



**ABSTRACT** 

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### 1. PURPOSE OF THE DOCUMENT

To build a COVID-19 Risk Determination and Mitigation Framework for colour coded stages of the COVID-19 pandemic which will serve as a guide for decision making for the Government of Lesotho to manage and control the spread of the COVID-19 pandemic in order to protect all citizens and residents from needless deaths.

### 2. PROCESS FOLLOWED

The COVID-19 Risk Determination and Mitigation Framework development process was informed by engaging stakeholders. Engagements held includes representatives of the World Health Organisation (WHO), Health Professionals, Civil Society Organizations through District Administrators, Principal Chiefs and District Council Secretaries, National Security Agencies, Heads of State Owned Enterprises, Media Houses, Public Trasport Associations, Textiles Manufacturers Associations, Banker's Association, Mining Industry, Tourism Industry, Retail Sector, Mortuaries and Funeral Undertakers, Hair Salons Owners, Gambling Industry, Liquor and Restaurant Association, Health and Fitness Clubs, Schools, Institutions of Higher Learning, the Faith Based Organisations, Arts and Entertainment Industry, Traditional healers, and Lesotho Football Association.

### 3. TRANSMISSION CLASSIFICATION

Transmission classification is based on the process of country/territory/area which is national, regional and district reporting. Not all locations within the country/territory/area are equally affected. Within a given transmission category, different areas may have differing degrees of transmission as indicated by the differing numbers of cases, and other factors. The World Health Organisation (WHO) has four stages of a pandemic out-break:

No cases: Countries/territories/areas with no confirmed cases

Sporadic cases: Countries/territories/areas with one or more cases, imported or locally detected

**Clusters of cases**: Countries/territories/areas experiencing cases, clustered in time, geographic location and/or by common exposures

**Community transmission**: Countries/areas/territories experiencing larger outbreaks of local transmission defined through an assessment of factors including, but not limited to: -

- Large numbers of cases not linkable to transmission chains
- Large numbers of cases from sentinel lab surveillance



• Multiple unrelated clusters in several areas of the country/territory/area.

## 4. RISK DETERMINATION AND MITIGATION FRAMEWORK

Lesotho has adopted the SIR model to manage the spread of COVID-19 pandemic. As a guiding policy, the country aims to flatten the curve of infections and to raise the line of the health-care system capacity with a view to reducing the likelihood of needless deaths. This guiding policy is pursued by targeting a basic reproduction number, Ro, that is below 1. The  $R_0$  is the number of people that an infected person infects during the time that they are infectious.

The risk levels are based on a transmission classification in line with WHO guidelines, a risk color coding system and appropriate interventions to reduce Ro. The risk color coding system indicates the different risk levels as per the level of Ro, with the two extremes being red (Ro above 2.5) and green (Ro below 1). To enable containment of infection clusters, these assessments are made at a national, regional and district level. Furthermore, superspreader social and economic activities are identified, classified by level of risk and regulated accordingly.

In this framework, the basic reproduction number  $R_0$  is used to determine the applicable risk colour at a particular point in time. Once an applicable risk color is determined, social and economic restrictions that are already predetermined for that risk color are automatically invoked through the publication of a gazette by the Minister of Health:

The framework is presented below.

### RISK DETERMINATION AND MITIGATION FRAMEWORK

According to WHO, a country or any geographical area such as a district or province, goes
through four distinctly identifiable stages of the COVID-19 pandemic. These stages together with
the recommended intervention strategies are presented in Table 1.0 below, slightly modified
with introduction of additional stage using the basic reproduction number for Lesotho.



Table 1.0 Stages of COVID-19 pandemic in a geographical area

STAGE	INTERVENTION	RISK ASSESSMENT
Low Cases	Contain	$R_0 \le 1$
Sporadic Cases	Reduce	$1 < R_0 \le 1.5$
ClusteringInfections	Restrict	$1.5 < R_0 \le 2$
Community Transmission	Eliminate	2< <i>R</i> <sub>0</sub> ≤2.5
High Community	Intensively Eliminate	$R_0 > 2.5$
Transmission		

The colour coding system ranges from an acceptable green status where there are low cases and therefore  $R_0$  is less than 1, to an unacceptable red status where there is significant community transmission with an  $R_0$  greater than 2.5. The risk determination and mitigation framework applied at a national, regional and district levels. To maximize leverage of the interventions, specific social and economic activities that are considered to be superspreaders are identified, assigned an intrinsic risk color and therefore included at the appropriate risk colors for incremental mitigation. For example, a social activity such as a wedding function, is classified as a superspreader activity. It is therefore incrementally included on the risk determination and mitigation framework such that it is totally restricted (only private weddings) at the amber/yellow risk level. The same is done for others such as funeral services, schools, church services and public transport.

The strategic intent of this approach is to use superspreader activities as a way of avoiding the ultimate stage of community transmission whose intervention is a hard lockdown that comes with significant undesirable socio-economic consequences. Superspreaders Risk Determination and Mitigating measures are detailed in Annexure 6.1.

With no cases, the nation shall implement appropriate measures to prepare for the fight against the disease. Atthe low cases stage, efforts will be made to reduce the spread and all pending preparations shall be accelerated. At the clustering stage, restrictions to social and economic activities shall be implemented. At the community transmission stage, lockdown shall be implemented to get out of the exponential growth phase.



