Government Notice No. 246 of 2021

THE OUARANTINE ACT 2020

Regulations made by the Minister under section 13 of the Quarantine Act 2020

PART I – PRELIMINARY

1. Short title

These regulations may be cited as the Consolidated COVID-19 Regulations 2021.

2. Interpretation

In these regulations –

"Act" means the Quarantine Act 2020;

"chronic disease" includes -

- (a) uncontrolled diabetes mellitus, high blood pressure and ischaemic heart disease;
- (b) chronic respiratory disease, including severe asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease;
- (c) chronic renal failure;
- (d) cirrhosis of liver;
- (e) mental disorder;
- (f) a disability which renders self-confinement impracticable; or
- (g) such other chronic illness as a Government medical practitioner may assess;

- "COVID-19" means the virus known as the novel coronavirus (2019-n CoV) or SARS CoV2;
- "COVID-19 test" means any COVID-19 test;
- "COVID-19 vaccination centre" means such health institution or such other specified area as the Minister may designate;
- "COVID-19 vaccine" means such vaccine as listed in the First Schedule;
- "eligible person" means a person who –
- (a) is examined by a Government medical officer or a medical practitioner of a private health institution and found to be medically eligible for a COVID-19 vaccine; and
- (b) meets such eligibility criteria as the Minister may determine, having regard, inter alia, to the specifications of the COVID-19 vaccine, availability of the COVID-19 vaccine in Mauritius, the priority groups to be vaccinated and other relevant considerations;
- "infected", in relation to COVID-19, means suffering from, or in the incubation stage of, or contaminated with, COVID-19;
- "mild symptoms" includes -
- (a) fever, provided that body temperature is less than 38.5 degrees Celsius;
- (b) dry cough and no difficulty in breathing, no fatigue, no rash, no diarrhea or no throat pain;
- (c) such other mild symptoms as a Government medical practitioner may assess;
- "private health institution" has the same meaning as in the Private Health Institutions Act;

- "quarantine period" means the period declared under section 4(1)(b) of the Act;
- "RT-PCR test" means the COVID-19 Reverse Transcriptase Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test;
- "self-confined person" means a person who is self-confined at his place of residence.

3. Application of regulations

- (1) Subject to regulation 2, these regulations shall not apply to the Island of Agaléga, St. Brandon and the Chagos Archipelago.
- (2) Regulation 15 shall not apply to the Island of Rodrigues, the Island of Agaléga, St. Brandon and the Chagos Archipelago.

PART II – PREVENTIVE AND SANITARY MEASURES

4. Wearing of protective mask

- (1) Every person shall, in any place, other than in his ordinary place of residence
 - (a) wear a protective mask over his nose and mouth;
 - (b) ensure that every child aged 5 and above in his company, wears a protective mask over the child's nose and mouth.

(2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply –

(a) when a person travels alone in a private vehicle or where the driver and every other passenger in the private vehicle ordinarily live together in the same place of residence;

- (b) when lawfully directed by another person to remove the protective mask in order to ascertain the identity of the person or child;
- (c) when carrying out, in the course of his employment, an activity that requires that no protective mask may be worn, or that it shall be removed in order that other equipment may be worn or used, to carry out that activity;
- (d) premises, places and during such activities as may be listed by Notice in the Gazette.

5. Social and physical distancing rules

- (1) Every person shall in any place, other than in his ordinary place of residence, strictly observe the social and physical distancing rules specified in this regulation.
- (2) Every person shall, at all times on any premises including commercial premises, offices and buildings, keep a distance of at least one metre from any other person, except where the person is in company of child under the age of 12.
 - (3) No person shall, without reasonable excuse
 - (a) sit on a seat that is not fixed to the floor and that is less than one metre away from another seated person in a public place;
 - (b) sit on a fixed seat in a public place which is demarcated as not to be occupied; or
 - (c) stand in a queue less than one metre away from any other person in the queue in a public place.

(4) Every employer shall ensure that appropriate measures are in place to implement the social and physical distancing rules specified in this regulation.

6. Good hygiene practices

Every person shall, whether in his ordinary place of residence, in a public place, at his workplace and any other premises, ensure that he disinfects his hands regularly using an alcohol-based hand sanitaser, where same is available.

7. Hygiene products, cleaning and waste disposal

- (1) At any place of work, every employer shall
 - (a) provide to his employees
 - (i) hygiene products; and
 - (ii) rubbish bins for the disposal of waste;
 - (b) ensure that waste is regularly disposed of; and
 - (c) ensure that the place of work, including used surfaces such as benchtops, desks and doorknobs, is regularly cleaned and disinfected.
- (2) In this section –

"hygiene products" includes soap, hand sanitisers and tissue paper.

PART III – VACCINATION PROCEDURES AND CONSENT FORM

8. Vaccination procedures

(1) Any eligible person who wishes to be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine shall –

- (a) attend such hospital, private health institution, or such other place as the Minister may designate for the administration of the vaccine;
- (b) sign the Registration and Consent Form for COVID-19 Vaccination as set out in the Second or Third Schedule, as the case may be; and
- (c) undertake to abide by all the terms and conditions specified in the Registration and Consent Form for COVID-19 Vaccination.
- (2) The Minister shall give public notice of any place designated under paragraph (1)(a).
- (3) Any eligible person who wishes to be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine in a private health institution shall be vaccinated on payment of such fee, being a fee that excludes the cost of the vaccine, as the private health institution may determine.
- (4) Any Registration and Consent Form for COVID-19 Vaccination under the revoked Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccines for Emergency Use) Regulations 2021 shall be deemed to have been made under these regulations.

PART IV – SELF-CONFINEMENT

9. Interpretation of Part IV

In this Part –

- "fully vaccinated" means a person who is vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine, provided that where he is vaccinated with –
- (a) the Johnson & Johnson vaccine, 28 days have lapsed after the single dose of the vaccine having been administered; or
- (b) any other COVID-19 vaccine, 14 days have lapsed after the second dose of the vaccine having been administered.

