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Entry in Romania as of June 15th - FOLLOW UP

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen,

The state of alert (*starea de alerta*) ends in Romania on June 16th. The Government expects the state of alert to be extended, but there is no unanimity in the Romanian Parliament, so far.

However, the National Committee for Emergency Situations (*CNSSU*) has decided that as of June 15th, 2020, the quarantine and self-isolation obligation for asymptomatic incoming travelers from certain countries will be abolished under specific circumstances. "Exempted Countries" are currently Austria, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Cyprus, Croatia, Switzerland, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Malta, Norway, Slovakia, Slovenia and Hungary.

Incoming travelers from an Exempted Country are only excepted from the obligation to self-isolate if they

- have stayed in the Exempted Country at least 14 days before entry to Romania, or
- have previously left Romania, traveled to an Exempted Country and stayed there for less than 14 days, or
- have stayed in several Exempted Countries for at least 14 days before entering Romania.

All other travelers (regardless of the country of departure) are still obliged to self-isolate at the specified place of residence or accommodation after entering Romania.

A general exemption from self-isolation applies to people who enter Romania to perform medical activities.

The list of exempted countries is updated weekly (every Monday until 4:00 p.m.) based on the disease data, and published on the homepage of the National Institute for Public Health, more details can be found here. <http://www.cnsrbt.ro/index.php/liste-zone-afectate-covid-19/1798-lista-zonelor-afectate-valabila-de-la-15-06-2020/file>.

Air traffic to and from the Exempted Countries is now also to be resumed. An express order regarding the specific security measures that will have to be observed should follow shortly.

We will be happy to answer any questions you may have pertaining to this subject.

Sincerely,

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