The nation's strategic guiding policy is **flattening the curve of infections and raising the line of the capacity of the health care system. This way, needless or avoidable mortality is prevented.** The strategic choice is lives over livelihood, with the logic that containing the impact of the pandemic on lives is the best way of also protecting livelihoods. The Risk Colour Coding System is applied on all economic activities. Pandemic stages and related risk colors for various levels of economic and social activities are attached as Annexure. The International Standard Industrial Classification of All Economic Activities (ISIC), Revision 4 has been adopted.

### 5. ANNEXURES

All COVID-19 health and safety protocols must be followed at all times, including observance of guidelines for social distancing, sanitation and hygiene, and use of appropriate personal protective equipment, like face masks, as determined by the Ministry of Health. People should at all times avoid unnecessary/non-essential travel.

The country is as of Wednesday 03 February 2021 midnight declared as at the adjusted colour code *Orange* (*Community Transmission Stage*) with social, economic and general mitigation measures set out on this colour code *Orange* in the table below together with a curfew from 09:00p.m to 05:a.m.

#### 5.1. RISK DETERMINATION AND MITIGATING MEASURES FOR SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

SUPER SPREADER GROUP DESCRIPTION	LOW CASES	SPORADIC CASES	CLUSTERING INFECTIONS	COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION	HIGH COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION
	$R_0 \leq 1$	$1 < R_0 \le 1.5$	$1.5 < R_0 \le 2$	$2 < R_0 \le 2.5$	$R_0 > 2.5$
Wedding	Allow only 50 people if inside and 100 people if in an open outdoor setting.	Allow only 50 people if inside and 100 people if in an open outdoor setting. Avoid buffet services.	Allow only 50 people if inside and 100 people if in an open outdoor setting. Alcohol not allowed. Wedding to last for two hours only. No buffet service, only pre-packed meals.	Only wedding couple, their two witnesses and the officiant (magistrate/priest) with proceedings restricted to outdoors. No buffet service, only prepacked meals.	100% restricted
Mokete oa Lenyalo	Ho lumeletsoe feela batho ba 50 ha ts'ebeletso e le ka	Ho lumeletsoe feela batho ba 50 ha ts'ebeletso e le ka	Ho lumeletsoe feela batho ba 50 ha ts'ebeletso e le ka	Ho lumelletsoe feela banyalani, lipaki tsa bona tse peli le	Manyalo ha a Iumelloa



	hare. Ho lumeletsoe	hare. Ho lumeletsoe	hare. Ho lumeletsoe	monyalisi (maseterata	
	batho ba 100 ha	batho ba 100 ha	batho ba 100 ha	kapa moruti). Ho se be	
	ts'ebeletso e le	ts'ebeletso e le	ts'ebeletso e le	le lijo tse phakoang	
	kantle.	kantle. Batho ba se	kantle. Ts'ebeletso e	lenyalong, e be tse	
		ingoathele.	se ke ea feta hora tse	phuthetsoeng feela.	
			peli. Ho se be le lijo		
			tse phakoang		
			lenyalong, e be tse		
Funoral	The burial service	The burial service	phuthetsoeng feela.  The burial service be	The outdoor burial of	The outdoor buriel of
Funeral	should be outdoors	should be outdoors	outdoors with no	private family members	The outdoor burial of private family
	with not more than	with not more than	more than 100	service of not more	members service of
	100 people.The	100 people.The	people, not take	than 50 people, with	not more than 30
	service should be	service should be	more than 2 hours	men at the graveyard	people, with men at
	completed not later	completed not later	and to be completed	to help with burial at a	the graveyard to help
	than 10 am.	than 10 am. Avoid	not later than 10 am.	time, not take more	with burial at a time,
		buffet services.	No buffet service,	than 2 hours and to be	not take more than 2
	Avoid night vigils		only pre-packed	completed not later	hours and to be
	Use protective	Avoid night vigils	meals.	than 10 am. Only 5	completed not later
	clothing for	Use protective		speakers at the service	than 10 am. Only 5
	handling the burial	clothing for handling	No people allowed to	plus church service.	speakers at the
	tools	the burial tools	pay respects at the	Facemasks covering	service plus church
			home of the	nose and mouth must	service
			deceased No hosting	be worn all the time.	
			of daily prayer	The deceased must be	No people allowed to
			session	buried within seven (7)	pay respects at the
			No night vigil or	days of death.	home of the deceased
			Friday evening prayer		No hosting of daily
			service No memorial	No people allowed to	prayer session
			services	pay respects at the	No night vigil or Friday
			No viewing of corpse,	home of the deceased	evening prayer service
			only two members of	No hosting of daily	No memorial services
			family should identify	prayer session	No viewing of corpse,
			corpse at mortuary	No night vigil or Friday	Only 5 people should
			Only 5 people should	evening prayer service	identify and collect
			collect the corpse for	No memorial services	the corpse during
			burial at the	No viewing of corpse,	themorning of the
			mortuary Use protective	Only 5 people should identify and collect the	burial day at the mortuary straight to
			clothing for handling	corpse during the	the burial service.
			the burial tools	morning of the burial	Use protective
			the burial tools	day at the mortuary	clothing for handling
				straight to the burial	the burial tools and
				service.	coffin. No
				Use protective clothing	Slaughtering of
				for handling the burial	animals and serving or
				tools and coffin. No	meals.
				Slaughtering of animals	
				and serving of meals.	
				Tšebeletso ea lefu e	Tšebeletso ea lefu e
Tšebeletso ea	Tšebeletso ea lefu e	Tšebeletso ea lefu e	Tšebeletso ea lefu e	ts'oareloe kantle moo	ts'oareloe kantle moo
Lefu	ts'oareloe kantle	ts'oareloe kantle	ts'oareloe kantle	ho bulehileng ke litho	ho bulehileng ke litho
J <del></del>	moo ho bulehileng	moo ho bulehileng ka	moo ho bulehileng ka	tsa lelapa feela basa	tsa lelapa feela basa
	ka batho basa	batho basa feteng	batho basa feteng	feteng 50. Banna e be	feteng 30. Banna e be
	fetena 100	100	100 Tšeheletso eg		hong feelg ha eang

