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## TRAVEL ADVISORY TO THE GAMBIA

The Embassy wishes to inform individuals desirous to travel to the Republic of The Gambia that a Press Release issued on 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021 by the Ministry of Health updated the entry requirements to The Gambia with effect from 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021.

1. All **fully vaccinated travellers do not require a PCR Test** to travel to The Gambia and **would not be subjected to a Rapid Diagnostic Test** for Covid-19 upon arrival unless they show signs and or symptoms similar to Covid-19.
2. All **partially or non-vaccinated travellers** to The Gambia **must be in possession of a negative PCR Covid-19 test result not older than 72 hours before arrival** and would be subjected to a Rapid Diagnostic Test for Covid-19 upon arrival.
3. All **travellers from countries considered as hotspot countries of the delta variant would be subjected to a Rapid Diagnostic Test for Covid-19 upon arrival** in The Gambia, **regardless of their vaccination status.**
4. The updated **hotspot countries of the delta variant** identified by the Ministry of Health are:

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|-----------------|---------------------|---------------|
| 1. Belgium      | 9. Sweden           | 17. Germany   |
| 2. Denmark      | 10. Switzerland     | 18. Portugal  |
| 3. France       | 11. The Netherlands | 19. Canada    |
| 4. India        | 12. Turkey          | 20. Ireland   |
| 5. Italy        | 13. United Kingdom  | 21. Australia |
| 6. Japan        | 14. USA             | 22. Mexico    |
| 7. South Africa | 15. Slovenia        |               |
| 8. Spain        | 16. Finland         |               |

All travellers to The Gambia are strongly encouraged to remain vigilant and committed to the fight against the coronavirus disease.

**Please note that the above conditions can change rapidly at any time.**

***The above information was culled from the Press Release issued by the Ministry of Health and dated 29<sup>th</sup> September 2021.***