

MINISTER OF MANPOWER
REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

April 8, 2020

- To:
1. Head of provincial service offices organizing government affairs in the field of manpower;
 2. Head of regency/city service offices organizing government affairs in the field of manpower;
 3. Foreign Manpower Employers, throughout Indonesia.

CIRCULAR LETTER
MINISTER OF MANPOWER OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA
NUMBER M/4/HK.04/IV/2020

REGARDING
SERVICES ON THE UTILIZATION OF FOREIGN MANPOWER IN THE EFFORT TO
PREVENT THE ENTRY OF THE CORONA VIRUS (COVID-19)

Following the expiration of Minister of Manpower Circular Letter Number M/1/HK.04/II/2020 regarding Services on the Utilization of Foreign Manpower from the People's Republic of China in Order to Prevent the Pandemic caused by the Corona Virus and the issuance of the Minister of Law and Human Rights Regulation Number 11 of 2020 regarding Temporary Restriction on the Entry of Foreigners to the Territory of Indonesia, we hereby convey the following information:

1. Temporary suspension of Foreign Manpower utilization licensing service process for new applications.
2. Temporary suspension as referred to in number 1 does not apply to Foreign Manpower utilization application for:
 - a. foreigners who will work on national strategic projects in accordance with the provisions of laws and regulations; and
 - b. holders of stay permit who are still within the territory of Indonesia.
3. Foreign Manpower who have been employed for short and long period of time and are still within the territory of Indonesia, but cannot return to their country of origin due to the existence of entry restriction policy for every person from outside that country, may be extended based on an application from the Employer.
4. This Circular Letter shall be effective on the stipulation date until the Corona Virus (Covid-19) pandemic is declared to be over by the authorized institution.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

SSEK Translation
April 17, 2020

Minister of Manpower
Republic of Indonesia,

(Signed and Stamped)

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Attention:

1. President of the Republic of Indonesia;
2. Minister of Foreign Affairs;
3. Minister of Law and Human Rights;
4. Governors; and
5. Regents/Mayors.