100. Tšebeletso ea

bona feela ba eang



feteng 100.

100.

	Ts'ebeletso ea		lepato e be e	mabitleng ho thusa ho	mabitleng ho thusa ho
	Ts'ebeletso ea lepato e be e phethetsoe ka hora leshome(10) hoseng. Batho ba se ingoathele. Re qobe ho etsa litebelo.  Batho ba sebelise litšireletsi le ho hloekisa matsoho ka mora ho arolelana lisebelisuoa tsa ho cheka lebitla le ho pata mofu.	Ts'ebeletso ea lepato e be e phethetsoe ka hora leshome (10) hoseng. Batho ba se ingoathele.  Batho ba sebelise litšireletsi le ho hloekisa matsoho ka mora ho arolelana lisebelisuoa tsa ho cheka lebitla le ho pata mofu.	lepato e be e phethetsoe ka hora leshome (10) hoseng. Batho ba se ingoathele. Re qobe ho etsa litebelo.  Batho ba sebelise litšireletsi le ho hloekisa matsoho ka mora ho arolelana lisebelisuoa tsa ho cheka lebitla le ho pata mofu.	mabitleng ho thusa ho pata mofu. Tšebeletso eohle ea lepato e se fete hora tse peli, mme litšebeletso tsohle tsa be li phethetsoe ka 10 hoseng. Tšebeletsong ea lepato ho buoe libui tse hlano (5) feela. Bohle ba roale limonkoana tse koahelang nko le molomo ka nako eohle. Mofu a bolokoe nakong ea matsatsi a supileng (7).  Ha ho ea lumelloa:  Ho ea matšelisong Thapelo ea letsatsi le letsatsi. Sehopotso sa mofu. Ho bona mofu. Ho bona mofu. Ho sebelisa kharafu e le nngoe. Ho hlaba liphoofolo. Ho pheha lijo. Litho tse 5 tsa lelapa litla lata le ho supa mofu 'moshareng hoseng hoa letsatsi la lepato a lebisoa ka kotloloho tšebeletsong ea lepato. Ho roaloe litšireletsi ho tšoara	mabitleng ho thusa ho pata mofu. Tšebeletso eohle ea lepato e se fete hora tse peli, mme litšebeletso tsohle tsa be li phethetsoe ka 10 hoseng. Tšebeletsongea lepato ho buoe libui tse hland (5) feela  Ha ho ea lumelloa: Ho ea matšelisong Thapelo ea letsatsi le letsatsi. Sehopotso sa mofu. Ho bona mofu. Ho sebelisa kharafu e le nngoe. Ho hlaba liphoofolo. Ho pheha lijo. Litho tse 5 tsa lelapa litla lata le ho supa mofu 'moshareng hoseng hoa letsatsi lalepato a lebisoa ka kotloloho tšebeletsong ea lepato. Ho roaloe litšireletsi ho tšoara lisebelisoa tsa lepato le lekese
Schools	Permitted	Schools to reopen all	Schools open	lisebelisoa tsa lepato le lekese  All Schools are closed	Schools closed
		classes from December 2020. The Minister of Education and Training shall provide guidance on the reopening	Open subject to development and approval of standard Risk-Based Guidelines by Ministry of Education and Training.	except external school classes exams undertaking	
Likolo	Likolo li butsoe	Likolo tsohle li tla buloa ho tloha ka khoeli ea Tsitoe 2020, se na se tla tataisoa ke moralo o tla lokolisoa ke Letona la Thuto le Koetliso.	Likolo li butsoe  Likolo li tla buloa ha melaoana e akaretsang e ananetsoe ke Lekala la Thuto le Koetliso.	Likolo tsohle li koetsoe, ntle feela le ho ngoloa hoa litlhatlhobo tsa mapomelo.	Likolo li koetsoe



