ATPI Advisory
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ATPI Alerts Travel Opportunities per Country during Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Dear Valued Client,

The world is still changing by the hour during this COVID pandemic outbreak. Many travel bans are being eased or lifted and some countries still extend their current travel bans. Airlines slowly start up their network again, although with lower capacity. Our daily update informs you in short about the latest information.

Please note that unexpected travel cancellations are taking place and airlines status may change at any given time without prior notice. The enlisted information is based on the officially announced governmental travel restrictions and quarantine measures, updated via our ATPI Alerts.

Below is a summary of the latest updates, please be aware it is not a complete overview of all current travel bans and restrictions.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

From August 1, 2020, **ALL travelers returning to Belgium** are required to complete the "Passenger Locator Form". The online document must be completed within **48 hours before the return to Belgium**.
If the passenger cannot present a valid QR code or document, we as Airline may not transport this passenger to Belgium. Any additional costs in case of refusal will be borne by the passenger.
Please find the link to the online form here; https://travel.info-coronavirus.be/
For latest updates please go to https://diplomatie.belgium.be/en

Areas & airports opening or softening restrictions

EUROPEAN COUNTRIES:

- **Portugal**: Security Message: 'State of Contingency' restrictions lessen for the Lisbon area; U.S. Embassy reports updated travel information concerning COVID-19.

- Asia, Europe, Middle East: **Austria** to lift two-week ban on commercial flights from several countries from 1 August.
- **Russia, Switzerland**: Update: Russia to resume flights between countries on 15 August.
- Europe: Update: **Austria** lifts ban on commercial flights from Serbia, Northern Macedonia, Montenegro, Kosovo, Bosnia and Herzegovina.

AFRICA:

- **Namibia**: Update: Government relaxes restrictions for international tourists amid COVID-19 concerns.
- **Somalia**: Government lifts ban on international flights starting 3 August following COVID-19 stop.
- **Kenya**: Security Message: U.S. Embassy reports revised entry requirements for arriving passengers.

MIDDLE EAST:

- **Iraq**: Update: Commercial passenger flights resume to, from Kurdistan Region.
- **Israel**: Update: Authorities plan to resume international flights on 16 August.

AMERICAS:

- **Venezuela**: Security Message: U.S. Embassy in Colombia updates its information for U.S. nationals and lawful permanent residents in Venezuela.

ASIAN / AUSTRALIAN COUNTRIES:

- Global: **Kuwait International Airport** to resume commercial flights from 1 August during a three-stage re-opening. Kuwait: Ban on commercial flights from 31 'high-alert countries' remains.
- Asia, Europe, Latin America, Middle East: **Kuwait** bans commercial flights to several 'high risk' countries.
- **Singapore**: Government announces new arrivals must wear monitoring devices during 14-day COVID-19 home isolation from 10 August.

AIRLINES / TRAIN:

- Asia: Update: **Philippines AirAsia** resumes services to Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur with restrictions; **Cebu Pacific** gradually rebuilds its international flight network.
- Russia, U.K.: **British Airways** to resume flights to Russia on 2 August following COVID-19 stop.
- U.S.: Update: **United Airlines** to increase flights in September.
- Kenya: Update: **Kenya Airways** resumes international passenger flights.
- U.K.: **Blue Islands** to resume flights from Jersey to Bristol from 3 August.
- Ethiopia, Kenya: Update: **Ethiopian Airlines** resumes daily flights to Kenya.

Areas, airlines & airports imposing further restrictions

AIRLINES:

- Estonia, Ukraine: Update: **Wizz Air** cancels its flights between Tallinn and Kyiv, Lviv, Kharkov after increase in COVID-19 infections.

AREAS & AIRPORTS:

- **Spain, U.K**.: <u>Update</u>: TUI U.K. extends suspension of flights to Balearic Islands, Canary Islands until 10 August; flights to mainland Spain remain canceled until 17 August.
- **India**: <u>Update</u>: Regular international flights to remain suspended until 31 August.
- **Argentina**: <u>Update</u>: Government extends COVID-19 lockdown in Buenos Aires until 16 August.
- **Malta**: <u>Security Message</u>: U.S. Embassy updates, reissues its information concerning COVID-19 restrictions, reports U.S. nationals not allowed to enter country.
- **India**: Government rules international travelers must take 14-day quarantine upon arrival starting 1 August.
- Kenya, **Tanzania**: <u>Update</u>: Tanzania cancels plans to allow Kenya Airways to resume flights between countries after excluded from list of nationals allowed into Kenya under revised COVID-19 restrictions.
- Europe, Middle East: Update: **Greek civil aviation** authority allows flights from Albania, North Macedonia to land only at Athens airport, extends, imposes some COVID-19 restrictions for other countries.
- **Iraq, Turkey**: Flights between countries suspended because of rising COVID-19 infections.
- **Kuwait**: <u>Update</u>: International travel resumes, but ban on commercial flights from 31 'high-alert countries' remains.

(Source: ATPI Alerts)

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This information is up to date at the time of publication and is subject to change without prior notice

The above (as uploaded in ATPI Alerts) are the most recent and urgent travel news. However, we suggest that you also follow the below links including <u>updated news for any country of your interest</u>.

IATA: https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm

Travelport : https://www.travelport.com/sites/default/files/2020-07/airline-policies_3.pdf

Most importantly, make sure to safeguard your own health by following general hygiene rules and avoiding social gatherings. Responsibility is the key to overcoming those hard times and returning back to normal the soonest possible.