No.21023/06/2020-PP Government of India Ministry of Home Affairs [Police Division-II] ****

North Block, New Delhi, 110001 Dated, the 17th February, 2023.

То

The Director General of Police of Govt of Karnataka The Director General of Police of Govt of Kerala The Director General of BSF

Subject:-: UNMISS- Deployment of Individual Police officer to South Sudan –regarding Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 03.08.2022 and copy of facsimile No. IND-UNMISS-52908 dtd 07.02.2023 and subsequent travel authorization email dtd 08.02.2023 (**copy enclosed**) received from United Nations Police Division on the above mentioned subject and to inform that UN Police Division through Permanent Mission of India to United Nations has conveyed deployment authorization of Shri Hadya Shankarappa Jagadeesha (SAAT rank 36):, Dy SP, Karnataka, Shri Suresh Singh Karki, DC, BSF (SAAT rank 38) and Shri Arun Raj Vilasini Nagappan Nair, Dy SP/ACP, Kerala (SAAT rank 37) as Individual Police Officers (IPOs) tentatively on 15.03.2023 to the UNMISS.

2. While deploying police personnel, United Nations Police Division has requested to adhere to UN guidelines on CoVID-19 and quarantine. UNPD has also requested that the incoming police officers must have required quantity of Personnel protective equipment and CoVID-19 vaccination Certificate and Covid-19 free certificate with the validity of 72 hours prior to travel from India to Mission area. Regional Service Centre, UN, Entebbe, Uganda will be sending their tickets and other documents.

3. Therefore, it is requested to convey the availability of above mentioned officers for deployment and relive them with the direction to report to the National UNCIVPOL Center, ITBP, New Delhi on or before 10th March, 2022 to complete the travel formalities on time and ensure smooth deployment to mission UNMISS(South Sudan).

4. The officers may please be informed that they should do online E-protect course before joining mission. The course is mandatory and the medical unit will also be looking for the Ebola E-protect course.

5. The concerned officer may be requested to note the following points and to go through the attached documents carefully which contain various instructions/guidelines, provision of COVID-19 PPE according to activities to be undertaken by the officers. The officers may also be advised to go through the facsimile received from UN Police division carefully (**copies enclosed**):

i. CASH: They must bring sufficient cash (USD) to sustain two (2) weeks during the induction in a regional Centre or the Mission Area (at least \$100 per day). Officer's can't expect to receive MSA on the day of arrival and need to be able to pay for food and hotel. The MSA payments, including the final one are hindered with the lack of required national banking details of the UN Police officers back home. During the check-in, UN

Police officer must provide the details of bank accounts in their own country i.e. Account Name, Account Number, Account Type (checking or saving), Bank Name, SWIFT code, IBAN number (if available) bank address, including city and country.

- **ii. Travel Arrangements** have been requested and are subject to travel authorization and ticketing process by the field mission, and flight availability. The travel unit in Entebbe will issue e-tickets, as well as other documentation for the group and will communicate in due course.
- iii. VISA: Officers must carry valid visa.
- iv. Vaccination Certificate Yellow Fever vaccination and malaria vaccination are mandatory and proof of immunisation must be produced at entry for all travellers.
- **v.** Malaria: Malaria Prophylaxis is required. Please see the Guidelines for UN Police Officers on assignment with peace keeping operations and the Travel Advisory which is attached to the travel authorisation.
- vi. Fragmentation VEST & HELMET:- With reference to the guidelines for UN police officers on assignment with peace keeping operations and to the equipment list for police officers (list attached), each Police officer must bring a fragmentation vest and Kevlar helmet for his/her personal protection. Failure to meet this requirement may result in the denial of the deployment.
- vii. In-Mission test in Language & Driving Police Officers are subject to in-mission assessment in driving skills. Police officers must have at least two years recent driving experience, and must be in possession of valid national or international civilian driving licenses. Police officers must present their valid national driving licences upon arrival in the mission area., The license should be valid during their service.
- viii. Online Courses : Please be advised that the following online courses are mandatory for newcomer(s), and certificate will be needed for the check-in formalities upon their arrival. Certificates must be printed upon completion of courses, if a printer is not available, all staff may be able to log-on at one of the Mission computers to print the certificates upon arrival (Links given below):
 - Basis and Advance Security : <u>https://training.dss.un.org/course/detail/19948</u> (English)
 - Ethics & Integrity : <u>http://portals.unssc.org/enrol/index.php?id=13</u>
 - Prevention of Sexual Harassment, and Abuse of Authority in the workplace : <u>http://portals.unssc.org/enrol/index.php?id=80</u>
 - **ix.** The Check-In formalities :- In order to facilitate the Check-in process, all Police officers should bring the following documents and have them available upon arrival"-
 - National Passport (official)with at least two years validity period
 - Travel authorisation
 - Visa authorization letter where applicable
 - "To Whom it May Concern" letter
 - National driving licence with at least two years validity period
 - Home Banking account details (swift code, e-bank, address, account, etc)
 - COVID vaccination certificate (all doses) and vaccination free certificate (validity should not exceed 72 hours prior departure).
 - Certificate of required vaccinations and malaria prophylaxis when required
 - **x.** The original receipt certifying depositing of their personal passport with the issuing authority in case of any passport held earlier. They must carry out a hard copy of MOFA and the same passport which is indicated in Visa (MOFA), only in civilian clothes.

