

Update 19: Pakistan - Lifts COVID-19 Restrictions as Cases Drop

- Pakistan announced that it will lift COVID-19 restrictions as drop in new cases
- The restrictions were previously imposed on July 27, 2020 to stop the spread of COVID-19 infection during religious holidays
- All restaurants, parks, theatres, cinemas, and public transport will be re-open from August 10, 2020
- Planning Minister Asad Umar stated the government could reimpose restrictions if businesses and other establishments don't enforce social distancing and other measures
- As of now, Pakistan reported 282,645 confirmed COVID-19 cases with 6,052 deaths (2% of total reported cases)
- Supply Wisdom is continuously monitoring the situation and will alert you to any relevant developments
- Please consult Ministry of National Health Services, Regulation and Coordination (<http://www.nhs.gov.pk/>) for the latest information on COVID-19 in Pakistan

Source(s)

<https://www.barrons.com/news/pakistan-lifts-virus-restrictions-as-cases-drop-01596723604>
<https://www.khaleejtimes.com/pakistan-lifts-virus-restrictions-as-cases-drop>
<https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/pakistan/>

Targets Affected:

Pakistan

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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Update 18: Punjab, Pakistan - Imposes Lockdown for Ten Days to Contain COVID-19 During Religious Festival

June 27, 2020

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Update 17: Pakistan - Reports Lowest Daily Increase of 2,775 COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 195,745

June 21, 2020

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Update 16: Pakistan - Plans to Resume International Flights Starting June 21, 2020

June 17, 2020

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Update 15: Pakistan - Initiates Sealing of High Risk Containment Zones Amid Increase in COVID-19 Cases

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Update 14: Pakistan - Reports Highest Daily Increase of 6,825 COVID-19 Cases, Totaling 139,230

June 12, 2020

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Update 13: Pakistan - GDP Expected to Decline by 0.4% in 2020, First Contraction in 68 Years Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

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Update 12: Pakistan - World Health Organization Recommends Re-imposing 'Intermittent Lockdown' as COVID-19 Cases Increase

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Update 11: Pakistan - Resumes International Flight Operations Despite Increase in COVID-19 Infections

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Update 10: Pakistan - Businesses to Remain Closed from May 22 Until May 27 During Festival Holidays to Contain COVID-19 Infections

May 15, 2020

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Update 9: Pakistan - Resumes Domestic Flights from May 16, 2020 Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

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Immediate

Update 8: Pakistan - Domestic Flights Suspended Until May 29; Warns of Reimposing Restrictions as COVID-19 Infections Increase

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Immediate

Update 7: Pakistan - Extends Suspension of Domestic Flights Until May 13, 2020

May 7, 2020

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Update 6: Pakistan - Eases COVID-19 Restrictions from May 9, 2020

April 30, 2020

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Update 5: Pakistan - Prepares to Ease COVID-19 Restrictions as Cases Fall Below Projections

April 27, 2020

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Update 4: Pakistan - Suspends International Flight Operations Until May 15, 2020

April 25, 2020

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Update 3: Pakistan - Extends COVID-19 Lockdown Until May 9, 2020

April 15, 2020

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Update 2: Pakistan - Extends Lockdown Until April 30, 2020

April 13, 2020

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Update 1: Pakistan - Fears Recession
as GDP Expected to Contract by 2.2%
Amid COVID-19 Pandemic

April 8, 2020

Immediate

Pakistan - Reports 4,005 Confirmed
COVID-19 Cases and 54 Related
Deaths

Impact level Definitions

| Impact Level | Definitions |
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| 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. |
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