

Dear friends and colleagues,

We hope you are keeping well. Please find below highlight of today's updates.

1. Phuket Hotels Association member has attended a meeting with Public Health and Phuket Governor. They were introducing the Alternative State and Local Quarantine (ASQ and ALQ) which they are planning to have it in the provinces that have international airport and will be in place after the Emergency Decree is lifted by end of July.

If you are interested in operating this ASQ or ALQ you will have co-working with private hospitals and they will be health and safety regulations that you have to compliant with. Below please see the link initial information(only available in Thai language)

https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1cE3OwKff_HkS1JH9U_fuuE0OEKWkMks

We will provide you with more information once the Phuket Governor have finalise this.

2. Steps for Thai nationals or foreigners who would like to apply for entrance to Thailand

Any persons who would like to enter Thailand under the emergency decree (eleven groups) are required to follow the guidelines below and prepare information with required documents in order to get the Certificate of Entry (COE). [Click here](#) to download infographic.

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7 STEPS



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- 01 Kindly contact the Royal Thai embassy/consulate-general in your country** to book one of the repatriation flights that are available.
- 02 Foreigners are require to book the Alternative State Quarantine (ASQ)** and to provide a fit to fly certificate from a healthcare institution. Regarding the **COVID-19-free certificate**, it is required to be done not more than 72 hours before departure. In addition, **health insurance** must cover treatment costs of COVID-19 and other diseases for the amount of **100,000 USD**. As for Thai nationals, they must provide **the fit to fly certificate**.
- 03 Submit all the required documents**, inform the Thai embassy, and reserve the seat on a flight.
- 04 Continue to stay safe with full awareness** and practice protection for yourself and others while waiting for departure. For example, regularly wash hands and keep physical distancing.
- When they arrive, **foreigners who booked the ASQ will be separately processed under the screening operation** from Thai authorities, checking in with the ASQ system, and traveling with ASQ transportation.
- 06 Stay in quarantine calmly and safely** for three days; then get the first round of COVID-19 test (on day 3-5). If results are negative, the quarantine will continue for another eight days, and then the second test will be given (on day 11-13) to confirm the end of the SAR-CoV-2 incubation period.
- 07 Travelers will be allowed to travel and stay in Thailand.** However, the residence information must be provided and the application for tracking (the Thai Chana platform) must be downloaded, which will be beneficial for public health tracing and Thai medical officials. **During their stay in Thailand**, travelers must strictly follow all of the guidelines and instructions to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

Source: Office of International Cooperation, DDC MOPH

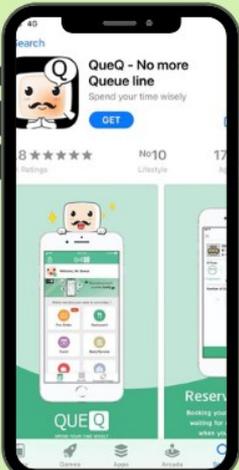
3. The DNP recommends that tourists pre-register their visit through the mobile application QueQ, which can be downloaded from Play Store or App Store. The pre-registration can be done 15 days in advance. The system will allow park officials to limit the number of visitors in each park. Tourists are advised to arrive at the park ahead of their registered schedule to undergo screening and check-in using the government's Thai Chana app. They are also required to observe social distancing rules and wear a mask at all times. Those who want to reserve accommodation in the parks are also required to book their stay via the Application QueQ. [Click here](#) to download infographic.

Source: The Tourism Authority of Thailand, <https://www.tatnews.org/2020/07/tourists-to-pre-register-for-visiting-national-parks-in-thailand/>