10. Requirements for self-confinement

Where a person is tested as being infected with COVID-19, the quarantine officer may order that person to be self-confined at his place of residence, provided that –

- (a) he is not more than 65 years of age;
- (b) he is fully vaccinated; and
- (c) he is asymptomatic, has mild symptoms or does not suffer from a chronic disease as assessed by a Government medical practitioner.

11. Period of self-confinement

- (1) A person referred to in regulation 9 shall, subject to paragraph (2), be self-confined for a period of at least 10 days from the day he has been tested to be infected with COVID-19.
- (2) Where a self-confined person becomes symptomatic during the period of self-confinement, he shall be self-confined for such additional period as the quarantine officer may, in the circumstances, determine

12. Conditions during period of self-confinement

A self-confined person shall, during his period of confinement –

- (a) be under the supervision of the quarantine officer;
- (b) not leave his place of residence without the authority of the quarantine officer;
- (c) comply with the instructions of the quarantine officer;
- (d) comply with the requirements specified in the Fourth Schedule.

PART V – RESTRICTION OF ACCESS TO SPECIFIED INSTITUTION, PLACE AND PREMISES

13. Restriction of access

- (1) For the purpose of section 4(2)(a) of the Act, no person shall, subject to paragraph (2), have access to a specified institution, place or premises as described and specified in the second and third column of the Fifth Schedule, respectively, unless
 - (a) being a citizen or resident of Mauritius, he produces
 - (i) (A) his COVID-19 vaccination card, in the form set out in the Sixth Schedule or in such electronic format as the Minister may approve, certifying that he has been vaccinated with at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine; and
 - (B) his National Identity Card or passport;
 - (ii) (A) in case he has not been vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine, an RT-PCR test result slip, in the form set out in the Seventh Schedule, certifying a negative result dating back to not more than 7 days from the date of the RT-PCR test was undertaken; and
 - (B) his National Identity Card or passport; or
 - (iii) (A) a documented medical certificate (certificat médical detaillé), duly certified by a panel of 2
 Government medical officers that, by reason of his medical conditions, he cannot be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine; and
 - (B) his National Identity Card or passport; or
 - (b) being a tourist or visitor to Mauritus, he produces –

- (i) his foreign COVID-19 vaccination card, including in electronic format; and
- (ii) his National Identity Card or passport.
- (2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply to
 - (a) such person as described in the fourth column of the Fifth Schedule;
 - (b) a member of the Police Force who has to have access to a specified institution, place and premises, other than his place of work, for the purposes of maintaining and preserving law and order;
 - (c) an officer of the Mauritius Fire and Rescue Service who has to have access to a specified institution, place and premises, other than his place of work, for the purposes of preventing and suppressing fire and protecting life, property and the environment in case of emergency;
 - (d) a medical personnel who has to have access to a specified institution, place and premises, other than his place of work, for the purpose of providing urgent medical treatment:
 - (e) such other person who has to have access to a specified institution, place and premises in case of an emergency.
- (3) Where, pursuant to paragraph (1)(a)(iii)(A), a person is certified by a panel of 2 Government medical officers that he cannot be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine, the panel of 2 medical officers or any other panel of 2 Government medical officers may require that person to undergo an RT-PCR test at such interval as they may determine.

14. Exempted specified institution, place or premises

The Minister may, by Notice published in the Gazette, exempt –

- (a) a specified institution, place or premises; and
- (b) a specified class of persons on the basis of specific medical data,

from the application of this Part for a specific purpose and for a specified period.

PART VI – CLOSURE OF PREMISES, RESTRICTION OF ACTIVITIES AND PROHIBITION TO ATTEND PLACES

15. Closure and prohibition of activities

For the purpose of section 4(2)(b) of the Act –

- (a) the premises specified in Part I of the Eighth Schedule shall be opened to the public subject to the conditions specified therein;
- (b) the events or activities specified in Part II of the Eighth Schedule shall be carried out subject to the conditions specified therein;
- (c) the places specified in Part III of the Eighth Schedule shall be opened to the public subject to the conditions specified therein;
- (d) the places specified in Part IV of the Eighth Schedule shall remain closed

PART VII – INCOMING PASSENGERS

16. Interpretation of Part VII

In this Part –

"airport" means the Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport;

"designated hotel" means a hotel designated by the Minister for the confinement of incoming passengers who are not fully vaccinated;

"fully vaccinated" means a person who -

- (a) is vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine, provided that where he is vaccinated with
 - (i) the single dose of Johnson & Johnson vaccine, 28 days have, on the date of departure to Mauritius, lapsed after the single dose of the vaccine having been administered; or
 - (ii) any other COVID-19 vaccine, 14 days have, on the date of departure to Mauritius, lapsed after a second dose of the vaccine having been administered; or
- (b) (i) has recovered from COVID-19; and
 - (ii) has, after such recovery, been vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine, provided that 14 days have, on the date of departure to Mauritius, lapsed after a single dose of the vaccine being administered;

"Public Health Passenger Locator Form" means such form as the Minister may approve;

"registered hotel" means a hotel licensed as such under the Tourism Authority Act;

"transit passenger" means a passenger in transit for less than 24 hours and holding an onward reservation on the same aircraft or

interlining at the airport, provided that the passenger does not check out at the airport.