- **xi.** Relieving order/NOC issued by the **HOME DEPARTMENT** at the time of reporting at National UN CIVPOL Centre.
- xii. Original Official Passport.
- xiii. Recommended clothing & equipments and mandatory documents as per the list.
- **xiv.** In case any officer(s) fails to accept the offer for appointment, he/there will be debarred for 03 years for further deployment/detailment with any UN assignments /foreign courses.
- xv. Measures to prevent spread of CoVID-19:-
 - I. Police Personnel must be familiarised with standard precautions to reduce the risk of exposure to COVID-19, including hand hygiene, physical distancing and other basic procedures, as required and in line with the **enclosed guidance** on the "Use of PPE and Cloth Face Coverings for United Nations Personnel in Non-Healthcare Settings"
 - II. Police Personnel must be also equipped with necessary Personal Protection equipment (PPE) and cloth face covering, as elaborated in the afore-mentioned guidance enclosed. The Police Officers must be familiarised and equipped with the "Basic Readiness Standards for the Personal Protection of United Nations Police prior to deployment amidst CoVID-19"

6. The UN only pays subsistence allowance during the period of deployment within UN Mission area. The pay and allowances are to be paid by the lending authority. The officers may also be allowed to retain Government accommodation/telephone etc., if any held by them.

7. It must be ensured that the above police officers have rendered 08 years of police service including training period and are clear from vigilance angle. They have to compulsorily get the uniform and bear the cost of uniform from their personal saving. They are entitled to carry 100 Kg. total baggages, including hand/Cabin baggage.

8. It is, therefore, requested that the officer may be relieved to report to the Commandant, National UN CIVPOL Centre, 22nd Bn ITBP, Opposite Batra Hospital, New Delhi on/before **10.03.2023** to complete their travel formalities before departure to the mission area(UNMISS) on expected date of deployment (14.12.2022).

Yours faithfully,

Encl: As Above

(K Prakasham) Under Secretary (Pers Policy & Welfare) 23092527

Copy for information to :-

- 1. **The Commandant**, CIVPOL Centre, 22nd BN ITBP, Tigri, Madangir, New Delhi. It may please be ensured that all the police officers during their deployment in UNMISS will wear single pattern of uniform only and an undertaking to this effect may be obtained from all officers. The officer may please be briefed with standard precautions and measures to reduce the risk of exposure to COVID-19.
- 2. **Dir (UNP),** Ministry of External Affairs, Room No. 2029, A Wing, Jawaharlal Nehru Bhawan, New Delhi-11.
- 3. **SO (IT), MHA**, North Block- with the request to upload on MHA website.(UN SAAT 2022-2024/ Police-II Division)

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DEPARTMENT OF PEACE OPERATIONS



