

EMBASSY ADVISORY

Enhanced Community Quarantine over the entire Luzon and National Capital Region

- 1. The Philippine Embassy in Singapore wishes to highlight the following points of the Enhanced Community Quarantine over the entire Luzon and National Capital Region effective 17 March 2020.
- 2. All flights in and out of Luzon including the National Capital Region will be suspended, effective after 19 March 2020, 23:59 H.

Flights in and out of Luzon and NCR proceed as normal until 19 March 2020, 23:59 H

Persons, regardless of nationality, intending to depart the Philippines from any international airport in Luzon, are allowed to travel until 19 March 2020, 23:59 H.

The Embassy advises:

- All Filipino tourists currently in Singapore to return to the Philippines by 19 March 23:59 H.
- Filipinos residing or working in Singapore to defer non-essential travel to the Philippines, as returning to Singapore will require pre-clearance from the Ministry of Health or Ministry of Manpower (which may take up to one month) and the uncertainty of getting a return flight to Singapore during the suspension period.

On community quarantine in the Philippines:

A 14-day quarantine may be imposed by the municipal or barangay government of where the returning Filipino will stay. The Embassy has no information on the specific quarantine guidelines by local government units in the Philippines.

The items of this advisory are as of 17 March 2020 and are subject to change based on developments and further clarifications from the Philippines. The Embassy shall update this advisory accordingly.