

Circular – 3

QATAR CIVIL AVIATION NOTAM – DOH

In view of the ongoing situation due to Corona Virus (COVID-19), we have observed that the Qatar Civil aviation authority has further extended the restriction of aircraft movements to the airports of State of Qatar until 2359 of 28th April 2020. Qatar Slot coordination would like to request all airlines to confirm cancellations in advance in order to support the airport team with correct schedules and to avoid any inconvenience. As communicated in our previous circulars, please be assured that flight cancellations attributed to COVID-19 will not affect the schedule facilitation priorities for equivalent scheduling seasons of Winter2020 and Summer2021.

QCAA NOTAM is furnished below for your reference and can be accessed from the link

<https://www.aim.gov.qa/NOTAM1.html>

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E) COVID-19: FLIGHT/PASSENGER RESTRICTION

ALL INBOUND FLIGHTS ARE SUSPENDED DUE TO COVID-19 INFECTION PREVENTION. THIS RESTRICTION DOES NOT AFFECT THE FOLLOWING FLIGHTS:

1. FLIGHTS WITH TRANSFER PASSENGERS
2. FLIGHTS WITH QATARI NATIONALS
3. CARGO FLIGHTS
4. ACFT IN STATE OF EMERGENCY
5. TECHNICAL LANDING
6. HUMANITARIAN/MEDEVAC/REPATRIATION FLIGHTS
7. UNITED NATIONS FLIGHTS

PERSONS ON BOARD EXCEPT CREW SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED TO DISEMBARK WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION. CREW MEMBERS MAY DISEMBARK BUT SHALL UNDERGO STRICT MANDATORY QUARANTINE UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE STATE DURING THEIR ROTATION/REST PERIOD.)

If any airline plans to operate flights that fall in the 7 exempted categories listed in the above NOTAM, please note that the following process is to be followed.

- A ground handling confirmation has to be acquired from concern ground handler at DOH.
- Apply the planned schedule in SMA format and add to SI field the following
 - Reason of flight operations in detail
 - Ground handling clearance number
 - Special comments if any
- Acquire Traffic rights clearance from QCAA

All Schedule requests/changes including cancellations should be applied in IATA SMA Format

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Kind Regards,
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A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of several loops and a long horizontal stroke at the end, representing the name Antonios Chouzouris.

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