responsible for implementation.
- (e) Vaccination is mandatory for complete staff working at bus stands.

(2) Checking Mechanism for Railways

- (a) No tickets will be issued to un-vaccinated. Moreover, ticket checkers and other staff will be responsible for enroute checking.
- (b) MVTs to be made available at railway stations.

(3) Checking Mechanism at Airports. Existing mechanism of checking vaccine certificates before issuing boarding passes to be further streamlined.

- (4) IT based (minimum human intervention) – Efforts being made to develop system for linking ticketing of PIA, PR, selected bus services and M tags / motorways toll plazas with NIMS.

(5) Vaccination at Public Offices and Educational Institutions. It will be prime responsibility of head of institution/ office. Moreover, district administration teams will also supervise implementation.

(6) Vaccination at Hotels, Restaurants and Shopping Malls. Owner of facility is responsible for implementation of policy. Violators will be checked by police and district administration.

(2) Three Tiered Monitoring

- (1) Tier 1 - Self Monitoring. Monitoring by owner of malls, hotels, restaurants etc and head of institutions of schools/ colleges and public offices.
- (2) Tier 2 - Monitoring by Civil Administration. Monitoring by local civil administration through random checking / verification.
- (3) Tier 3 - Monitoring by NCOC. Monitoring mechanism by NCOC and provinces through random checking and seeking regular feedback.

All federating units, institutions and entities are requested to implement obligatory regime in true letter and spirit.



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