Institutions of Higher Learning	Permitted	Open subject to development and approval of standard Risk-Based	Open subject to development and approval of standard Risk-Based	All Institutions of Higher Learning are closed	Closed
Litsi tsa thuto e phahameng	Litsi li butsoe	Guidelines.  Litsi li tla buloa ha melaoana e akaretsang e	Guidelines.  Litsi li tla buloa ha melaoana e akaretsang e	Litsi tsa thuto e phahameng tsohle li koetsoe.	Litsi tsa thuto e phahameng li koetso
Initiation\Traditi onal Schools	Open while observing COVID-19 protocols.	ananetsoe. 100% restricted	ananetsoe. 100% restricted	Closed	Closed
Lebollo	Lebollo le buletsoe, ho lateloe lipehelo tsa le COVID-19	Lebollo le thibetsoe	Lebollo le thibetsoe	Lebollo le thibetsoe	Lebollo le thibetsoe
Social/ Family Gatherings	Permitted	Open for 50 people inside and 100 people outside only. Observe COVID-19 Protocols.	Open for 100 people outside only.  COVID-19 Protocols observed. Alcohol not allowed	Closed	Closed
Mekete le meketjana	E lumelletsoe	Ho buletsoe likopano le meketjana ea malapeng ka palo ea 50 ha li tsoareloa ka matlung, ebe 100 ka ntle ho ntse ho lateloa lipehelo tsa Covid-19.	Ho buletsoe batho ba 100 ka ntle, ho eloa hloko lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Tsebeliso ea mothamahane ha ea lumelloa	E thibetsoe	E thibetsoe
Churches	Permitted	50% capacity if inside. Maximum of 500 people if outside and the service should last for not more than three hours. Masks must be worn all the time including when singing.	30% capacity if inside. Maximum of 100 people if outside and the service should last for two hours.  Masks must be worn all the time including when singing.	25% capacity of the church inside only. The service should last for not more than two hours. Must screen and sanitise everyone at entrance. Facemasks covering nose and mouth must be worn through out the service including when singing. Must disinfect between services.	All physical church services and gatherings are restricted
Likereke	Liphutheho le litšebeletso tsohle tsa kereke li lumelletsoe	Phuthetho ea batho ba etsang 50% ha tšebeletso e le ka hare ho kereke, 'me tšebeletso e se fete lihora tse tharo.  Phutheho ea batho ba 500 ha tšebeletso e le kantle ho kereke,	Phuthetho ea batho ba etsang 30% ha tšebeletso e le ka hare ho kereke, 'me tšebeletso e nke lihora tse peli feela.  Phutheho ea batho ba 100 ha tšebeletso e le kantle ho kereke,	Phuthetho ea batho ba etsang 25% kahara kereke feela.Tšebeletso e se fete lihora tse peli. Ho nkuoe mocheso le ho hloekisa matsoho ka sethibela likokoana pele ho kenoa monyako. Phuthetho e roale limonkoana ka	Liphutheho le litšebeletso tsohle tso hoea kerekeng li thibetsoe



		'me tšebeletso e nke	'me tšebeletso e nke	nako tsohle le ha ho	
		lihora tse tharo feela.	lihora tse peli feela.	binoa. Ho hloekisoe	
				kereke lipakeng pele	
		Phuthetho e roale li-	Phuthetho e roale li-	tšebeletso e nngoe e	
		Mask ka nako tsohle	Mask ka nako tsohle	kena	
		le ha ho binoa.	le ha ho binoa.		
Entertainment	Permitted	Indoor	Indoor	Closed	Closed
Industry		entertainment:	entertainment:		
1		Permitted subject to	Permitted subject to		
		issuance of permit bythe Ministry of	issuance of approved permit by Ministry of		
		Tourism.	Tourism and		
		Tourism.	NACOSEC		
		Permitted for a			
		maximum of 120	Permitted for a		
		people per 300	maximum of 120		
		Square meters.	people per 300		
		Where the area is	Square meters.		
		less than 300 square	Where the area is		
		meters allow only	less than 300 square		
		50% capacity.	meters allow only		
		Provide two security	50% capacity.		
		guards/bouncers.	Provide two security		
		Outdoor	guards/bouncers. Alcohol not allowed		
		entertainment:	Alcohol flot allowed		
		Permitted in only	Outdoor		
		privately owned	entertainment:		
		property with a	Permitted in only		
1		maximum of 120	privately owned		
		people per 300	property with a		
		Square meters.	maximum of 120		
		In large open areas	people per 300		
		only maximum of	Square meters.		
		2,500 people	In large open areas		
		allowed.	only maximum of		
			500 people allowed.		
		Provide not less than	Provide not less than		
		five security guards/bouncers.	five security guards/bouncers.		
		guarus/bouricers.	guarus/bouricers.		
		Public street	Alcohol not allowed		
		promotions:	7 liconor not allowed		
		Allowed with agreed	Public street		
		Terms and	promotions:		
		Conditions.	Allowed with agreed		
			Terms and		
		Events:	Conditions.		
		Start from 10am-	Alcohol not allowed.		
		12am			
			Private events:		
			Start from 10am-5pm		
			Commercial events:		
			Start from 10am-5pm		



