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Travel Exemption Guidance for Maui County

Effective Tuesday, Aug. 11, all travelers arriving to a Maui County port must follow the State's mandatory 14-day quarantine.

The quarantine includes travel between Maui to Hawaii Island or Kauai, as well as travel to and from Molokai and Lanai.

The County of Maui is in the process of posting transportation-related information and resources on its website at www.MauiCounty.gov.

All travelers will be required to visit the County's website to fill out the County of Maui Mandatory Travel Declaration Form. Government personnel will also be available at airports and harbors to assist travelers with completing the forms.

"Our County departments and staff have worked very hard throughout the weekend to prepare for Tuesday's reinstatement of the interisland travel quarantine," Mayor Michael Victorino said. "I want to thank all of them as they continue to finalize documents and protocols in partnership with the Governor's Office and other Counties. Once again, I ask everyone in Maui County and across our state to avoid non-essential travel at this time."

Travelers may seek an essential work or medical exemption for their trip to Maui County by emailing their request to TravelExemption@mauicounty.gov. Travelers are encouraged to submit travel exemption requests as far in advance of their trips as possible.

Travelers seeking an exemption will need to attach to the email:

- Copy of a government identification for each traveler.
- **Medical Exemption** – Letter from treating physician stating the appointment date(s) and if a companion is needed for travel.
- **Essential Work Exemption** – Letter from employer describing the essential work that will be conducted in Maui County as well as the travel dates.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Travel exemptions only allow travelers to conduct their essential function as well as travel to and from their essential

functions. **For example, a worker would only be allowed to leave their place of lodging for essential work purposes.**

Examples of requests that do not qualify for a travel exemption:

- Trips to see family and/or friends
- Pre-travel COVID-19 negative test
- Travel identified as personal errands, such as renovation of a property.

For more information on COVID-19 in Maui County, visit www.MauiCounty.gov.

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