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Ministry of Federal Education & Professional Training

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Islamabad the 21st January, 2025

Subject: ADVISORY ON PRECAUTIONS AGAINST THE SPREAD OF HUMAN METAPNEUMOVIRUS (HMPV)

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of Ministry of Interior Letter No. 4/152024-Visa Dated 13th January 2025 on the subject cited above which is self-explanatory for information and strict compliance.

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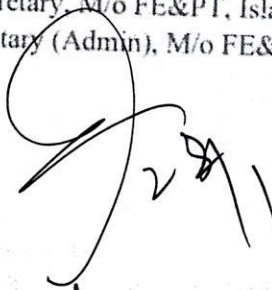
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Islamabad, the, 13th January 2025

From: Shireen Hina
Deputy Secretary (Visa)

To:
Director General,
FIA HQ,
Islamabad.

Subject: ADVISORY ON PRECAUTIONS AGAINST THE SPREAD OF HUMAN METAPNEUMOVIRUS (HMPV)

In view of the global spread of Human Metapneumovirus (HMPV) and its potential risks, particularly through international travel, it is imperative to implement precautionary measures. HMPV, belonging to the Paramyxoviridae family, primarily causes respiratory illnesses and poses a higher risk to vulnerable populations.

2. In this regard, the following preventive actions are proposed for strict implementation across all public and workplace settings:

- Encourage the use of masks and social distancing.
- Promote regular hand hygiene through handwashing and the use of sanitizers.
- Conduct awareness campaigns to educate the public on symptoms and the importance of seeking timely medical attention.
- Ensure the regular cleaning and disinfection of frequently touched surfaces.
- Advocate for telehealth services to minimize unnecessary physical interactions in healthcare facilities.

3. You are requested to take necessary action to disseminate these measures to concerned stakeholders for immediate implementation.

4. This issues with the approval of Secretary Interior.

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(SHIREEN HINA)
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