Mino, menyakoe	Mekete eohle ea	Li buletsoe ka ho	Li buletsoe ka ho	Mekete eohle ea mino,	Mekete eohle ea
le boithabiso	lipina e lumelletsoe	fuoa tumello (permit)	fuoa tumello (permit)	menyakoe le boithabiso	mino, menyakoe le
		ke Lekala la	ke Lekala la	e thibetsoe	boithabisoe thibetso
		Bohahlauli	Bohahlauli		
		Boithabiso moo ho	Boithabiso moo ho		
		koetsoeng:	koetsoeng:		
		Ho lumelletsoe batho	Ho lumelletsoe batho		
		ba 120 sebakeng sa	ba 120 sebakeng sa		
		300 square meters.	300 square meters.		
		Moo sebaka se leng	Moo sebaka se leng		
		senyane ho feta 300	senyane ho feta 300		
		square meter ebe	square meter ebe		
		halofo ea kakaretso	halofo ea kakaretso		
		ea sebaka.	ea sebaka.		
		Ho be le balebeli ba	Ho be le balebeli ba		
		babeli ba fanang ka	babeli ba fanang ka		
		tšireletso le polokeho	tšireletso le		
			polokeho. Tsebeliso		
		Boithabiso libakeng	ea mothamahane ha		
		tse bulehileng:	e ea lumelloa.		
		Ebe libakeng tse nang le beng ba	Boithabiso libakeng		
		tsona.	tse bulehileng:		
		Ho lumelletsoe batho	Ebe libakeng tse		
		ba 120 sebakeng sa	nang le beng ba		
		300 square meters.	tsona. Ho		
		Moo sebaka se leng	lumelletsoe batho ba		
		seholo ho feta 300	120 sebakeng sa 300		
		square meters ho	square meters.		
		lumelletsoe batho ba	Moo sebaka se leng		
		sa feteng 2500.	seholo ho feta 300		
			square meters ho		
		Ho be le balebeli ba	lumelletsoe batho ba		
		seng ka tlase ho 5 ba	sa feteng 500.		
		fanang ka tšireletso			
		le polokeho	Ho be le balebeli ba		
			sa feteng 5 ba fanang		
		Papatso ea	ka tsireletso le		
		seterateng:	polokeho. Tšebeliso		
		E lumelletsoe tlasa lipehelo.	ea mothamahane ha e ea lumelloa.		
		liperielo.	e ea iumenoa.		
		Nako tsa tšebetso:	Papatso ea		
		Mekete e	seterateng:		
		koaletsoeng e qala ka	E lumelletsoe tlasa		
		10 hoseng ho isa ka	lipehelo.		
		12 khitla	Tsebeliso ea		
			mothamahane ha ea		
			lumelloa.		
			Nako tsa tsebetso:		
			Mekete e		
			koaletsoeng e qala ka		
			10 hoseng-8 bosiu		



			Mekete ea khoebo e		
			tla qala ka 10		
Sports Events	Sports permitted with spectators while observing COVID-19 protocols.	Outdoor sports permitted with 50% spectators' capacitywhile observing COVID-19 protocols.	hoseng-11 bosiu.  Outdoor sports permitted withno spectators while observing COVID-19 protocols. No alcohol allowed. The maximum number of persons permitted at any sporting event shall not exceed 100 and shall include all players, officials and administrative staff.	Closed	Closed
Lipapali	Lipapali li lumelletsoe le bolateli, ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19	Lipapali tsa ka ntle li lumelletsoe 'me palo ea batšehetsi/babuhi e se fete halofo ea kakaretso ea sebaka, ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID- 19.	Lipapali tsa ka ntle li lumelletsoe ho se ba tsehetsi/babuhi, ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Libapali, batsamaisi le basebetsi ba se fete lekholoo lipapaling  Tšebeliso ea mothamahane ha ea lumelloa.	Lipapali tsohle li thibetsoe	Lipapali tsohle li thibetsoe
Political Gatherings	Permitted	Maximum of 500 outside  Should last not more than 3hrs, starting from 12:00hrs - 15:00hrs	Maximum of 50 people if inside. Maximum of 100 people if outside  No food and alcohol. Should last not more than 2 hours.	Not Permitted	Not Permitted
Liboka tsa Lipolotiki	Liboka tsa lipolotiki li lumeletsoe.	Seboka sa batho ba 500 ha se le kantle. Seboka se se fete lihora tse 3, se qale ka 12:00 motseare ho isa ho 15:00 mantsiboea.	Seboka sa batho ba 50 ha se le ka hare. Seboka sa batho ba 100 ha se le ka ntle. Lijo le joala ha lia lumelloa. Seboka se se fete lihora tse peli.	Liboka ha li ea lumelloa	Liboka tsa lipolotiki ha li ea lumelloa.
Pitso	Permitted	Maximum of 500 people while observing COVID-19 protocols.  Should last not more than 2 hours from 11:00hrs to 13:00hrs	Maximum of 50 people if inside. Maximum of 100 people if outside for COVID-19 awareness only.  No food and alcohol.	Maximum of 50 people outside for COVID-19 awareness only. No food and alcohol. Should last for an hour.	Maximum of 30 people outside for COVID-19 awareness only. No food and alcohol. Should last for an hour.