Nations Unies DÉPARTEMENT DES OPERATIONS DE PAIX

UN POLICE DIVISION SELECTION AND RECRUITMENT

Date: 0	Date: 07-Feb-2023			Ref: IND-UNMISS-52908		
To:	Permanent Mission of I	ent Mission of India		From:	Commissioner Fai	sal SHAHKAR
Attn:	to the United Nations Police/Military Adviser		F	Police Adviser and Police Division OROLSI/DPO United Nations Hea New York	Rulf	
Info:	o: UNMISS Police Chief of Staff UNMISS Recruitment Officer					
Info:	Police Chief of Personnel			UN Poli	ce Division, Selection	and Recruitment
				Section FAX: 1-197-367-2222		
1.This candida	Subject: UNMISS - Approval for deployment of IND-UNMISS-52908 UN Police Officers (UNPOL) 1. This is to confirm that after careful review of the nominations you provided, the following candidates have been selected for deployment to UNMISS. For planning purposes. the expected date of deployment is 15-Mar-2023:					
	Names Gender Index			Number	Vacancy	SGF
	HADYA SHANKARAPPA, Jagadeesha	М	1024	41935	Advisor	OPS
2 1	KARKI, Suresh Singh	М	1024	41930	Police Officer	CBD
- 2	NAGAPPAN NAIR VILASINI, Arun Raj	М	1024	41934	Advisor	OPS

2. Travel arrangements have been requested and are subject to travel authorization and ticketing process by the field mission, and flight availability.

3. As part of the deployment process the Permanent Mission of India is kindly requested to inform the selected officers about their responsibilities to facilitate a smooth deployment and to ensure that all required documents are provided at Check-In / arrival.

a). Pre-deployment training requirements: The following online courses are mandatory for all incoming Individual Police Officers. Printed certificates must be presented when checking-in to the mission. Registration requires use of the assigned index number shown above.

Courses Title	Updated Link				
BSAFE (Security in the Field)	https://training.dss.un.org/course/detail/19948 (English) https://training.dss.un.org/course/detail/19949 (French)				
Ethics and Integrity at the United Nations	http://portals.unssc.org/enrol/index.php?id=13				
Prevention of Sexual Harassment and Abuse by UN Personnel – Working Harmoniously	http://portals.unssc.org/enrol/index.php?id=80 (English) http://portals.unssc.org/enrol/index.php?id=81 (French)				
b). Check-in: In order to facilitate the Check-in process, all personnel should bring the following documents and have them available upon arrival: - a. National Passport with at least two years validity period					
b. Travel authorization					
c. Visa authorization letter where applicable					
d. "To Whom it May Concern" letter					
e. National driving license for automobiles with at least two years validity period					
f. Home banking account details (Swift code, e-b	pank, address, account, etc.)				
g. Certificate of required vaccinations and malari	ia prophylaxis when required				
c). Cash: Police Officers must bring sufficient cash (USD) to sustain up to two (2) weeks during the induction in a Regional Center or the Mission area (we suggest US\$100 per day). Officers can't expect to receive MSA on the day of arrival and need to be able to pay for food and hotel.					
d). Fragmentation vest and helmet: With reference to the guidelines for UN police officers on assignment with peace keeping operations and to the equipment list for police officers, we must stress that police officers have fragmentation vest and Kevlar helmet available.					
4. The Police Division wishes to remind the Permanent Mission that incoming police officers are subject to in-mission assessment in driving skills and Mission Language if they have not been cleared by a UN SAAT team. Please be advised that if any of them fails such assessments he/she will be repatriated at the expense of the national Government. Alternately, if he/she had successfully passed SAAT tests earlier, only his/her driving skills will be re-examined. The officers, who return to the mission area within the 24-month period after their departure from that mission, are considered as SAAT cleared.					
Best regards.					
Recruitment Officer UNMISS UN Police Division, Selection and Recruitment Section	Authorized by: Chief Selection and Recruitment Section, UN Police Division /OROLSI/DP				



REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation Directorate of Protocol & Public Relations

Ref: RSS/MFA&IC/J/3/DPPR/DPV/11/22/50

Date: 30th November, 2022

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Director General Directorate of Civil Registry, Nationality, Passports & Immigration Juba

Subject: Request for Entry Visa upon Arrival

Reference to the above mentioned subject, the Ministro of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation has the honor to forward to your esteemed office the enclosed Note from United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) with Reference No: UMISS/DMS/HRM.22.01/P/CL/22.0141, requesting entry visas for twenty one (21) UN Police Personnel, whom will arrive to Juba on between 1 Dec and 31, Mar 2023 (as per attached).

The Ministry is kindly requesting that the visa be issued upon arrival at Juba

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MAJ . GEN LILO AKUER HIMOON

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DIRECTOR OF MMIGRATION

Please accept our highest assurances and considerations.

