

Maritime Administration

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Subject: COVID-19 vaccination of seafarers in Luxembourg

To: All Accredited Shipping Managers, ship owners and ship operators.

In collaboration with the competent Luxembourg authorities, this administration is today in a position to propose seafarers with an option for a COVID-19 vaccination in Luxembourg.

Who can be vaccinated:

- 1. Seafarers who have a 13 digit Luxembourg social security number (CNS)
- 2. Seafarers without a CNS number, with a valid Luxembourg seaman's book.

Procedure:

A. Contact the Commissariat aux affaires maritimes

Information on the seafarer(s) to be vaccinated has to be provided to the Commissariat aux affaires maritimes **minimum one week prior** to the planned date for the vaccination using the attached form, providing the following information regarding the seafarer(s):

- a. Surname;
- b. First Name;
- c. Copy of passport;
- d. CNS number;

Additional information requested for seafarers without a CNS number:

- e. Number of Luxembourg seaman's book
- f. Address of residency
- g. Birthplace and -date
- h. Gender

<u>Note:</u> In order to have a certificate with an internationally verifiable QR code issued to them, seafarers must agree to have their personal details encoded.

B. Vaccination day

Travel arrangements to and from Luxembourg have to be made by the employer or the seafarer (ticket, visa, pre-departure COVID-19 test as requested, accommodation if needed, etc).

The vaccination will take place at the Victor Hugo vaccination center:

60, Avenue Victor Hugo

L-1750 Luxembourg

Opening hours:

Monday: 01:00pm – 07:00pm
 Tuesday: 07:00am – 07:00pm
 Wednesday:07:00am – 07:00pm
 Thursday: 07:00am – 07:00pm
 Friday: 07:00am – 07:00pm
 Saturday: 07:00am – 01:00pm

Sunday: CLOSED

ATTENTION: The vaccination center will be closed all day on 18 September 2021.

The vaccination center will previously be informed about the date, number and all relevant information of seafarer(s).

Seafarers will have to present a valid passport or ID (the seaman's book is **not accepted** as identification document!).

Because of its effectiveness after a single shot, the Janssen (Johnson & Johnson) vaccine will be the preferred option (no 2nd shot required).

C. Delivery of certificate

A paper certificate with a QR code will be issued to the seafarers with valid CNS number.

Adequate dissemination of this information within your company as well as to the Masters and crew of Luxembourg flagged vessels and yachts should be ensured.



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