			Should last not more than 2 hours.		
	Lipitso tsohle tsa sechaba li lumelletsoe	Pitso ea batho ba 500 ha e le ka ntle. Pitso e se fete lihora tse peli mme e qale ka 11:00 hoseng ho isa ho 1:00 motseare.	Lipitso tsohle tsa sechaba li thibetsoe, ntle feela le tse reretsoeng ho fetisa melaetsa le ho ruta ka COVID-19 ka palo ea batho basa feteng 50 haele ka haree, le ka palo ea batho basa feteng 100 haele kantle.  Lijo le joala ha lia lumelloa. Pitso e se fete lihora	Lipitso tsohle tsa sechaba li thibetsoe, ntle feela le tse reretsoeng ho fetisa melaetsa le ho ruta ka COVID-19 ka palo ea batho basa feteng 50 kantle, ka nako e sa feteng hora.  Lipitso ha li ea lumelloa ka hare ho meaho. Lijo le joala ha lia lumelloa.	Lipitso tsohle tsa sechaba li thibetsoe, ntle feela le tse reretsoeng ho fetisa melaetsa le ho ruta ki COVID-19 ka palo ea batho basa feteng 30 kantle, ka nako e sa feteng hora.
Public	Permitted	Open subject to	tse peli. Open subject to	Pitso e se fete hora.  CLosed	Closed
Recreational Areas (parks)	remitted	development and approval of standard Risk-Based Guidelines by Local Councils while observing COVID-19 Protocols.	development and approval of standard Risk-Based Guidelines while observing COVID-19 Protocols.  No Alcohol allowed	CLoseu	Cioseu
Libaka tsa ho- phomola le boithapollo	Libaka tsa ho- phomola le boithapollo li lumelletsoe	Ho buletsoe libaka tsa ho phomola le boithapollo ha ho ipapisa le lipehelo tse tla amoheloa, ho phatlalatsoa le ho kengoa tšebetsong	Libaka tsa ho- phomolali tla buloa ha melaoana e akaretsang e ananetsoe ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Tsebeliso ea mothamahane ha ea lumelloa.	Libaka tsohle tsa ho- phomola le boithapollo li thibetsoe	Libaka tsohle tsa ho- phomola le boithapollo li thibetsoe
Gyms	Open while observing COVID-19 Protocols. Disinfect surfaces of the equipments between use.	Open while observing COVID-19 Protocols. Disinfect surfaces of the equipments between use.	Open for not more than 100 people outside while observing COVID-19 Protocols	Closed	Closed
Litsi tsa Boikoetliso	Li buletsoe ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Ho hloekisoe lisebelisoa tsa boikoetliso khafetsa.	Li buletsoe ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Ho hloekisoe lisebelisoa tsa boikoetliso khafetsa.	Ho buletsoe batho basa feteng 100 ka ntle ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19.	Libaka tsohle tsa boikoetliso li thibetsoe	Libaka tsohle tsa boikoetliso li thibetso
Industrial Action	Permitted	100% restricted	100% restricted	Not permitted	Not permitted
(picketing, protests, demonstrations)	Mats'olo le mekoloko eohle ea	Mats'olo le mekoloko eohle ea boipelaetso e thibetsoe	Mats'olo le mekoloko eohle ea boipelaetso e thibetsoe	Mats'olo le mekoloko eohle ea boipelaetso e thibetsoe	Mats'olo le mekoloko eohle ea boipelaetso e thibetsoe



Mats'olo a boipelaetso	boipelaetso e lumelletsoe				
Correctional Services	Restrict visitors to only nuclear family, health care workers, legal counsel and oversight bodies Only investigations and medical referrals to health facilities for critical conditions Restrict number of inmates deployed for manual labour outside Correctional Institutions premises Restrict escorts to Court attendance. Observe COVID-19 protocols.	Restrict visitors to only nuclear family, health care workers, legal counsel and oversight bodies Only investigations and medical referrals to health facilities for critical conditions. Restrict number of inmates deployed for manual labour outside Correctional Institutions premises. Restrict escorts to Court attendance. Observe COVID-19 protocols.	Restrict visitors to health care workers, legal counsel and oversight bodies No more inmates doing manual outside premises except for essential services No inmates deployed for manual labour outside Correctional Institutions premises except for essential operations Introduce remote remands and Restrict escorts to scheduled Court Cases  Ho buletsoe ho etela	Restrict visitors to health care workers, legal counsel and oversight bodies Only investigations and medical referrals to health facilities for life threating and emergency disease conditions No inmates deployed for manual labour outside Correctional Institutions premises except for essential operations Introduce remote remands. Conduct virtual court cases	Restrict visitors to health care workers, legal counsel and oversight bodies.  Only investigations and medical referrals to health facilities for life threating and emergency disease conditions  Inmates deployed outside Correctional Institutions premises only for meal preparation activities  Conduct virtual court cases
ea batšoaruoa		batsoaruoa litsing tsa tlhabollo e be feela ba malapa, bafani ba litšebeletso, le bo ramolao ba bona mmoho le bosebeletsi bo bong bo bohlokoa	batsoaruoa litsing tsa tlhabollo e be feela ba malapa, bafani ba litšebeletso, le bo ramolao ba bona mmoho le bosebeletsi bo bong bo bohlokoa		
International Travel (Ports of Entry)	Permitted	Departing and Arrivals including Tourists: Permitted while observing COVID-19 protocols including 72 hrs Negative Certificate.	Basotho and resident permit holders departing Permitted:  Patient plus two accompanying adults.  Diplomats  Business travellers  Students  Migrant workers with valid work permits and special permits  Funerals for parents, children, siblings and grandparents only  People with special needs and who shall be approved by NACOSEC.	No movements across borders except for:  Essential goods and services  Diplomats  Medical reasons (with permits)  Migrant Workers  Students  Funerals for parents, children, siblings and grandparents only  Approved Covid-19testing ofall commercial cargo vehicle drivers and all those who cross into the country at ports of entry. Only negative foreign drivers and other persons shall be allowed entry. Positive foreign drivers and persons shall be denied	No movements across borders except for:  Essential goods and services  Medical reasons (with permits)  Migrant Workers  Funerals for parents, children siblings and grandparents only approved Covid-19testing of all commercial cargo vehicle drivers and all those who cross into the country at ports of entry. Only negative foreign drivers and other persons shall be allowed entry. Positive foreign drivers and persons shall be denied entry. Positive Lesotho citizens shall



