

## PAKISTAN AIR LINE PILOTS' ASSOCIATION

AFFILIATED WITH:
INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION OF AIR LINE PILOT'S ASSOCIATIONS &
INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORT WORKERS FEDERATION.



السلام عليكم - :Dear Members

March 26, 2020.

A letter (PALPA/G/122/42 dated 25th March, 2020) has been despatched to Chief of Flight Operations/DFO on the above stated subject with copy to the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Pilot Safety PIACL, the contents of the letter attached are self explanatory.

Keeping the safety, health and security of our members as the utmost priority, specific pre-requisites have been emphasized:

- a. Protective Measures SOPs
- b. FDTL Flight Pattern Compliance
- c. Written Surety for provision of Medical Care in the case of any unfortunate incident

PALPA remains committed to its core function of ensuring safer skies in our country, while keeping the health and safety of our members, and passengers paramount. Only after compliance with the aforementioned pre-requisites will PALPA members accept humanitarian flights on a solely voluntary basis.

As always, we remain steadfast in our resolve to perform to the best of our abilities for our nation and fellow countrymen, while safeguarding the interest and welfare of our membership.

With Best Regards,

Capt. Narejo

**GENERAL SECRETARY** 



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Ref: PALPA/G/122/42 March 25, 2020.

Chief of Flight Operations/DFO, Flight Operations Department, Pakistan International Airlines, PIA Head Office,

**KARACHI AIRPORT.** 

SUBJECT: TEMPORARY RESUMPTION OF FLIGHT OPERATIONS- PIACL

Dear Sir,

It has been brought to the notice of PALPA that PIACL is planning to resume international flight ops. On behalf of PALPA and its members, this letter voices our strong concern over the lack of pre-requisite measures being taken to ensure the safety and security of crew during the ongoing worldwide challenge of the COVID-19 pandemic.

It is critical to have the following issues clarified before the crew is called to perform the abovementioned duty:

- a. The protective measures SOP for Crew, aircraft, and pax to be shared with PALPA for review.
- b. Flight Patterns to be shared with PALPA so as to assure no FDTL violations are made.
- c. A written surety provided for immediate medical care and attention in case of any unfortunate incident of crew contracting the coronavirus.

It is further stated that PALPA remains committed to its core function of ensuring safer skies in our country, while keeping the health and safety of our members paramount.

Additionally, we reassure you of our full support in facilitating stranded passengers through this noble initiative by PIACL, provided the issues highlighted in this letter are addressed satisfactorily.

With Best Regards,

Capt. Narejo

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## Copy to:-

- Chief Executive Officer PIACL
- Chief Pilot Safety PIACL