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### **QUARANTINE REQUIREMENTS FOR 21 RESIDENTS AND ESSENTIAL WORKERS ABOARD PSS H. I. REMELIIK II**

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The Ministry of Health (MOH) would like to inform the public that 21 residents and essential workers who arrived in Palau on PSS H. I. Remeliik II (Patrol Boat) have been placed under the following quarantine and testing orders:

- All travelers were tested for COVID-19 upon arrival, and all their results were negative. They will be tested again on days 14 and 21.
- All travelers are currently under mandatory quarantine aboard Remeliik II (quarantine site) for a duration of 14 days.

MOH would like to remind everyone to observe these requirements and to keep away from all quarantine sites, including the Remeliik II. While we have yet to identify a confirmed COVID-19 case in Palau, MOH continues to urge the public to practice preventive measures. These measures not only prevent COVID-19 but also other infectious diseases.

MOH continues to thank the public for its continued support to all COVID-19 response activities.

If you have any questions regarding quarantine and testing, please contact Mr. Gaafar Uherbelau, MOC EOC Deputy Incident Commander, at 775-1310.