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TO : ALL LICENSED MANNING AGENCIES, DOMESTIC SHIPPING COMPANIES, SEAFARERS AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : ROLL-OUT OF 30K MODERNA VACCINES

Following its receipt of Thirty Thousand (30,000) doses of Moderna COVID19 vaccines, the Maritime Industry Authority (MARINA) will undertake a nationwide roll-out of the aforementioned vaccines to all seafarers who are scheduled for deployment within the next ninety (90) days. To facilitate the orderly deployment of these vaccines, the following guidelines shall be adopted:

1. Due to limited allocations, it shall be the responsibility of Licensed Manning Agencies and Domestic Shipping Companies to register their seafarers by filling out the attached excel file which contains several sheets corresponding specific locations with additional instructions.
2. Register your manning agency and upload the Excel file thru this link <https://forms.gle/6hNaZqbs14eVv7fq7>. Each LMA/Domestic Shipping Company must only have one (1) file to be uploaded.
3. Deadline of submission is on Tuesday, 27 July 2021 at 1200hrs. The MARINA Technical Working Group for the COVID19 Vaccination of Seafarers will evaluate the volume of submissions and will reply with the final confirmed list, date and time slot by the end of day. Please do not send seafarers at the site if they are not confirmed.
4. Seafarers who have received any kind of vaccination (Polio, Hepa etc.) within the last 14 days will not be allowed for Covid-19 vaccination.
5. On the day of vaccination, please remind your seafarers to:
 - a. Arrive at the venue at least 15 minutes before his time slot. Do not arrive too early nor too late to avoid congestion at the site.
 - b. Bring the following to avoid any delays:
 - i. Seaman's book or Seafarer's ID. Photocopy is acceptable.

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- ii. Printed registration form with QR code (Applicable only to all AMOSUP locations and Bataan)
 - c. Wear facemask and face shield and observe physical distancing at all times.
 - d. Take maintenance medications, if any, before going to the site.
 - e. Get enough sleep day before the scheduled vaccination.
6. The date for the 2nd Dose is scheduled after 28 days. Exact schedule will be indicated in the vaccination card, and time slot will be the same as the 1st dose.

For the guidance of all concerned.


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