17. Sanitary requirements for incoming passengers

- (1) No person shall travel to Mauritius unless, at the point of departure, he -
 - (a) being fully vaccinated -
 - (i) produces, subject to paragraph (2), documentary evidence that he is fully vaccinated;
 - (ii) produces an RT-PCR test certificate certifying a negative result, provided that the COVID-19 test was undertaken within 72 hours prior to the date of departure;
 - (iii) produces, subject to paragraph (3), documentary evidence that he has a health insurance covering COVID-19; and
 - (iv) duly fills in the Public Health Passenger Locator Form; or
 - (b) being not fully vaccinated
 - (i) produces documentary evidence that he has booked and paid a 15 days in-room stay package at a designated hotel, including airport hotel transfers and 3 RT-PCR tests;
 - (ii) produces an RT-PCR test certificate certifying a negative result, provided that the COVID-19 test was undertaken within 72 hours prior to the date of departure;

- (iii) produces, subject to paragraph (3), documentary evidence that he has a health insurance covering COVID-10; and
- (iv) duly fills in the Public Health Passenger Locator Form.
- (2) Paragraph (1)(a)(i) shall not apply to a person under the age of 18.
- (3) Paragraph (1)(a)(iii) and (b)(iii) shall not apply to a citizen of Mauritius or a resident of Mauritius
- (4) This regulation shall not apply to a member of an airline crew and to a transit passenger.

18. Fully vaccinated incoming passengers

- (1) A fully vaccinated person shall, on arrival, undergo a COVID-19 test.
 - (2) Where a fully vaccinated person
 - (a) stays at a registered hotel, he shall, on the fifth day, excluding the day of his arrival, undergo a COVID-19 test; or
 - (b) does not stay at a registered hotel, he shall, on the fifth day, excluding the day of his arrival, undergo a self-administered COVID-19 test.

19. Non-fully vaccinated incoming passengers

- (1) A person who is not fully vaccinated shall
 - (a) on arrival, undergo an RT-PCR test;
 - (b) on the seventh day, excluding the day of his arrival, undergo a second RT-PCR test; and

- (c) on the fourteenth day, excluding the day of his arrival, undergo a third RT-PCR test.
- (2) The Ministry shall make appropriate arrangements for the RT-PCR tests to be conducted on the person referred to in paragraph (1).

PART VIII - SELF-TESTING KIT

20. Interpretation of Part VIII

In this Part -

"laboratory reagents company" means a company registered with the Ministry to import laboratory reagents;

"pharmacy" has the same meaning as in the Pharmacy Act;

"private laboratory" means a laboratory registered with the Ministry;

"registered medical practitioner" has the same meaning as in the Medical Council Act;

"registered nurse" has the same meaning as in the Nursing Council Act;

"Self-Testing Kit" means the COVID-19 Antigen based test kit with nasal, nasopharyngeal or saliva swabs, as approved by the World Health Organisation, the Food and Drug Administration or the European Union;

"wholesale pharmacy" has the same meaning as in the Pharmacy Act and is a wholesale pharmacy which holds a written authorisation from the Ministry to import Self-Testing Kits.

21. Sale of Self-Testing Kit

- (1) A wholesale pharmacy shall not sell any Self-Testing Kit to any person other than to -
 - (a) the Ministry;

- (b) private health institutions;
- (c) medical practitioners;
- (d) private laboratories;
- (e) laboratory reagents companies;
- (f) retail pharmacies; and
- (g) the Mauritius Duty Free Paradise, the Rodrigues Duty Free Paradise and the Christian Decotter Cruise Jetty.
- (2) Every sale of a Self-Testing Kit shall be recorded in a register.
- (3) Every user shall keep a record of every Self-Testing Kit that has been used, including the name and contact details of the person on which the Self-Testing Kit has been used.
- (4) Any register kept under this Part shall, on demand, be produced to the Ministry.

22. Duty to inform Quarantine Authority

Where a person is tested to be COVID-19 positive by means of a Self-Testing Kit, the user shall forthwith inform the Quarantine Authority.

PART IX - MISCELLANEOUS

23. Guidelines

The Ministry may, for the purposes of these regulations, issue such guidelines as it may deem appropriate.

24. Offences

(1) A self-confined person who –

- (a) leaves his place of residence during his selfconfinement period without the authority of the quarantine officer;
- (b) fails to comply with any instruction of the quarantine officer;
- (c) fails to comply with the requirements specified in the Fourth Schedule.

shall commit an offence.

- (2) A person who
 - (a) without lawful excuse, is in a specified institution, place and premises without
 - (i) his COVID-19 vaccination card certifying that he has been vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine;
 - (ii) an RT-PCR test result slip certifying a negative result dating back to not more than 7 days from the date of the RT-PCR test was undertaken; or
 - (iii) a documented medical certificate (*certificat médical detaillé*), duly certified by a panel of 2 Government medical officers that, by reason of his medical conditions, he cannot be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine;
 - (b) without lawful excuse, allows another person to have access in a specified institution, place and premises without that other person being in possession of
 - (i) his COVID-19 vaccination card certifying that he has been vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine;

- (ii) an RT-PCR test result slip certifying a negative result dating back to not more than 7 days from the date of the RT-PCR test was undertaken; or
- (iii) a documented medical certificate (*certificat médical detaillé*), duly certified by a panel of 2 Government medical officers that, by reason of his medical conditions, he cannot be vaccinated with a COVID-19 vaccine; or
- (c) is in possession of a forged vaccination card or RT-PCR test result slip,

shall commit an offence.

- (3) Any person who
 - (a) fails to wear a protective mask;
 - (b) fails to wear a protective mask over his mouth and nose;
 - (c) willfully provides false or misleading information in a Registration and Consent Form for COVID-19 Vaccination; or
 - (d) otherwise contravenes these regulations,

shall commit an offence

(4) Any person who commits an offence shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding 500,000 rupees and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years.