			Traveling will be inaccordance with the approved guidelines	entry. Positive Lesotho citizens shall be quarantined for PCR testing  Daily commuting workers not allowed.	be quarantined for PCR testing  Daily commuting workers not allowed.
Maeto a kantle ho naha	Ho kena le ho tsoa malibohong ho lumelletsoe ka botlalo	Maliboho a buletsoe bohle ho kenyeletsoa le bahahlaoli ho ntse ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19, moeti a be le lengolo la hore ha ana tsoaetso le ka hare ho nako ea lihora tse 72.	Basotho le melata e lumelletsoeng ba tsoang ka hara naha: Ba lumelletsoeng:  Bakuli le bafelehetsi basa feteng bobeli.  Bahlomphehi.  Bo Rakhoebo.  Baithuti.  Basotho ba lumelletsoeng ho sebetsa ka ntle ho Naha ba nang le tumello ea tsebetso e nakong.  Basotho ba nang le litlhoko tse ikhethang  Mekhahlelo ena kaofela etla ipapisa le lipehelo tse hlahang tataisong.	Ho kena le ho tsoa malibohong ho koetsoe ntle fela le ho mekhahlelo e latelang:  Bohle ba tsamaeang ho isa lits'ebeletso le lisebelisoa tsa mantlha Baliplomate Bakuli le bafelehetsi basa feteng bobeli. Ba boelang mosebetsing le likolong Ba ilo pata setho salelapa se haufi Batho ba lulang ka ntle ho naha ba ts'elang letsatsi le letsatsi ha ba ea lumelloa  Mekhahlelo e ts'elang kaofela etla ipapisa le lipehelo tse hlahang tataisong.	Ho kena le ho tsoa malibohong ho koetsoe ntle fela le ho mekhahlelo e latelang  Bohle ba tsamaeang ho isa lits'ebeletso le lisebelisoa tsa mantlha  Bakuli le bafelehetsi basa feteng bobeli.  Ba boelang mosebetsing  Ba ilo pata setho sa lelapa se haufi  Batho ba lulang ka ntle ho naha ba ts'elang letsatsi le letsatsi ha ba ea lumelloa  Mekhahlelo e ts'elang kaofela etla ipapisa le lipehelo tse hlahang tataisong.



Non designated	Those entering shall	Those entering shall	Those entering shall	Those entering shall be	Those entering shall
points of entry	be comprehensively	be comprehensively	be comprehensively	comprehensively	be comprehensively
	screened and then	screened and then	screened and then	screened and then	screened and then
	those positive shall	those positive shall	those positive shall	those positive shall be	those positive shall be
	be PCR tested while	be PCR tested while	be PCR tested while	PCR tested while those	PCR tested while
	those negative shall	those negative shall	those negative shall	negative shall be	those negative shall
	be quarantined for	be quarantined for	be quarantined for	quarantined for 14 days	be quarantined for 14
	14 days	14 days	14 days		days
Likhoroana tsa	Ba ts'elang bat la	Ba ts'elang batla	Ba ts'elang batla	Ba ts'elang batla etsoa	Ba ts'elang batla
matsa	etsoa liteko tse	etsoa liteko tse	etsoa liteko tse	liteko tse potlakileng	etsoa liteko tse
	potlakileng tsa	potlakileng tsa	potlakileng tsa	tsa COVID-19, mme ba	potlakileng tsa COVID
	COVID-19, mme ba	COVID-19, mme ba	COVID-19, mme ba	nang le ts'oaetso ba tla	19, mme ba nang le
	nang le ts'oaetso ba	nang le ts'oaetso ba	nang le ts'oaetso ba	etsoa liteko tsa PCR tsa	ts'oaetso ba tla etsoa
	tla etsoa liteko tsa	tla etsoa liteko tsa	tla etsoa liteko tsa	mapomelo ha ba	liteko tsa PCR tsa
	PCR tsa mapomelo	PCR tsa mapomelo	PCR tsa mapomelo	senang ts'oaetso ba tla	mapomelo ha ba
	ha ba senang	ha ba senang	ha ba senang	beoa quarantine ea	senang ts'oaetso ba
	ts'oaetso ba tla	ts'oaetso ba tla beoa	ts'oaetso ba tla beoa	matsatsi a 14	tla beoa quarantine ed
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## 5.2. RISK DETERMINATION AND MITIGATING MEASURES FOR ECONOMIC ACTIVITIES

SUPERSPREADE R GROUP DESCRIPTION	LOW CASES	SPORADIC CASES	CLUSTERING INFECTIONS	COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION	HIGH COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION
	$R_0 \le 1$	$1 < R_0 \le 1.5$	$1.5 < R_0 \le 2$	$2 < R_0 \le 2.5$	$R_0 > 2.5$



