



KADMAR SHIPPING EGYPT

Crew Change Guideline

Country: Egypt
Port(s): All Ports

- Pre-notice of 72 hrs in advance requested to obtain approvals for embarking / disembarking crew members
- Copy of on-signers / off-signers' passports and seaman books needed for arranging formalities
- Egyptian Visa is granted on arrival subject crew members are holding valid seaman book (Americans and Europeans can get Visa on arrival even if they are not holding seaman book)
- Nearest arrival and departure airport is Cairo Airport
- Egyptian airports will not allow passengers / crew members to arrive to Cairo airport unless they are holding PCR test at Maximum 72 hrs prior arrival **PCR cert must include QR code and PCR test to be arranged at a laboratory approved by airlines**

An "accredited" COVID-19 vaccination certificate showing that they were fully vaccinated 14 days before arrival is also accepted by Egyptian authorities which please kindly check with airlines at departure airport as well

The certificate must be recognized by the health authorities at their countries of origin and include a QR Code, with no deletion, alteration, or addition in it.

Vaccination certificate will not be accepted from the countries affected by the new mutated strains of the Corona virus

- Client must check in case PCR test is requested for off signers at distained airports (transit airport)
- Airlines have the right to deny travelers if they display any symptoms of COVID-19
- COVID-19 Testing from Egypt government approved facility for on-signers / off-signers is now available upon request to be booked 48 hrs in advance on first come-first serve basis. Test results arrive within one working days.
- Vessel must receive quarantine free pratique to permit crew to embark/ disembark

- Hotel accommodation are being booked according to rooms availability (single / double)
- Off-Signers cannot dis-embark from any vessel unless they are Covid-19 PCR-type tested with negative result, with maximum 72 hours prior disembarkation
- For crew signing off confirmed ticket must be provided to authorities order to allows crew members disembarkation
- In case PCR test shows positive cases on board the vessel disembarkation cannot be allowed for any crew member on board
- Chinese off signers need to be quarantined 14 days in Egypt + **6 days at designated hotel** nominated by airlines prior flight departure, amount of **USD 850** to be handed as cash to crew members for hotel accommodation settlement - if required
- PCR & IGM Tests are required for Chinese off signers before departure.
- As per quarantine department instructions off signers from the vessels arriving from the following countries must be vaccinated after disembarkation in Egypt against Poliomyelitis

(Afghanistan , Pakistan , Yemen, China and Madagascar)

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- Crew arriving Airport from (Afghanistan , Pakistan , Yemen, China and Madagascar) must be Poliomyelitis vaccinated & holding the certificate with validity not less one month & not more than 1 year prior arrival
- Transportation service provider will comply with all rules and precautionary measures for COVID-19 , The vehicles are sterilized, with temperature checks for all passengers and face masks are used for all passengers and drivers
- Drivers are not authorized to have road stop during the voyage between airport /ports and vice versa.
- Medical assistance can be arranged by boarding doctor (shore leave pass for visiting hospital / doctor is not allowed)
- Syrian / Iraqi / Turkish crew had some restrictions for embarkation / disembarkation which had to be checked before confirming appointment.

Arranging crew change while transiting Suez Canal

- Quarantine delegate can be arranged to collect off signers COVID-19 samples at Suez / Port said anchor (request must be submitted to authorities 48 hrs prior vessel arrival)
- Negative PCR results is mandatory to arrange off signers disembarkation formalities
- Vessel to transit canal normally and off signers to be arranged at the other side of the canal once PCR certificates issued and quarantine to approve safe disembarkation while vessel clearing AGW

Customs instructions

As per the customs department instruction the following items are not allowed to be carried as personal belongings, once if found – it will be confiscated:

- VHF
- Tactical vests
- Holsters
- Spare Parts
- Walkie-Talkie
- Handcuffs
- Security equipment's
- Digital camera include GPS option
- Large quantity of medical products (Vitamins / Oil Fish)
- Sharp equipment or knives
- Satellite phone
- Laser pen
- Should not carry more than 1 carton of cigarettes & 1 bottle of alcohol
- Should not carry more than 1 laptop
- No more than 10 thousand of any currency in cash
- No more than 1 kilo of chocolate
- Any type of Drone (flying camera)

** Off-signer must inform our office before disembarkation immediately in case they are carrying anything from the above for proper action.

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