Amb. Raphael Nhial Kulang Director of Passports and Visas For/ Undersecretary

UNITED NATIONS United Nations Mission in the South Sudan



NATIONS UNIES Mission des Nations Unies en Soudan du Sud

UNMISS

Ref: UNMISS/DMS/HRM.22.01/P/CL/22.0141

The United Nations Mission in South Sudan ("UNMISS") presents its compliments to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation ("MOFA") of the Republic of South Sudan.

UNMISS wishes to inform MOFA that individuals on the attached list are being deployed to UNMISS as UN Police Personnel and requests the Government to permit their entry into country in accordance with the provisions of the Status of Forces Agreement ("SOFA") between the United Nations and the Government of the Republic of South Sudan concerning the United Nations Mission in South Sudar dated 8 August 2011. Estimated Arrival Date: Between 1 Dec and 31 Mar 2023.

The United Nations Mission in South Sudan avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the Republic of South Sudan the assurances of its highest consideration.



The Undersecretary Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation Government of the Republic of South Sudan Juba, Republic of South Sudan





REQUEST FOR SINGLE ENTRY FOR 21 UNPOL

				Functional		Estimated Date of
Reft Reft	Date	Name	Country	Title	Category	Arrival
UNMISS/22/0141	11/29/2022					
-		PASI JUHA HAVUSELA	Finland	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
2		JANNE VEIKKO SALORANTA	Finland	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
3		MIKKO TAPANI PEKKANEN	Finland	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
4		ALPHONSE MATAMA	Rwanda	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
5		ROBERT NKUBIRI	Rwanda	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
9		WELLARS NKURANGA	Rwanda	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
7		RICHARD MANIRAGUHA	Rwanda	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
8		VENER DANLETSHIN	Russia	Police Advisor	-	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
6		VITALY VINGRADOV	Russia	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
10		KUBANYCHBEK AKMATOV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
		BERMET USENOVNA USENOVA	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
12		AIZADA SUINALIEVA	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
3		SHUMKAR ESENKULOV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
14		NURADIL RAIMBEKOV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
15		ALTYNBEK OROZBAEV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
16		NURLES OMURALIEV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
17		ULAN ASANOV	Kyrgyz	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
18		CHUN RAJ THAPA	Nepal	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
19		ARUN RAJ NAGAPPAN N. VILASINI	India	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
20		JAGADEESHA HADYA SHANKARAPPA	India	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
21		SURESH SINGH KARKI	India	Police Advisor UNPOL	UNPOL	01 Dec to 31 Mar 2023
TOTAL = 21						







UNITED NATIONS United Nations Mission in the Republic of South Sudan



NATIONS UNIES La Mission de Nations Unies dans La république du Soudan Sud

INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

То:	Ms. Hawa Traore	Date:	25 th November 2022
	OIC Chief Human Resources Officer	Reference:	UNPOL/PER/286/2022
	Polite UNMISS		
From:	Binta JADAMA Setul Pain Ho		
	UNPOL PERSONNEL OFFICER MHQ		

Subject: Request for Government of The Republic of South Sudan (GRSS) for Travel Clearance.

- The purpose of this correspondence is to request your assistance in arranging the Initial GRSS travel clearance for personnel whose passports information are detailed in Table 1 - Annex (attached).
- The UNPOL personnel listed in this request is to be deployed to UNMISS to replace UNPOL personnel who have reached their 'End of Mission'. It may be noted that this is new personnel and requiring initial entry visa approval. These Twenty-one (21) UNPOL officers are expected to arrive in Juba between the dates <u>1st December 2022 and 31st December 2022.</u>
- 3. The request for GRSS Initial Entry Travel Clearance will facilitate the initial deployment of the UNPOL Personnel to South Sudan as members of the UNPOL of UNMISS.
- 4. In attachment, please receive copies of approval for rotation of **Twenty-One (21)** UNPOL Officers given by Ministry of Defense and Veterans Affairs, reference numbers:
- 5. SSPDF/JVMM/SA/910/24/11/2022, dated 24th November 2022.
- 6. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

CC:

UNPOL Chief Human Resources Management Unit MHQ Personnel Unit Uniform Personnel Unit Immigration Unit

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ANNEX

LIST OF NEW ARRIVAL (21)

