## **GUIDELINES FOR INTERNATIONAL ARRIVAL INTO INDIA**

This is to inform all travellers intending to visit India that Government of India (GOI) has in view of the reporting of a new variant of SARS-CoV-2 (B.1.1.529; named Omicron) which has been now classified as Variant of Concern by the World Health Organization, announced new guidelines regarding international arrivals effective from 11 January 2022 until further orders.

- 2. The following may please be noted.
- The guidelines are likely to be revised periodically and one may refer kindly to the
  website of Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, GOI (<a href="www.mohfw.gov.in">www.mohfw.gov.in</a>) prior to
  travel, for latest updates.
- In addition to the guidelines issued by Govt of India, travellers are also advised to refer to guidelines issued by the respective State Government, which would also be applicable, depending on the destination State of travel in India.
- The new guidelines issued by India's Ministry of Health and Family Welfare may be referred at <a href="https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/RevisedGuidelinesforInternationalArrivalsdated7t">https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/RevisedGuidelinesforInternationalArrivalsdated7t</a> <a href="https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/RevisedGuidelinesforInternationalArrivalsdated7t">https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/RevisedGuidelinesforInternationalArrivalsdated7t</a>
- List of countries referred in the guidelines are at <a href="https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/ListofCountriestobereferredtoincontextofGuidelinesforinternationalarrivalsdated7thJanuary2022.pdf">https://www.mohfw.gov.in/pdf/ListofCountriestobereferredtoincontextofGuidelinesforinternationalarrivalsdated7thJanuary2022.pdf</a>

Algorithm of the new guidelines is placed below for easy reference.

