



RESOLUTION OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

dated March 30, 2020, No. 334

on adopting an emergency measure

Following the Governmental Resolution No. 194 dated March 12, 2020, by which the Government, in line with Art. 5 and 6 of the Constitutional Act No. 110/1998 Coll., on Security of the Czech Republic, declared a state of emergency for the territory of the Czech Republic due to threat of health in connection to proven outbreak of coronavirus designated SARS CoV-2 in the territory of the Czech Republic and in line with Section 5 letter a) to e) and Section 6 of the Act No. 240/2000 Coll., on Emergency Operation and on change of other Acts ("Emergency Act"), as amended, for the purpose of resolving the emergency situation, the Government hereby decided on adoption of emergency measures, under Section 5 letter c) and Section 6 (1) letter b) of the Emergency Act, as follows:

The Government, with effect from March 31, 2020, from 00:00 a.m. until April 12, 2020

I. orders

1. the ban on entry into the territory of the Czech Republic for all foreigners; this shall not apply to the following exceptions:
 - a. foreigners with a temporary residence over 90 days or permanent residence in the territory of the Czech Republic and underage children of Czech citizens who were outside the territory of the Czech Republic before issuing a resolution on travel ban (repatriation),
 - b. European Union citizens and foreigners with permitted residence in the European Union who travel through the Czech Republic in order to get home and who have been issued with a note from embassy for this purpose (passage and repatriation),
 - c. European Union citizens who are married to Czech citizens,
 - d. if the entry of such foreigners is in the interest of the Czech Republic,
 - e. cross-border workers who, for the purpose of work, cross the national border with the Federal Republic of Germany or the Republic of Austria for a period longer than 21 days, provided that at least 14 days have elapsed since their last entry into the territory of the Czech Republic,
 - f. cross-border workers in health, social services and integrated rescue systems who, for the purpose of work, regularly cross the national border with the Federal Republic, the Republic of Germany, Republic of Austria, the Republic of Poland or the Slovak Republic,
 - g. cross-border workers who, for the purpose of carrying out their working duties, regularly cross the border with the Republic of Poland or the Slovak Republic,
 - h. international transport workers,
 - i. workers in critical infrastructure services,

- j. diplomats and officials of international organisations seated in the Czech Republic,
- k. urgent emergency situations,

whereas the Ministry of the Interior may, by notice on its the website, set further conditions and formalities required for crossing national border;

2. the ban on travelling abroad from the territory of the Czech Republic; this shall not apply to the following exceptions:
 - a. foreigners who intend to leave the Czech Republic for the purpose of one-way trip,
 - b. Czech citizens who have a residence permit in another country and intend to leave the Czech Republic for the purpose of a one-way trip to such another country,
 - c. cross-border workers who, for the purpose of work, cross the national border with the Federal Republic of Germany or the Republic of Austria for a period longer than 21 days,
 - d. cross-border workers in health, social services and integrated rescue systems who, for the purpose of work, regularly cross national border with the Federal Republic of Germany, the Republic of Austria, the Republic of Poland or the Slovak Republic,
 - e. cross-border workers who, for the purpose of work, regularly cross a border with the Republic of Poland or the Slovak Republic,
 - f. international transport workers,
 - g. workers in critical infrastructure services,
 - h. diplomats and other public employees when carrying out urgent tasks,
 - i. urgent emergency situations,

whereas the Ministry of the Interior may, by notice on its website, provide further conditions and formalities required for crossing the national border;

3. any and all persons entering the territory of the Czech Republic to notify such fact immediately after entering the Czech Republic, either by telephone or other remote access, to their registered health service provider in the field of general practice medicine or practical medicine for children and juvenile, or if they do not have a registered provider, any provider in the field of general practice medicine or practical medicine for children and juvenile; this shall not apply to persons referred to in point 1 letter (b), (e), (f), (g) and point 2 letter (d) and (e). For persons who have arrived on the basis of the exception provided for in point 1 letters h. to k., the obligation referred to in the first sentence shall apply if the period of their intended stay in the territory of the Czech Republic exceeds 21 calendar days. For persons travelling from the territory of the Czech Republic on the basis of the exception provided for in point 2 letters (f) to (i), the obligation referred to in the first sentence shall apply if their trip period exceeds 21 calendar days,
4. any and all providers of health services in the field of general practice medicine or practical medicine for children and juvenile to decide, in accordance with Section 2 (7) letter (a) of the Act No. 258/2000 Coll., on quarantine for the period of 14 days for persons who notify entry into the territory of the Czech Republic pursuant to point 3 hereof,

5. any and all persons who are not subject to the obligation referred to in the first sentence of point 3 to:
 - a. immediately notify any symptoms of influenza, by telephone or other remote access, to their registered health service provider in the field of general practice medicine, or if they do not have a registered provider, any provider in the field of general practice medicine,
 - b. tolerate checks on the symptoms of an infectious disease when crossing the national border and, if any signs of an infectious disease are detected, to provide necessary assistance to healthcare workers when taking a biological sample to detect the presence of the COVID-19 disease,
 - c. limit direct contact with local staff in foreign territory to the minimum in case of a trip to foreign territory;

II. prohibits

any and all persons entering the territory of the Czech Republic who are not subject to the obligation referred to in the first sentence of point I/3, free movement within the territory of the Czech Republic. This shall not apply to the following exceptions:

- a. travels to work, to pursue business or other similar activities,
- b. necessary travels for ensuring the basic life needs, childcare, animal care, use of the necessary financial and postal services, refilling of fuels,
- c. travels to health or social services facilities,
- d. travels to handle urgent official matters,
- e. travels back to the place of residence,
- f. funerals;

III. instructs

the 1st Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Interior to

- a. provide further conditions and formalities required for crossing the national border as set out in point I/1 hereof, by means of a notice published on the website of the Ministry of the Interior or by any other appropriate means,
- b. provide further conditions and formalities required for crossing the national border as set out in point I/2 hereof, by means of a notice published on the website of the Ministry of the Interior or by any other appropriate means;

IV. repeals

1. points I/1 and I/5 of the Governmental Resolution No. 198 dated March 12, 2020 on the adoption of an emergency measure, published under No. 71/2020 Coll.,
2. Governmental Resolution No. 203 dated March 13, 2020 on the adoption of an emergency measure, published under No. 76/2020 Coll.,

3. points II to IV of the Governmental Resolution No. 247 dated March 18, 2020 on the adoption of an emergency measure, published under No. 106/2020 Coll.,
4. Governmental Resolution No. 281 dated March 23, 2020 on the adoption of an emergency measure, published under No. 128/2020 Coll.,
5. Governmental Resolution No. 209 dated March 13, 2020 on the adoption of an emergency measure, published under No. 81/2020 Coll.

To be implemented by:

1st Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Interior,

Ing. Andrej Babiš, m.p.
Prime Minister