No	Name	Nationality	Functional Title	Passport No.	Date of Issue	Expiry Date
1.	PASI JUHA HAVUSELA	Finland	Police Advisor	FP5769712	12/5/2022	12/5/2027
2,	JANNE VEIKKO SALORANTA	Finland	Police Advisor	FP3590626	14/07/2022	14/07/2025
3.	M KKO TAPANI PEKKANEN	Finland	Police Advisor	FP2778592	20/03/2019	20/03/2024
4.	ALPHONSE MATAMA	Rwanda	Police Advisor	PS117017	25/05/2022	25/05/2027
5.	ROBERT NKUBIRI	Rwanda	Police Advisor	PS102362	29/10/2020	28/10/2025
6.	WELLARS NKURANGA	Rwanda	Police Advisor	PS123364	27/10/2022	27/10/2027
7.	RICHARD MANIRAGUHA	Rwanda	Police Advisor	PS 123363	27/10/2022	26/10/2027
8.	VENER DANLETSHIN	Russia	Police Advisor	220060584	05/05/2022	05/05/2027
9.	VITALY VINGRADOV	Russia	Police Advisor	220060174	18/04/2022	18/04/2027
10.	KUBANYCHBEK AKMATOV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC3012704	15/09/2017	15/09/2027
<u>,</u> 11.	BERMET USENOVNA USENOVA	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	PE0596879	26/04/2022	26/04/2032
Ĩ2,	AIZADA SUINALIEVA	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC2688727	14/03/2016	14/03/2026
13,	SHUMKAR ESENKULOV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC3132256	24/01/2018	24/01/2028
14.	NURADIL RAIMBEKOV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC3547825	17/01/2019	17/01/2029
15.	ALTYNBEK OROZBAEV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC2728958	30/05/201 <u>6</u>	30/05/2026
16.	NURLES OMURALIEV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC3895514	29/08/2019	29/ <u>08/202</u> 0
.17.	ULAN ASANOV	Kyrgyz Republic	Police Advisor	AC3387824	15/08/2018	15/08/2028
18.	CHUN RAJ THAPA	Nepal	Police Advisor	003101	13/03/2022	12/3/2032
19.	ARUN RAJ NAGAPPAN NAIR VILASINI	India	Police Advisor	01603792	15/09/2022	14/09/2024
20.	JAGADEESHA HADYA SHANKARAPPA	India	Police Advisor	01605631	7/11/2022	6/11/2024
21.	SURESH SINGH KARKI	India	Police Advisor	01651628	31/08/2022	28/02/2025

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REPUBLIC OF SOUTH SUDAN





MINISTRY OF DEFENCE AND VETERANS AFFAIRS JOINT BORDER VERIFICATION, MONITORING MECHANISM (JBVMM/JVMM) & PEACE KEEPING

-Office of the Chief—

Our Ref: SSPDF/JVMM/SA/910/24/11/2022

Date: November 24, 2022

To: UNPOL, UNMISS FHQ

Subject: APPROVAL FOR SAFETY ASSURANCE FOR ROTATION OF TWENTY-ONE (21) UNMISS UNPOL OFFICERS (INCOMING IPOS-03 FINLAND, 04 RWANDA, 02 RUSSIA, 08 KYRGYZ REPUBLIC, AND 03 INDIA) TO JOIN UNMISS IN SOUTH SUDAN.

With reference to letter No: UNPOL/PER/283/2022 15th November 2022, the approval for safety assurance for Twenty-One (21) UNMISS UNPOL Officers (Incoming Ipos-03 Finland, 04 Rwanda, 02 Russia, 08 Kyrgyz Republic, and 03 India) to Join UNMISS in South Sudan. The staff will be traveling with both personal and military equipment including protective equipment. The office of the chief for Military personnel officers intends to rotate incoming and outgoing UNMISS Military Personnel as per the attached lists.

Therefore, the approval for safety assurance for Twenty-One (21) UNMISS UNPOL Officers (Incoming Ipos-03 Finland, 04 Rwanda, 02 Russia, 08 Kyrgyz Republic, and 03 India) to Join UNMISS in South Sudan is here acknowledgec as per SSPDF-GHQs/CMI/SC/130/11/2022 Regards,

Sign:

Sign: Maj. Gen. Mou Manasseh Mataac hum Julie Sol Chief JBVMM/JVMM and Peace Kenning Operations, Juba.

