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EXTRAORDINARY MEASURE

The Ministry of Health, as the competent administrative authority pursuant to Section 80(1)(g) of Act No. 258/2000 Coll., on Public Health Protection and amending certain related acts, as amended (hereinafter referred to as “Act No. 258/2000 Coll.”), orders this Extraordinary Measure, proceeding pursuant to Section 69(1)(i) and (2) of Act No. 258/2000 Coll., to protect the population and prevent the occurrence and spread of COVID-19 caused by the novel SARS-CoV-2 coronavirus:

I.

Effective from 7 July 2021, all healthcare service providers that have been supplied with a medicinal product owned by the Czech Republic containing a vaccination substance against COVID-19, registered or permitted for use in the Czech Republic (hereinafter the “provider”), are ordered to perform the vaccination of persons participating in the public health insurance system in the Czech Republic or persons who are entitled to the provision of healthcare services in the Czech Republic, as though they were participants in the public health insurance system in the Czech Republic, in accordance with the Methodical Instruction for the Vaccination Campaign of the Ministry of Health (hereinafter the “person indicated for vaccination”).

II.

Effective from 7 July 2021, the provider is ordered to ensure the administration of the medicinal product pursuant to Art. I to every person indicated for vaccination without payment by this person.

III.

Effective from 7 July 2021, health insurance companies are ordered to ensure the reimbursement of vaccinations to a provider who has vaccinated its insured persons using a medicinal product containing a vaccine against COVID-19, procured using government budget funds based on Commission Decision C(2020) 4192 of 18 June 2020, on approval of an agreement with member states on the procurement of vaccines against COVID-19 on behalf of the member states, and related procedures and vaccine against the COVID-19 disease in accordance with the Methodical Instruction for the vaccination campaign of the Ministry of Health, regardless of the existence of a contractual relationship between the provider and health insurance company with which this person is insured, in the amount of reimbursement paid to contractual providers.

IV.

Effective from 7 July 2021, all providers are ordered to report electronic data about each performed vaccination (including the vaccinated persons contact data) without undue delay into

the Information System of Infectious Diseases (ISIN), COVID-19 Patient module, at the latest by the end of the day on which vaccination was performed. The report will be made upon logging into the website of the EREG department health registries at <https://ereq.ksrzis.cz/>.

V.

Effective from 7 July 2021, all providers who performed vaccination of the first dose against COVID-19 in the case of a two-dose scheme are ordered to provide information to the vaccinated person of the possibility of collecting an electronic version of the vaccination certificate on the web portal <https://ocko.uzis.cz>. Effective from 7 July 2021, all providers who have completed vaccination against COVID-19 pursuant to the respective vaccination scheme are ordered, subject to request by the vaccinated person, immediately upon the completion of vaccination, to print out a certificate of vaccination in the environment of the Information System of Infectious Diseases (ISIN), COVID-19 Patient module.

VI.

Effective from 7 July 2021, all healthcare service providers are ordered, if entering information about vaccination in a third country into the Information System of Infectious Diseases (ISIN) for the purpose of issuing a vaccination certificate, to do so only if:

1. the applicant presents a certificate issued in a third country, that being a written confirmation issued at least in the English language by an authorized entity operating in the given third country, stating that vaccination was fully completed, a specimen of which is published in the list of recognized national certificates on the website of the Ministry of Health of the Czech Republic (the written confirmation must contain data about the vaccinated person, administered type of vaccine, date of administration of the vaccine, identification of the entity that issued the confirmation, and these data must be verifiable via remote access directly from the written confirmation), and
2. the vaccination was performed using a vaccine against COVID-19 which corresponds to one of the vaccination substances against COVID-19 which was granted registration pursuant to Regulation (EC) No. 726/2004, and
3. the applicant is a citizen of the Czech Republic or their family member (pursuant to Section 15a(1) or (2)(b) of Act No. 326/1999 Coll., on the Residency of Foreigners in the Czech Republic and on the amendment of certain laws, as amended) with an issued temporary or permanent residence permit for the Czech Republic, or a citizen of the European Union with issued confirmation of temporary residence in the Czech Republic or a permanent residence permit in the Czech Republic issued by the Czech Republic or by an accredited member of a diplomatic mission of the Czech Republic, including a private official or an officer of an international organization registered with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic.

The healthcare service provider will register electronic data about the vaccination performed in the third country into the Information System of Infectious Diseases (ISIN), COVID-19 Patients module, including information about the fact that the entry is performed based on a vaccination certificate from another country, and statement of the name of this country, and if requested by the given person, will print a vaccination certificate for them from the environment of the Information System of Infectious Diseases (ISIN), COVID-19 Patients module.

VII.

Effective from 12:00 a.m. of 7 July 2021, the Extraordinary Measure of 7 June 2021 Ref. No. MZDR 1595/2021-4/MIN/KAN, is repealed.

VIII.

This Extraordinary Measure shall take effect on the date of its issue.

Mgr. et Mgr. Adam Vojtěch, MHA, undersigned
Minister of Health