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**ADDITIONAL MEASURES FOR GENERAL AVIATION FLIGHT ENTERING SINGAPORE
UNDER CURRENT CONTEXT OF COVID-19**

1 In view of the escalating global COVID-19 situation, the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore will implement additional measures for general aviation flight that operates into Singapore.

2 Effective 12 March 2020 2359 hours, all air crew (pilots and cabin crew) and passengers on a general aviation flight to Singapore must submit a health declaration, as required by the Director of Medical Services under the Infectious Diseases Act. The completed health declaration card (HDC) must be submitted through its ground handling agent before departure but no earlier than 3 hours before the estimated departure time at the airport of origin.

3 If any air crew or passenger has any of the conditions defined as positive in the HDC, the operator of the flight will have to operate the flight as a medical evacuation (medevac) flight, and the unwell air crew or passenger will be considered a patient. The relevant MOH directives regarding medevac flights will apply.

4 All general aviation flight air crew and passengers who has any of the conditions defined as positive in the HDC or exhibit fever and/or other symptoms of respiratory illness upon arrival, and who are non-Singapore residents will not be allowed to enter Singapore. The aircraft will be required to turn around as soon as practicable, bearing in mind medical and flight safety. Singaporeans, Permanent Residents and Long-term Pass holders arriving on these flights will be required to go through the current arrival screening process which may include a COVID-19 swab test before entering Singapore.

5 Air crew and passengers who make false declarations can be prosecuted under Singapore law, including the Infectious Diseases Act. The penalties for such false declarations include imprisonment and/or fines.

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