25. Revocation

- (1) The following regulations are revoked
 - (a) COVID-19 (Preventive and Sanitary Measures) Regulations 2021;

- (b) COVID-19 (Self-Confinement) Regulations 2021;
- (c) COVID-19 (Restriction of Access to Specified Institutions) Regulations 2021;
- (d) COVID-19 (Closing Down of Premises and Restriction of Activities) (No. 3) Regulations 2021;
- (e) COVID-19 (Quarantine) Regulations 2021;
- (f) Public Health (COVID-19 Vaccines for Emergency Use) Regulations 2021;
- (g) Quarantine (Control of Sale and Use of COVID-19 Home Self-Testing Kit) Regulations 2021.
- (2) The regulations revoked under paragraph (1) shall not affect the previous operation of the revoked regulations or any process or anything duly done under the revoked regulations.

26. Commencement

- (1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), these regulations shall come into operation on 1 October 2021.
- (2) The Fifth Schedule insofar as it relates to items 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21 and 22 shall come into operation on 15 October 2021.
- (3) The Eighth Schedule insofar as it relates to items 5, 6 and 7 of Part I shall come into operation on 15 October 2021.

Made by the Minister on 30 September 2021.

FIRST SCHEDULE

[Regulation 2]

COVID-19 VACCINES

- 1. AstraZeneca (Vaxzevria or Covishield)
- 2. Covaxin
- 3. Moderna
- 4. Pfizer BioNTech
- 5. Sinopharm
- 6. Sinovac
- 7. Sputnik V
- **8.** Johnson & Johnson

SECOND SCHEDULE

[Regulation 8(1)(b)]



MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND WELLNESS REGISTRATION AND CONSENT FOR COVID-19 VACCINATION PART I – REGISTRATION FORM

Recipient name		National Identity Card no./Passport no.	
Gender	Married/Unmarr	ied	
	Details pertaining	g to parent/guardian	
	Details pertaining	g to next of kin	
	Email address		
pplicable)	Phone no.	Preferred language	
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Emergency Use Authorisation

The Ministry of Health and Wellness has made the COVID-19 vaccine available following regulatory approval of its use in the United States, United Kingdom, India and other countries as circumstances justify its use in an emergency such as the COVID-19 pandemic. This vaccine has not completed the same type of review and process in those countries as would have been the case in normal circumstances and the Ministry of Health and Wellness is making the vaccine available due to existence of a public health emergency and on the basis of the totality of scientific evidence available for the time being, showing that known and potential benefits of the vaccine outweigh the known and potential risks.

PART II - CONSENT FORM

1. I have been provided with and have read/have been explained in my own language*, the explanations regarding the nature of and implications of the vaccine, the fact sheet about the said vaccine which has been provided to me. I understand that if this vaccine requires 2 doses, the 2 doses of this vaccine shall be administered (given) in order for it to be effective. I have been given an opportunity to ask questions which were answered to my satisfaction/have ensured that the person named above for whom I am authorised to provide consent was also given a chance to ask questions*. I understand the benefits and risks of the vaccine.

2. I request that the vaccine be administered to me/the person named above for whom I am authorised to make this request and provide consent*. I understand there will be no cost to me for this vaccine. I have been informed that after administration of the vaccine, I will be kept under observation for a period of at least 30 minutes. I authorise release of all information needed, including but not limited to medical records, such information provided by me for the purposes of this form as may be required for other public health purposes, including reporting to any public health institution.

Waiver, Release and Hold Harmless Agreement

- **3.** I, together with my parent or guardian, if I am under the age of 18 or under a legal disability, represent, covenant and agree, on behalf of myself and my heirs, assigns, and any other person claiming by, under or through me, as follows
 - (a) I acknowledge that as a result of the vaccination, certain risks are involved and that any adverse event following immunisation which might include injuries and death could occur to me. I accept and voluntarily incur and assume all risks of any adverse event following immunisation, including injuries and death that arise during or result from the administration of the vaccine;
 - (b) without limiting my assumption of the general risks described above, I specifically understand and acknowledge the following with regard to the novel coronavirus, COVID-19 –
 - COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization;
 - (ii) COVID-19 is an infectious virus that is extremely contagious and spreads easily through person-to-person contact and/or by contact with contaminated surfaces and objects, and even possibly in the air;
 - those infected with COVID-19 may show no symptoms and still spread the disease, including through interpersonal communications and sharing spaces with others;
 - (iv) COVID-19 can cause serious and potentially life threatening illness and even death:
 - (v) COVID-19 has recently shown signs of mutation in several countries like the United Kingdom, Brazil, South Africa and Japan.
- **4.** Notwithstanding the foregoing, I hereby choose to accept, and freely and voluntarily assume, the risks set out in this Form.

- 5. I waive all claims against the State of Mauritius, the Global Health Partnership also known as GAVI Alliance, donor States or organisations, manufacturers of the vaccine and their agents or preposés, any vaccinator, any hospital or private health institution authorised by the Minister, to administer the vaccine for any adverse event following immunisation, including injuries and death, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, which arise from/during or as a result of the vaccine, regardless of whether or not caused, in whole or in part, by the negligence or other fault on their part, I release and forever discharge them from all claims.
- **6.** I agree to indemnify and hold the above parties harmless from and against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, costs or expenses, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees and other litigation costs and expenses incurred by any of these parties as a result of any claims or suits that I (or anyone claiming by, under or through me) may bring against any of them to recover any losses, liabilities, costs, damages, or expenses that arise during or result from the vaccine.
- 7. I have carefully read and reviewed this Waiver, Release and Hold Harmless Agreement/The above has been carefully explained to me in my own language* and given assistance in responding to questions set out in the fact sheet.
- **8.** I have read and fully understand the contents of this Form/have been explained in my own language* and fully understand the contents of this Form and I execute it voluntarily.
- 9. Lundertake to -
 - (a) attend the same vaccination centre on the date scheduled for the second dose as specified in this Form and in such COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card as may be provided to me;
 - (b) attend the same vaccination centre where the vaccine was administered in case any adverse event following immunisation;
 and
 - bring and produce the COVID-19 Vaccination Record Card provided to me.

