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Decree no. 14/2023 of 13 April

Adjusts the measures for the containment of the spread of the pandemic of COVID-19

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Decree no. 14/2023 of 13 April was published in the Gazette of the Republic no. 71, 1st Series of 13 April 2023, which adjusts measures for the containment of the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic and revokes Decree no. 44/2022 of 1 September and Decree no. 68/2022 of 19 December. This new decree entered into force at 00:00 hours on 14 April 2023.

Decree no. 14/2023 removed the obligation for passengers and crew members:

- present a certificate proving complete vaccination against SARS OVC-2, recognized by the health authorities, or proof of a negative Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) test for SARS OVC-2, valid for 72 hours upon arrival in the country;
- undergo the Rapid Antigen-based test on entry into the country at their own expense for those who do not present a certificate attesting to full vaccination against SARS OVC-2 or a valid PCR test; and
- with symptoms, regardless of age, who are arriving in the country to be tested for COVID-19 at the point of entry.