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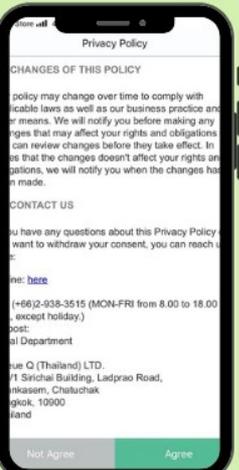
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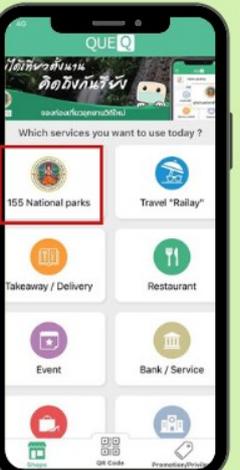
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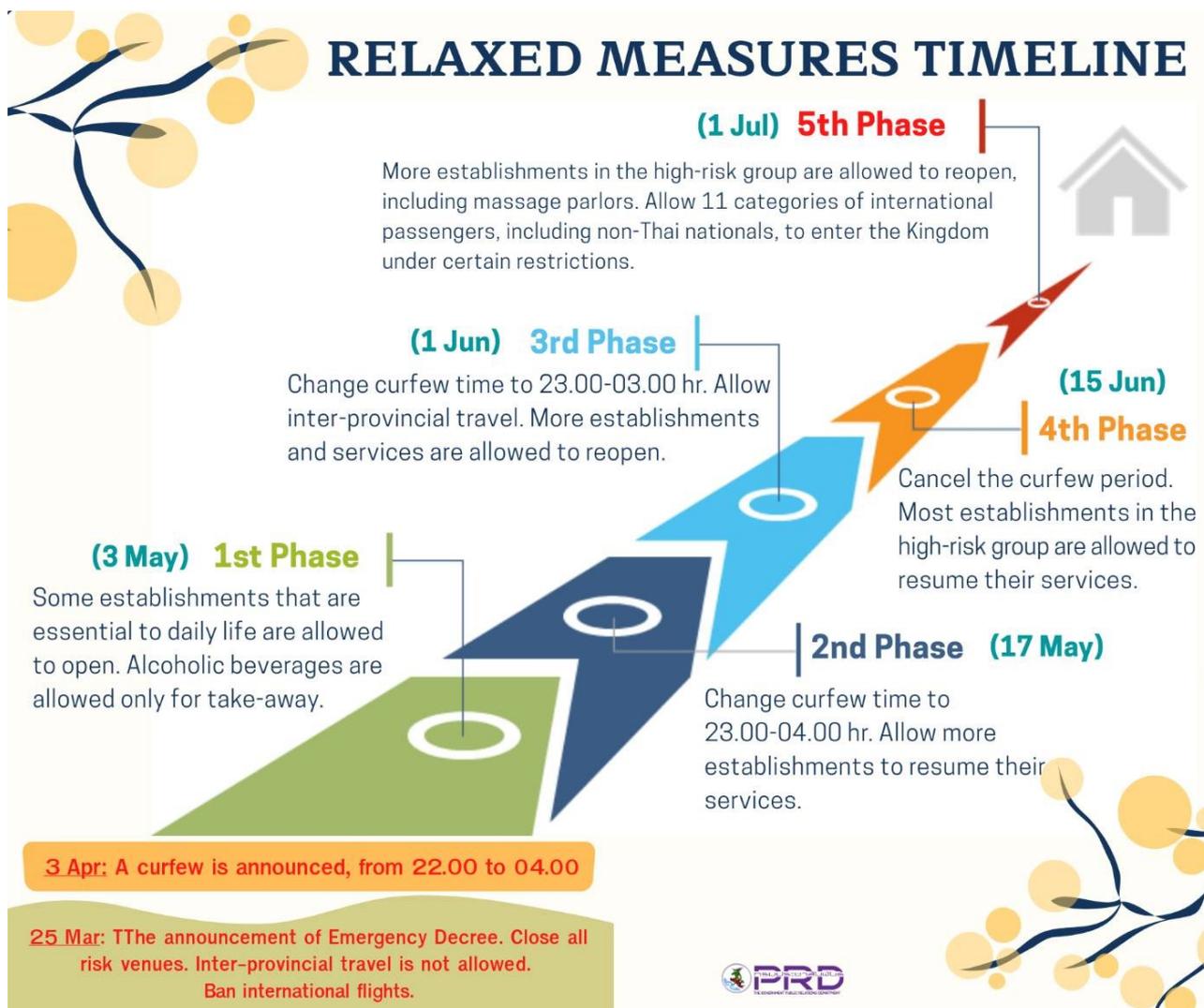


Let's Start!



4. Useful articles for Hotelier:
 - a. [Level up strategies to slow cash burn](#)
 - b. [Hospitality industry must take action on inclusion](#)
 - c. [In industry crunch, cash is king](#)
 - d. [Leadership, recovery – and spa: HOTELS top 5 stories for June](#)
 - e. [A Little-known Tax Strategy Could Increase Revenue For Hoteliers](#)
 - f. [The Five Changes Expected in the Hotel Industry](#)

5. A summary timeline of relaxed the relaxed measures that have been deployed in Thailand by Thai Government COVID-19 center. [Click here](#) to download infographic



We wish you a great weekend and stay safe.

Best regards,
Anthony and Phuket Hotels Association Team

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