	Name	Relationship to patient, if othe
Signature of recipient/parent/guardian		than recipient
recipient/parent/guardian		
Date		Time

PROCEED TO VACCINE ADMINISTRATION STATION

First dose vaccine		
Date	Brand of vaccine**	Other
Dosage given	AstraZeneca 🗆	(please specify)
Time of vaccination	Pfizer	
	Batch no.	
	Date of expiry	

I have reviewed the contents of this Registration and Consent Form with patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient*.

I confirm that the patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient* was given an opportunity to ask questions about the vaccine, and I have, to the best of my ability, answered all the questions asked by them.

I confirm that recipient of the vaccine is an eligible person.

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Name of recipient/parent/guardian	Signature of recipient/parent/guardian
Name of Doctor who explained the above	Signature of Doctor who explained the above
Name of Vaccinator	Signature of Vaccinator
Name of witness	Signature of witness
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Observation Period at Vaccination Centre (To be filled by health care personnel)		
Observation period at Vaccination Centre	Time in	Time out
Adverse Event Following Immunisation noted		
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Expected date of second dose		

	Second dose vaccine	
Date	Brand of vaccine**	
		Other \square
Dosage given	AstraZeneca	(please specify)
Time of vaccination		
	Pfizer	
	Batch no.	
	Date of expiry	

I have reviewed the contents of this Registration and Consent Form with patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient*.

I confirm that the patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient*was given an opportunity to ask questions about the vaccination, and I have, to the best of my ability, answered all the questions asked by them.

I confirm that recipient of the vaccine is an eligible person.

Name of recipient/parent/guardian	Signature of recipient/parent/guardian
Name of Doctor who explained the above	Signature of Doctor who explained the above
Name of Vaccinator	Signature of Vaccinator
Name of witness	Signature of witness
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Observation Period at Vaccination Centre (To be filled by health care personnel)		
Observation period at Vaccination Centre	Time in	Time out
Adverse Effect Following Immunisation noted		<u> </u>

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THIRD SCHEDULE

[Regulation 8(1)(b)]



MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND WELLNESS

REGISTRATION AND CONSENT FOR ADDITIONAL DOSE OF COVID-19 VACCINE TO PERSONS ALREADY VACCINATED

PART I - REGISTRATION FORM

Recipient name		National Identity	National Identity Card no./Passport no.	
Date of birth	Gender	Married/Unmarri	ed	
Age		Details pertaining	to parent/guardian	
Address		Details pertaining	to next of kin	
Occupation		Email address		
Parent/guardian (if applicable)		Phone no.	Preferred language	
Name of COVID-19 Vaccination Centre				

EMERGENCY USE AUTHORISATION

- 1. The Ministry of Health and Wellness has made the COVID-19 vaccine available following regulatory approval of its use in the United States, United Kingdom, India and other countries as circumstances justify its use in an emergency such as the COVID-19 pandemic. This vaccine has not completed the same type of review and process in those countries as would have been the case in normal circumstances and the Ministry of Health and Wellness is making the vaccine available due to existence of a public health emergency and on the basis of the totality of scientific evidence available for the time being, showing that known and potential benefits of the vaccine outweigh the known and potential risks.
- 2. Furthermore, some countries such as United Kingdom and France, have approved the administration of additional doses of COVID-19 vaccines in certain circumstances.

PART II - CONSENT FORM FOR ADDITIONAL DOSE OF COVID-19 VACCINE

- 1. I have been provided with and have read/have been explained in my own language*, the explanations regarding the nature of and implications of the vaccine, the fact sheet about the said vaccine which has been provided to me. I have been given an opportunity to ask questions which were answered to my satisfaction/have ensured that the person named above for whom I am authorised to provide consent was also given a chance to ask questions*. I understand the benefits and risks of the vaccine.
- 2. I confirm that I have already been vaccinated with COVID-19 vaccine(s) as specified herewith –

Date of Vaccine	Brand Name of Vaccine	Vaccination Centre
Dose 1		
Dose 2 (if applicable)		

3. With a view to enhancing the immunity of persons already vaccinated, the administration of additional dose(s) of COVID-19 vaccines has been authorised.. I therefore request that an additional dose of COVID-19 vaccine be administered to me/the person named above for whom I am authorised to make this request and provide consent*. I understand there will be no cost to me for this vaccine. I have been informed that after administration of the vaccine, I will be kept under observation for a period of at least 30 minutes. I authorise release of all information needed, including but not limited to medical records, such information provided by me for the purposes of this form as may be required for other public health purposes, including reporting to any public health institution.

WAIVER, RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

- **4.** I, together with my parent or guardian, if I am under the age of 18 or under a legal disability, represent, covenant and agree, on behalf of myself and my heirs, assigns, and any other person claiming by, under or through me, as follows
 - (c) I acknowledge that as a result of the vaccination, certain risks are involved and that any adverse event following immunisation which might include injuries and death could occur to me. I accept and voluntarily incur and assume all risks of any adverse event following immunisation, including injuries and death that arise during or result from the administration of the vaccine;

