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Ministry of Public Security
General Department of Public Security
Department of Immigration

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Notification Letter

To: Foreigners and Stateless people staying in the Lao PDR

Subject: Expand the period of suspended visa extension for foreigners and stateless people during the COVID-19 pandemic.

- Pursuant to Prime Minister's Order No 06/PM, dated 29th March 2020 on reinforcement measures on containment, prevention and full response to the COVID-19 pandemic;
- Pursuant to the Notification of the Prime Minister's Office No 481/PMO, dated 15th April 2020 on the visa extension and additional guidance to implement the Prime Minister's Order No 06/PM, dated 29th March 2020;
- Pursuant to the Direction of Board of General Department of Public Security, Ministry of Public Security dated 16th April 2020;
- Pursuant to the Agreement of Minister of Public Security No 084/MPS, dated 3rd February 2010 on role and the right of Department of Immigration of Lao PDR;

Department of Immigration of Lao PDR has the honour to inform that in response to the situation of COVID-19 pandemic continues to be on the rise with nearly all countries in the world affected. Lao PDR will further implement visa extension measures as follow:

Expand the period of suspended visa extension for foreigners and stateless people and will be resumed on 4th May 2020. For foreigners and stateless people who have been staying over (from 29th March to 3rd May 2020) will not be fined. However it will be counted backward from the expired dates with visa extension fee and service payment.

Department of Immigration of Lao PDR avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all of foreigners and stateless people who is staying in Lao PDR. In case of any changes, Department of Immigration will give further official notice.

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