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## VERY URGENT

The Embassy of the Republic of Serbia presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Turkey and has the honor to inform the esteemed Ministry that foreign citizens, possessing a temporary stay permit in the Republic of Serbia which has expired after the day the state of emergency (March 15, 2020) was declared due to the epidemic disease COVID-19 caused by the virus SARS-CoV-2, will be allowed to enter the Republic of Serbia until 1 July 2020 at the latest and legally submit a request for extension of their temporary stay within 30 days from the day they entered the Republic of Serbia. It will be considered that the temporary stay permit for this category of foreign citizens (whose temporary stay permit in the Republic of Serbia expired while being abroad) is valid at the moment they enter the Republic of Serbia and that, pending the completion of the procedure following their request to extend their temporary stay, the foreign citizen will be staying legally in the Republic of Serbia. The above mentioned information can be found on the official web site of the Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Serbia http://www.mfa.gov.rs/en/themes/covid173202019.

The Embassy kindly asks that this information be conveyed to the relevant Turkish authorities.

In that regard, Embassy kindly asks that the relevant Turkish authorities allow boarding to the flight no. JU 803 flying to Belgrade on June 29, at 16.30 LT of following Libyan citizens (passport copies attached) that have Serbian resident permits expired after March 15, 2020 and that are considered valid till July 1, 2020:

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