Cc: File

Head Office, Hai Jalaba - Opposite Egyptian Medical Center Central Equatoria State, Juba - South Sudan

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South Sudan People's Defenc Forces (SSPDF) GENERAL HEADQUARTERS Chieftaincy of Military Intelligence Office of the CMI



Date: 22nd November 2022 -Confidential-

To: Chief, JBVMM/JVMM & Peace Keeping Cc: A/CDF for Operations Cc: CDF *Cc: File.*

Ref: SSPDF-GHQs/CMI/SC/130/11/2022

Subject: <u>Safety Assurance for UNMISS Rotation of (21) Incoming and</u> <u>Outgoing UNPOL Officers to join UNMISS in South Sudan.</u>

Reference to your letter No. SSPDF/JVMM/FSA/899/21/11/2022 dated 22th November 2022, the CMI here Acknowledges the Rotation of 21 UNPOL Officers consisting of 03 Finland, 04 Rwanda, 02 Russia, 08 Kyrgyz Republic and 03 India to join UNMISS in South Sudan. The incoming personnel will come with both personnel and military equipment including protective equipment as per attached List.

Regards.



Sign:.... Lt. Gen Marshal Stephen Babanen Chief of Military Intelligence SSPDF GHQs-Bilpam

ATTACHMENT 1

LIST OF (21) OUTGOING POLICE OFFICERs

No	Name	UN ID number	Country	Date of departure from South Sudan
1.	Prosper Meliari	CP07466	KENYA	7/10/2022
2.	Julius Makau	CP07470	KENYA	7/10/2022
3.	Wesley Kipkirui	CP07476	KENYA	7/10/2022
4.	Peter Kihiko	CP07481	KENYA	7/10/2022
5.	Igor BORISOV	CP07705	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
6.	Kirill LAVERINOVICH	CP07706	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
7.	Olesya ANIKINA	CP07707	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
8.	Vitaly POLNKOV	CP07708	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
9.	Vadim BURYAK	CP07709	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
10.	Nikita PAPICHEV	CP07710	RUSSIA	16/10/2022
11.	Iddi Ramadhani KIMA	CP07800	TANZANIA	08/10/2022
12.	Shelter VIGBEDOR	CP07829	GHANA	07/10/2022
13.	Arini RIZVI	CP07851	INDONESIA	09/10/2022
14.	Maria LIKUSAUTU	CP07940	FIJI	12/10/2022
15.	Merewai CAVUA	CP07935	FIJI	12/10/2022
16.	Rosemary ADUBIAH	CP07713	GHANA	16/10/2022
17.	Manyi YOU	CP07701	CHINA	16/10/2022
18.	Zhenxing SHI	CP07700	CHINA	16/10/2022
19.	Theresa Marie BANGURA	CP07929	SIERRA LEONE	19/04/2022
20.	Aleksei KOVCHENKOV	CP07944		1080/20/2022
21.	Mikhail FILIPPOV	CP07947	RUSSIA	30/10/2022

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No	Name	Country	Passport No.
1	PASI JUHA HAVUSELA	Finland	FP5769712
2	JANNE VEIKKO SALORANTA	Finland	FP3590626
3.	MIKKO TAPANI PEKKANEN	Finland	FP2778592
4.	ALPHONSE MATAMA	Rwanda	PS117017
5.	ROBERT NKUBIRI	Rwanda	PS102362
6.	WELLARS NKURANGA	Rwanda	PS123364
7.	RICHARD MANIRAGUHA	Rwanda	PS 123363
8.	VENER DANLETSHIN	Russia	220060584
9.	VITALY VINGRADOV	Russia	220060174
10.	KUBANYCHBEK AKMATOV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC3012704
11.	BERMET USENOVNA USENOVA	Kyrgyz Republic	PE0596879
12.	AIZADA SUINALIEVA	Kyrgyz Republic	AC2688727
13.	SHUMKAR ESENKULOV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC3132256
14.	NURADIL RAIMBEKOV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC3547825
15	ALTYNBEK OROZBAEV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC2728958
16	NURLES OMURALIEV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC3895514
17.	ULAN ASANOV	Kyrgyz Republic	AC3387824
18.	CHUN RAJ THAPA	Nepal	003101
19.	ARUN RAJ NAGAPPAN NAIR		
19.	VILASINI	India	01603792
20.	JAGADEESHA HADYA		m
20.	SHANKARAPPA	India	FIP1685631
21.	SURESH SINGH KARKI	India 🥇	01651628

LIST OF (21) INCOMING POLICE OFFICERs

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USE OF PPE & CLOTH FACE COVERINGS FOR UN PERSONNEL IN NON-HEALTHCARE SETTINGS IN AREAS OF COVID-19 COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION

8 June 2020

Introduction

Personal protective equipment (PPE) (e.g. medical masks¹ and N95 or equivalent respirators²) should be prioritised for health care workers/carers of COVID-19 patients. Additionally, medical masks are shown to be effective as source control for symptomatic COVID-19 patients.