- (d) without limiting my assumption of the general risks described above, I specifically understand and acknowledge the following with regard to the novel coronavirus, COVID-19 –
 - (vi) COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization;
 - (vii) COVID-19 is an infectious virus that is extremely contagious and spreads easily through person-to-person contact and/or by contact with contaminated surfaces and objects, and even possibly in the air;
 - (viii) those infected with COVID-19 may show no symptoms and still spread the disease, including through interpersonal communications and sharing spaces with others;
 - (ix) COVID-19 can cause serious and potentially life threatening illness and even death;
 - (x) COVID-19 has recently shown signs of mutation in several countries like the United Kingdom, Brazil, South Africa, Japan and India.
- 5. Notwithstanding the foregoing, I hereby choose to accept, and freely and voluntarily assume, the risks set out in this Form.
- **6.** I am already vaccinated and I fully understand that this additional dose is being administered to me to enhance my immunity.
- 7. I waive all claims against the State of Mauritius, the Global Health Partnership also known as GAVI Alliance, donor States or organisations, manufacturers of the vaccine and their agents or preposés, any vaccinator, any hospital or private health institution authorised by the Minister, to administer the vaccine for any adverse event following immunisation, including injuries and death, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, which arise from/during or as a result of the vaccine, regardless of whether or not caused, in whole or in part, by the negligence or other fault on their part, I release and forever discharge them from all claims.
- **8.** I agree to indemnify and hold the above parties harmless from and against any and all losses, liabilities, damages, costs or expenses, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees and other litigation costs and expenses incurred by any of these parties as a result of any claims or suits that I (or anyone claiming by, under or through me) may bring against any of them to recover any losses, liabilities, costs, damages, or expenses that arise during or result from the vaccine.

- I have carefully read and reviewed this Waiver, Release and Hold Harmless Agreement/The above has been carefully explained to me in my own language* and given assistance in responding to guestions set out in the fact sheet.
- 10. I have read and fully understand the contents of this Form/have been explained in my own language* and fully understand the contents of this Form and I execute it voluntarily.

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11. I undertake to bring provided to me.	and produce the COVID-1	9 Vaccination Record Card
Signature of recipient/parent/guardian	Name	Relationship to patient, if other than recipient
Date		Time

PROCEED TO VACCINE ADMINISTRATION STATION

ADDITIONAL DOSE OF COVID-19 VACCINE		
Date	Brand of vaccine	
Dosage given (specify whether 3 rd or other dose)		
or other dose,		
Time of vaccination		
Place of vaccination	Batch No.	
	Date of expiry	

PROCEED FOR OBSERVATION PERIOD

Observation Period at Vaccination Centre (To be filled by health care personnel)					
Observation period at Vaccination Centre	Time in	Time out			
Adverse Event Following Immunisation noted					

I have reviewed the contents of this Registration and Consent Form with patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient*.

I confirm that the patient/parent of patient/guardian of patient* was given an opportunity to ask questions about the vaccine, and I have, to the best of my ability, answered all the questions asked by them.

I confirm that recipient of the vaccine is an eligible person.

Name of recipient/parent/guardian	Signature of recipient/parent/guardian
Name of Doctor who explained the above	Signature of Doctor who explained the above
Name of Vaccinator	Signature of Vaccinator
Name of witness	Signature of witness
Date	
*Delete as appropriate.	

FOURTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 12(d)]

CONDITIONS TO BE COMPLIED WITH BY SELF-CONFINED PERSON DURING CONFINEMENT PERIOD

- 1. The period of self-confinement of at least 10 days shall be strictly complied with. A self-confined person will not be allowed to leave his place of residence under any circumstance. Failure to comply by any instructions of the quarantine officer of the Ministry shall constitute an offence punishable by law.
- 2. During the self-confinement period, the self-confined person shall stay in an isolated room so as to limit contact with other members of the household to the maximum.
- **3.** If the house setting does not allow the self-confined person to remain isolated in a specific room, the person shall wear a face mask whenever he is not alone in a room. All other persons in the same room as the self-confined person shall also wear their face masks.
- **4.** Face masks are for individual and personal use only and shall not be shared by more than one person. They shall at all times be correctly placed on the face of the user, covering the mouth and the nose.
- **5.** A security distance of at least 2 metres shall at all times be observed between a self-confined person and any other member of the same house.
- **6.** For disposable face masks, they shall be disposed in bin bags placed in garbage cans with a covering lid.
- 7. For the self-confined person, if a disposable mask is used, it shall be disposed in a dedicated bin bag placed in a garbage can with a covering lid. If the self-confined person is using a washable face mask, he shall himself wash the mask using hot water and normal detergent.
- **8.** Hand disinfection with water and soap or a hand sanitiser is highly recommended after such manipulations.
- **9.** No person shall be allowed inside the house where a self-confined person is home-isolating, except for persons living in the same household and members of the Domiciliary Monitoring Unit of the Ministry.
- **10.** It is highly recommended to keep the house naturally aerated by keeping windows open whenever and as often as possible.

- **11.** The self-confined person on self-confinement shall have his meals isolated from other persons staying in the same house.
- **12.** During the self-confinement period, those living in a same house shall make sure that they do not mix or share their dishes, cups or any other eating and drinking utensils.
- **13.** A self-confined person shall not share his bed with any other person living in the same house.
- **14.** Surfaces like tables, chairs, doorknobs, remote controls, phones and sanitary wares shall be regularly disinfected.
- **15.** Upon completion of the self-confinement period, the person who was tested with COVID-19 shall himself seal the bin bag and dispose of it 3 days after the end of his self-confinement period.
- **16.** In addition to the requirements specified in this Schedule, a self-confined person shall with such other instructions as the quarantine officer may issue.

FIFTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 13(1)]

SPECIFIED INSTITUTIONS, PLACES AND PREMISES

	SPECIFIED INSTITUTIONS, PLACES AND PREMISES	DESCRIPTION OF SPECIFIED INSTITUTIONS, PLACES AND PREMISES	EXEMPTED PERSONS	
1.	Educational or training institution	Crèche, day-care centre, a kindergarten, special education needs institution, preprimary school, primary school, secondary school, tertiary institution, vocational training centre and any other educational or training institution, whether Government-owned or private-owned	Not apply to – (a) a student under the age of 18 of that educational or training institution; (b) the father, mother or guardian of a student who accompanies the student in his educational or training institution for vaccination purposes; (c) the father, mother or guardian of a	
			student who has to have access to that educational or training institution in case of medical emergency	

2.	Health institution	Hospital, mediclinic, dispensary, private health institution under the Private Health Institutions Act, area health centre, community health centre, cabinet médical and cabinet dentaire	Not apply to a person – (a) under the age of 18; (b) who has to avail himself of medical treatment from that health institution and one other person accompanying him, if any; (c) who has to procure medicine from that health institution
3.	Residential care home/ Residential care institutions for children victims of violence, abuse and neglect/Shelters for women victims of domestic violence	(a) residential care home as licensed under the Residential Care Homes Act; (b) residential care institutions for children victims of violence, abuse and neglect registered with the Ministry of Gender Equality and Family Welfare;	Not apply to – (a) persons who, by reason of old age, disablement, a physical handicap, dependence on alcohol or drugs need personal care; (b) children and women who need personal care; (c) persons

		(c)	of violer regist the	en v do nce terec Minis	for victims mestic I with stry of quality Family	(d)	suffering from sickness, injury or infirmity who need nursing; pregnant women or women immediately after childbirth who need personal care;
						(e)	persons who need nursing, including care, habilitation, rehabilitation under medical supervision, including medical treatment, of persons suffering, or appearing to suffer, from a mental disorder;
						(f)	persons in distress;
						(g)	children victims of violence, abuse and neglect
						(h)	women victims of domestic violence
						(i)	persons under the age of 18
4.	Reform institution	Refor	m	inst	itution	Not a	pply to –

		under the Reform Institutions Act such as prison, Correctional Youth Centre, Rehabilitation Youth Centre, the grounds and buildings within the reform's institution enclosure (excluding prison married quarters), all premises of a temporary detention centre, and any grounds or buildings thereof and used by detainees, prison officers, medical officers, prison hospital officers and other official working for those institutions	(a) (b)	a detainee; the father, mother or guardian of a detainee under the age of 18 when calling for visit; a child of the institution's personnel under the age of 18	
5.	Probation Hostel for Boys and Girls	Probation Hostel for Boys, Probation Home for Girls and any other institution run by the Mauritius Probation and Aftercare Service under the Probation of Offenders Act	Not a (a)	the age of 18;	
6.	Sir Seewoosagur Ramgoolam International Airport	(a) the airport as described in the First and Third Schedules to the Civil Aviation (Security) Regulations	Not a	pply to – a crew member of an incoming or departing aircraft, other than a crew member of Air	

		2019; and	Mauritius Ltd;
		(b) includes the terminal buildings and car park areas of the airport	one other person
			(c) a person under the age of 18
7.	Plaine Corail Airport	(a) the airport as described in the Second and Fourth Schedules to the Civi Aviation (Security) Regulations 2019; and (b) includes the terminal buildings and car park areas of the airport	(a) a crew member of an incoming or departing aircraft, other than a crew member of Air Mauritius Ltd; (b) a passenger and one other person accompanying the passenger; (c) a person under
8.	Port Louis harbour	The premises located in the port area of Port Louis as described in item 1 of the Schedule to the Ports Act, such as the Terminal (Trou Fanfaror Fishing Port, Quays AB, C, D, E and other facilities), the Terminal I (Multipurpose Terminal, the Terminal III (Mauritius	(a) a crew member of an incoming or a departing vessel (other than a seafarer); (b) a passenger and one other person accompanying the passenger;

		Container Terminal), the Oil Jetty, the Mauritius Freeport Development Company Ltd Quay, the Froid des Mascareignes Quay and the buildings and premises occupied as office space by the Mauritius Ports Authority and Cargo Handling Corporation Ltd	(c) a person under the age of 18
9.	Port Mathurin harbour	The premises located in the port area of Port Mathurin as described in item 2 of the Schedule to the Ports Act, such as the Granary building (State Trading Corporation), the Quay, the Container stacking area (Associated Container Services Ltd) and the Port Administration Building (Mauritius Ports Authority wing only)	Not apply to – (a) a crew member of an incoming or a departing vessel (other than a seafarer); (b) a passenger and one other person accompanying the passenger; (c) a person under the age of 18
10.	Child care services establishment	Establishment providing child care services under the Child Protection Act	Not apply to children under the age of 18 who are admitted therein
11.	Police premises	Any building premises occupied by the Police Force	Not apply to – (a) a detainee; (b) a person under

			arrest;
			(c) a complainant or any person seeking police assistance;
			(d) a person under the age of 18;
			(e) any other person directed by a Court of law or member of the Police Force to report thereat
12.	Fire and Rescue premises	Any building premises occupied by the Mauritius Fire and	Not apply to – (a) a person under
		Rescue Service	the age of 18; (b) a complainant or any person seeking assistance
13.	Lodging accommodation (commonly known as dormitory)	Any lodging accommodation holding a lodging accommodation permit under the Occupational and Safety and Health (Employees' Lodging Accommodation) Regulations 2011	No person exempted
14.	Beautician/Aesthetician/ Bridal make-up artist/ Beauty care centre/Hair dressing saloon	Business premises listed as classified trades in the Twelfth Schedule to the Local	Not apply to a person under the age of 18

		Government Act	
15.	Cinema hall/Multiplex/ Theatre and concert halls	1	Not apply to a person under the age of 18

16.	Restaurant/Snacks/ Pub/Bar/Table d'Hôte	(a)	business premises listed as classified trades in the Twelfth Schedule to the Local Government Act; or licensed under the Tourism Authority Act or the Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Tourism) Regulations 2001	Not apply to a person under the age of 18, where applicable
17.	Private club (not including nightclub)	(a)	business premises listed as classified trades in the Twelfth Schedule to the Local Government Act; or licensed under the Tourism Authority Act or the Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Tourism) Regulations 2001	Not apply to a person under the age of 18, if applicable
18.	Hotel/Guest house	(a)	business premises listed	Not apply to a person under the age of 18,

