



# Republic of South Sudan (RSS)

The First Vice President

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## Communication from The Presidency


No. Twenty-Five (25)

### The High-Level Taskforce on COVID-19 Pandemic

Monday, 13<sup>th</sup> April 2020

Juba, South Sudan

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The High-Level Taskforce on COVID-19 Pandemic held its 23<sup>rd</sup> Meeting on the afternoon of Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2020 under the Chairmanship of **H. E. Dr Riek Machar Teny-Dhurgon**, the First Vice President and Deputy Chairman of the High-Level Taskforce on COVID-19 Pandemic.

The High-Level Taskforce listened to a briefing from **H. E. the First Vice President and the Deputy Chairman of the High-Level Taskforce** on the meeting of the Presidency on COVID-19 convened on Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020.

The High-Level Taskforce was also briefed on the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Situation in South Sudan, the



Region and the Globe by the **Honourable Minister for Health**.

**The Honourable Minister** informed the **Taskforce** that all 18 samples tested on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2020 returned negative. Twenty-six (26) more tests are running today and the results will be made public as appropriate.

### **On the Meeting of the Presidency;**

**The Presidency** approved the recommendations of the **High-Level Taskforce** contained in **Communication from the Presidency No. Sixteen (16)** issued on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2020 as follows:

- 1- **Suspension** of all **Passenger Internal Flights** from Juba to the states, from states to Juba, and from state to state.
- 2- **Suspension** of **Passenger Public Transport System**, both private and public, to and from Juba; and from state to state.

**The Presidency** reaffirms the exemptions decided previously by the High-Level Taskforce.

**The High-Level Taskforce** shall decide any new exemptions on case by case basis.

**The Presidency** directs that this order shall come into force on the midnight of Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> through midnight of Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2020

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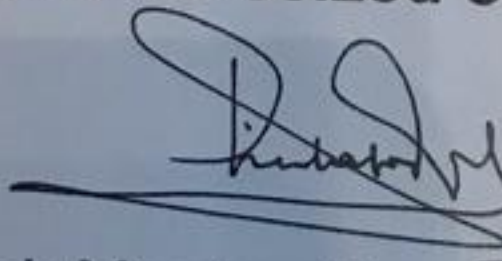


**On Requests for Special Permission to enter or leave the country,**

**The High-Level Taskforce resolves to:**

- 1-Grant** Special Landing Permission to UNMISS Aircraft DASH-8-402 for cargo transportation flight from Juba to Nairobi and to Juba on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2020. There shall be four (4) security personnel in addition to five crew members onboard.
- 2-Grant** Special Permission UNMISS to land at Juba International Airport, Aircraft L-410 with Registration No. LZ-CCT for MEDEVAC operation from Juba to Entebbe on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2020.

**The High-Level Taskforce on Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic remains seized of the situation.**

  
13/4/2020

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