In this context, this document provides guidance on the use of PPE and cloth face coverings for all UN personnel who engage in work tasks that require close and frequent interaction with people whose infectious status is unknown³. (Such individuals could include uniformed personnel, security personnel, patrol units, receptionists, drivers, personnel involved in food distribution, humanitarian workers...etc.) Please note that all task-specific requirements and existing SOPs for wearing protective equipment and taking general precautions would still apply, and should not be superseded by this guidance.

This guidance focuses on personnel working in a non-healthcare setting, and in areas of significant community transmission of COVID-19⁴.

The recommendations in this document should be adapted to the context in which you are working, and you should take into account your local health authorities' advice. Where cloth masks and other PPE are mandated by the government, all UN personnel should abide by such regulations. The implementation of this guidance should also abide by the findings of the risk assessment done in your duty stations as part of response to COVID-19.

Evidence for Masks Use

COVID-19 is thought to spread via two main routes of transmission⁵ – respiratory droplets and contact (directly with the patient or indirectly with fomites/environment). In settings in which procedures that generate aerosols are performed, airborne transmission may be possible and this is an ongoing area of study.

Studies show that an infected/ill person who wears a medical mask¹ can prevent the spread of infectious droplets from that infected person to someone else. WHO^{6,7} states that at present there is no high quality or direct scientific evidence on the effectiveness of universal masking of healthy people in the community to prevent infection from respiratory viruses including COVID-19. However,

¹ Medical masks are also known as "surgical" or "procedure" masks

² E.g. N95 or FFP2 or FFP3 respirators

³ Such persons may not be a confirmed or suspect case of COVID-19.

⁴ If needed, please contact your local medical service and/or local WHO office to check if your duty station meets the criteria. Further PPE guidance specific to healthcare settings is available at the "UN Medical Directors COVID-19 Pandemic Guidelines" available at <u>https://www.un.org/en/coronavirus/reference-documents-administrators-and-managers</u>

⁵ Respiratory droplets are generated when an infected person coughs or sneezes. Any person who is in close contact (within 1 m) with someone who has respiratory symptoms (coughing, sneezing) is at risk of being exposed to potentially infective respiratory droplets. Droplets may also land on surfaces where the virus could remain viable; thus, the immediate environment of an infected individual can serve as a source of transmission (contact transmission).

⁶ <u>https://www.who.int/publications-detail/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak</u>

⁷ <u>https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak</u>

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given a multitude of factors, the WHO has updated its guidance to advise that **to prevent COVID-19 transmission effectively in areas of community transmission, governments should encourage the general public to wear masks in specific situations and settings as part of a comprehensive approach to supress transmission**. See <u>https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-</u> <u>the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-</u> <u>coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak</u> for more information.

In summary, WHO advises that:

- In settings with known or suspected wide spread transmission with limited or no capacity to implement public health measures or in high density population where public health measures described cannot be implemented (eg. Camp-like setting, refugee camps, other cramped conditions) then non-medical mask should be considered for a potential benefit of source control.
- In other situations where physical distancing cannot be achieved such as general public transport, or specific working conditions where the individual is in close contact with others, **a non-medical mask can be considered**.
- For high risk populations where physical distancing cannot be achieved and risk of infection or outcome of infection is high the WHO says to consider medical masks in these individuals in addition to those with symptoms (source control).

