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Mr. Firuz Bađlıkaya  
President  
Association of Turkish Travel Agencies (TÜRSAB)

Dear Mr. Firuz Bađlıkaya,

**Newly introduced health protocol/ guidelines to be followed by travellers arriving to Sri Lanka**

Hope you and family keeping well.

As you may aware, Sri Lanka imposed strict measures and guidelines to control the spread of Covid-19 during last one and half months. Fortunately the Covid-19 infections and fatalities have gone down during recent few weeks' time due to the strict measures. Further, Sri Lanka vaccinated 50% total population with two doses by mid of last month, I believe it was an great achievement for a South Asian country with the economic down turn created due to the pandemic.

Since it is high time to relax the measure to restart the economic activities specially tourism the Government with the recommendation of the health authorities relaxed the measures with effect from 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

I wish to attach herewith the new health guidelines/ protocols introduced with effect from 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021 until 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021 for your kind perusal.

I wish to request you to circulate this among the membership of your esteem organization.

The Mission will update you on any further amendments or development.

Thank you,

Kind regards,

M.R. Hassen  
Ambassador