		(b)	as classified trades in the Twelfth Schedule to the Local Government Act; or licensed under the Tourism Authority Act or the Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Tourism) Regulations 2001	where applicable
19.	Health club/Sports centre, Sports complex and/or Wellness centre (including gym and spa)	(a)	business premises listed as classified trades in the Twelfth Schedule to the Local Government Act; or	
		(b)	falling under the aegis of the Ministry of Youth Empowerment, Sports and Recreation, or falling under the aegis of a local authority, or falling under the aegis of the Rodrigues Regional Assembly	

20.	Casino/Gaming house	Business premises licensed under the Gambling Regulatory Authority	No person exempted
21.	Multi-purpose hall, including wedding hall/ Funeral parlour (undertaker)	listed as classified	Staff only not exempted
22.	Tourist residences and Domaines	Licensed under the Tourism Authority Act or the Rodrigues Regional Assembly (Tourism) Regulations 2001	,

SIXTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 13(1)(a)(i)]

VACCINATION CARD



Republic of Mauritius Ministry of Health and Wellness COVID-19 VACCINATION RECORD CARD

Place of immunisation.	Serial no
Surname	
Name	Mr/Mrs/Miss
National Identity Card no. /Passp	ort no.**
Sex M F Date of birth	Ageyrs
/	
<u>Address</u>	<u>Tel No.</u>
	Home:
	Mob (5):
<u>Occupation</u>	Next to kin:
	Mob (5):
<u>ALLERGIES</u>	
Food Specify	
Medications Specify	
Others Specify	

VACCINE	First Dose	Second Dose	Remarks
Name of Vaccine			
Batch Num:			
DATE	/20	/20	
DOSAGE	ML		
SITE OF INJECTION			
TIME OF INJECTION			
NEXT DOSE SCHEDULED DATE	/20	/20	
MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER/SIGNATURE			
ADVERSE EVENT FOLLOWING IMMUNISATION			
Seal of Ministry of Health and Wellness			

Please keep record card which includes medical information about the vaccine you have received

PRECAUTIONS TO PREVENT SPREAD OF COVID-19

- 1) Wearing of Face Mask properly
- 2) Maintain safe distance (1 meter)
- 3) Use of Hand Sanitizers
- 4) Do not touch your eyes, nose or mouth
- Cover nose and mouth with bent of elbow when coughing or sneezing
- 6) Stay at home if feeling unwell
- 7) If you have fever, cough and difficulty to breath seek medical attention

Vaccination Centres

LA CAVERNE HPU - 6975120

IVC - 2108583

L'ESCALIER HPU - 6368310

St. Pierre -4330352

ATCHIA BUILDING HPU -

SSRNH - 243 8430

2130037

Belvedere -

SSRNH NCD QUARTERS -

4182390

2459268

Rose Belle

FLACQ HEALTH CLUB- 4137221

6270370 Rose-Hill -4642002

CDCU - 2012739 **HPU HEADQUARTERS - 2149176, 2012179**

Please contact HOTLINE 8924 in case of queries (24/7) Ministry of Health and Wellness 8th Floor, Emmanuel Anquetil Building, Port-Louis,

> Mauritius Tel: 201 1929 Fax: 212 3770

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SEVENTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 13(1)(b)(i)]

RESULT SLIP OF RT-PCR TEST (SARS-COv2)

Name of laboratory						
Address of laboratory						
Name(s)	and	Surname		of	person	tested
						•
Gender N	/lale/Female*					
National Identif	ty Card No./Pa	assport No				
Address						
Telephone no.			Mobile	e No		
Occupation						
Swab performe	ed by					
Date swab perf	ormed		Ti	me		
Type of swab*	* Nasoph	arynx		(Oropharynx	
Result**	Detected	d [Not det	ected	
This result slip					(date/mo	onth/year) to
Scienti	logist/Microbi st/Pathologist ratory Techno	/Medical	al		Signature	
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EIGHTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 15]

PART I

- **1.** Health club/sports centre, sports complex and/or wellness centre (including gym and spa) provided that
 - (a) only one person is allowed in an area of 4 square metres;
 - (b) the maximum to be allowed thereat is affixed at the entrance;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- 2. Social hall/village hall/Municipal hall/community centre/social welfare centre/youth centre/Citizens Advice Bureau, for persons aged not less than 18 years, strictly on allocated days as indicated hereunder and provided that not more than 50 persons at a time –

Surname starting from –

A-F (Monday and Thursday)

G-N (Tuesday and Friday)

O-Z (Wednesday and Sunday)

- 3. Place of worship, provided that
 - (a) not more than 100 persons are in attendance at a time;
 - (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- **4.** Restaurants/food courts/fast foods/snacks/table d'hôte/bar/pub, provided that
 - (a) a distance of at least 2 metres is maintained between every 2 tables; and

- (b) there is adequate ventilation
- 5. Casino and gaming house, provided that
 - (a) the maximum to be allowed thereat is affixed at the entrance;
 - (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- **6.** Cinema hall, concert hall and theatre, provided that
 - (a) the maximum to be allowed thereat is affixed at the entrance, the maximum number being not more than half of its maximum seating capacity;
 - (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- 7. Private club (not including nightclub), provided it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- **8.** Markets, subject to the control of entry and exit of persons to avoid crowding

PART II

- 1. Religious event/ceremony, provided that
 - (a) not more than 100 persons are in attendance at a time;
 - (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- **2.** Weddings/funerals, provided that
 - (a) not more than 100 persons are in attendance at a time;

- (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
- (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- 3. Cultural/social event or any other gathering, provided that
 - (a) not more than 100 persons are in attendance at a time;
 - (b) physical distancing of at least one metre is observed by every person thereat;
 - (c) it is, as far as possible, ventilated
- 4. Horse racing (in camera)

PART III

Public beach/sea, provided that picnics will be authorised up to a maximum of 30 persons per group

PART IV

Nightclub		

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