Universal Precautions for UN Personnel Working in Non-Health Care Settings

Use of PPE or masks is insufficient by itself and should not be relied on alone as a primary prevention strategy. All UN personnel working in close contact with others should follow the following **standard precautions which include hand hygiene**, **cough etiquette and physical distancing** to reduce the risk of exposure to the virus, including:

- Hand hygiene: Perform hand hygiene frequently. Perform hand hygiene with alcohol based hand rub (minimum 60% alcohol) for at least 20 seconds, or with soap and water for at least 40 seconds. Do not touch your face with unwashed hands.
- Physical distancing: Avoid close physical contact with others, including shaking hands and hugging. Maintain physical distance of at least 2m distance between yourself and others, especially those with respiratory symptoms (e.g., coughing, sneezing). Whenever possible, install physical barriers such as plexiglass. Place physical barriers to help maintain at least a 2m distance such as tables, chairs, cordon of areas. Use signs/stickers to show appropriate distancing.
- Respiratory hygiene (cough etiquette): Cover their nose and mouth with a bent elbow or paper tissue when coughing or sneezing. Dispose of the tissue immediately after use, and perform hand hygiene.

Recommended PPE and Cloth Face Coverings for UN Personnel According to Activities

The following table outlines recommendations related to use of PPE and cloth face coverings for UN personnel who come into contact with the general public as part of their work duties. The recommendations consider both standard precautions principles, as well as specific COVID-19 related masks/PPE guidance from WHO.

Note that PPE shortages are anticipated in every category during the COVID-19 response, and <u>PPE</u> should always be critically reserved for health care workers and symptomatic patients.

Please note that all task-specific requirements and existing SOPs for wearing PPE and taking general precautions would still apply, and should not be superseded by this guidance.

Table 1: Recommended PPE and Cloth Face Coverings According to Activities Undertaken

Category No.	Activities Undertaken by Personnel	Type of PPE / Cloth Face Covering Required to Reduce COVID-19 Exposure
1	Able to maintain at least 2m distance from others	No PPE required. Cloth face covering can be considered for use. (Not generally needed if maintaining 2 meter distance).
2	Not able to maintain at least 2m distance from others No physical contact with others	Cloth face covering can be considered for use.
3	Not able to maintain at least 2m distance from others Have direct physical contact with others	Cloth face covering and gloves can be considered as local supply allow.
4	Not able to maintain at least 2m distance from others Anticipate splashes or exposure to bodily fluids.	Cloth face covering, medical mask, eye protection, and gloves and can be considered as supply allows and as per one's risk assessment of situation.

Specifications for Cloth Masks

The WHO has recently included guidance around cloth masks, though they are not considered as a medical device, or PPE. A non-medical mask standard was developed by the French Standardization Association (AFNOR Group) to define minimum performance for filtration, breathability details of which are found at: https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak

Alternatives to Cloth (non-medical) Mask: In the context of non-medical mask shortages, face shields may be considered as an alternative noting that they are inferior to masks with respect to prevention of droplet transmission. Shields would need to have a proper design that covers the side of the case and goes below the chin.

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Management of Masks

Always remember that mask usage cannot replace other critical public health measures like physical distancing and hygiene.

If an individual decides to use cloth face coverings, below are useful resources on non-medical masks:

IFRC: http://prddsgofilestorage.blob.core.windows.net/api/sitreps/3972/Cloth_mask_guidance_IFRC_Covid.pdf CDC: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/diy-cloth-face-coverings.html WHO: <u>https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/advice-on-the-use-of-masks-in-the-community-during-home-care-and-in-healthcare-settings-in-the-context-of-the-novel-coronavirus-(2019-ncov)-outbreak</u>

For any type of mask, appropriate use and disposal are essential to ensure that they are effective and to avoid any increase in transmission. Pay attention to the correct use of masks as follows:

- Masks are effective only when used in combination with frequent hand washing with alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water
- Place the mask carefully, ensuring it covers the mouth and nose, and tie it securely to minimize any gaps between the face and the mask.
- Avoid touching the mask while wearing it.
- Masks should be changed whenever they become dirty or moist.
- Replace masks as soon as they become damp with a new clean, dry mask.
- Remove the mask using the appropriate technique: do not touch the front of the mask but untie it from behind.
- After removal or whenever a used mask is inadvertently touched, clean hands using an alcohol-based hand rub or soap and water if hands are visibly dirty.
- Do not re-use single-use masks.
- Discard single-use masks after each use and dispose of them immediately upon removal.
- Cloth face coverings should be washed frequently and handled carefully, and changed if soiled or wet⁸.
- Cloth face coverings should be completely dry after washing before using them.
- Cloth face coverings should not be shared with others
- See WHO guidance on details on how to wash masks

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⁸ <u>https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/diy-cloth-face-coverings.html</u>