

Update 31: United Kingdom - Plans to Reopen Travel to 75 Countries

- United Kingdom plans to lift ban on non-essential travel to 75 countries as it relaxes COVID-19 lockdown restrictions
- These countries include all EU destinations, British territories including Bermuda and Gibraltar, and Turkey, Thailand, Australia and New Zealand
- Final list is expected to release next week
- Traffic light system will decide which nations are safe to travel to
- People returning from countries in 'red' zone would need to self-isolate
- Travelers from 'green' or 'amber' countries will not have to self-isolate for 14 days
- Travel ban will remain in place for US, Russia, and Brazil which have a higher number of COVID-19 cases
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Public Health England (<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/public-health-england>) for latest information on COVID-19 in the United Kingdom

Source(s)

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/alexledsom/2020/07/02/uk-to-allow-quarantine-free-travel-for-75-countries-air-bridge-idea-scrapped/#13b83ce9484c>

<https://www.thenational.ae/world/europe/britain-to-drop-quarantine-rules-for-travellers-from-75-countries-1.1043081>

Targets Affected:

United Kingdom

Guidance

Actions to consider:

- Consider implementing suggested actions related to 'Business Recovery/Lifting Restrictions' under the 'COVID-19: Actions to Consider' section below / next page

Related Alerts

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Medium

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COVID-19 Alert from Level 4 to 3;
Plans to Relax Quarantine Rules in
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Impact level Definitions

Impact Level	Definitions
Immediate	Certain - Supply Wisdom recommends considering prompt action. Examples of Immediate level alert events may include bankruptcy filings, data breaches, unexpected curfews, strikes, power black-outs, major geo-political events etc.
High	Highly likely to occur in the near term (within 3 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends being in a state of readiness to take quick action. Examples of High level alert events may include withdrawal of rating by ratings agencies, hostile takeover, multiple cyber-attacks, new business policies causing significant hardship etc.
Medium	Likely to occur in the mid-term (within 3 to 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends reviewing current mitigation steps and being ready to take proactive actions if and when situation deteriorates further. Examples of Medium level alert events may include unplanned C-level exits, suppliers caught in bribery cases, economy slipping into recession.
Low	Possible in the long-term (after 6 months) - Supply Wisdom recommends taking proactive action if situation does not resolve. Examples of Low level alert events may include lawsuits filed against suppliers, client losses, air pollution alerts issued by country's local authorities, unexpected holidays announced for the location etc.
Informational	The event is pertinent information but does not have a risk element associated with it. Examples of Info level alert events may include launch of new solutions, partnerships signed, industry outlook, positive changes in government policies, announcements regarding launch of software parks/ free trade zones/special economic zones etc.