Textile Manufacturing	Permitted	Resume normal operating hours	Normal working hours with 50%	Resume work with 50% maximum staff	Resume work with 50% maximum staff
(Labour intensive)		while observing COVID-19 protocols.	maximum staff capacity Introduce 7:00 pm to 5.00am night shifts for all sectors with 2hr break	capacity. Introduce day shift from 08:00am to 04:00pm and night shift from 07:00pm to 05:00am with 1 hour break	capacity Introduce 08:00a.m to 4:00pm shift only with 1 hour brake
Lifeme tsa Liaparo	Tšebetso eohle ea lifemeng e buletsoe	Ho butsoe ka botlalo ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID- 19.	Ho sebetsoe ka mekhahlelo e kenyeletsang bosiu ho tloha ka 07:00 mantsiboea ho isa 05:00 hoseng, mme mokhahlelo ka mong o nke basebetsi ba mashome a mahlano lekholong (50%)	Ho sebetsoe ka mekhahlelo e mmeli, oa letsatsi ebe ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho isa 4:00 mantsiboea, oa bosiu ebe ho tloha ka 07:00 mantsibuoa ho isa ho 05:00 hoseng. Mokhahlelo ka nngoe o nke basebetsi ba 50% ka khefutso ea hora lipakeng	Ho sebetsoe ka mokhahlelo o le mong ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho isa 4:00 mantsiboea, mme mokhahlelo ou o nke basebetsi ba 50% ka khefutso ea hora lipakeng
Other Manufacturing Industries	Permitted	Resume normal operating hours while observing COVID-19 protocols	Introduce 7:00 pm to 5.00am night shifts for all sectors	Resume work with 50% maximum staff capacity. Introduce day shift from 08:00am to 04:00pm and night shift from 07:00pm to 05:00am with 1 hour break	Closed
	Tšebetso eohle e buletsoe	Ho butsoe ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19.	Ho kengoe mokhahlelo oa tšebetso oa bosiu o qalang ka 07:00 mantsiboea ho fihlela 05:00 hoseng	Ho sebetsoe ka mekhahlelo e mmeli, oa letsatsi ebe ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho isa 4:00 mantsiboea, oa bosiu ebe ho tloha ka 07:00 mantsibuoa ho isa ho 05:00 hoseng. Mokhahlelo ka nngoe o nke basebetsi ba 50% ka khefutso ea hora lipakeng	Tšebetso eohle e koetsoe
Public Transport	4+1: Full capacity 15 seater: Full seated capacity, no standing 22 seater: Full seated capacity, no standing Bus: Full seated capacity, no standing	4+1: Full capacity 15 seater: Full seated capacity, no standing 22 Seater: Full seated capacity, no standing Bus: Full seated capacity, no standing	4+1: Full capacity 15 Seater: Full seated capacity, no standing 22 seater: Full seated capacity, no standing Bus: Full seated capacity, no standing	4+1: 3 passengers not counting the driver 15 Seater: 11 passengers not counting the driver and his deputy. 22 Seater: 15 passengers not counting the driver and his deputy	4+1: 3 passengers not counting the driver 15 Seater: 11 passengers not counting the driver and his deputy. 22 Seater: 15 passengers not counting the driver and his deputy



				Bus: Occupy one seat	Bus: Occupy one seat
	Aircon not on internal air circulation. Windows open.	Aircon not on internal air circulation. Windows open.	Aircon not on internal air circulation. Windows open.	on a two-seater bench, and occupy two seats on a three-seater bench, occupy only four seats at the backbench.	on a two-seater bench, and occupy two seats on a three-seater bench, occupy only four seats at the backbench.
	Disinfection in accordance with National Guidelines	Disinfection in accordance with National Guidelines	Disinfection in accordance with National Guidelines	Aircon not on internal air circulation. Windows open.	Aircon not on internal air circulation. Windows open.
				Wearing of masks and disinfection in accordance with National Guidelines	Wearing of masks and disinfection in accordance with National Guidelines
Makoloi	4+1: Koloi e tlale 15-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. 22-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. Bus: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto.  Ho sebelisoe sefehla- moea se hulelangmoea ka ntle ho koloi.  Lifestere li lule li butsoe.  Ho sebelisoe se- bolaea-kokoana hloko ho latela melaoana ea naha.	4+1: Koloi e tlale 15-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. 22-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. Bus: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto.  Ho sebelisoe sefehla- moea se hulelangmoea ka ntle ho koloi.  Lifestere li lule li butsoe.  Ho sebelisoe se- bolaea-kokoana hloko ho latela melaoana ea naha.	4+1: Koloi e tlale 15-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. 22-seater: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto. Bus: Koloi e tlale, ho se be baeti ba emeng ka maoto.  Ho sebelisoe sefehla-moea sehulelang moea ka ntle ho koloi.  Lifestere li lule li butsoe.  Ho sebelisoe se- bolaea-kokoana hloko ho latela melaoana ea naha.	4+1: Baeti ba bararo, le moqhobi 15-seater: Baeti ba 11, moqhobi le Mothusi oa hae. 22-seater: Baeti ba 15, moqhobi le Mothusi oa hae. Bus: sebelisa setulo se le seng moo ho lulang baeti ba babeli, Sebelisa litulo tse peli moo ho lulang baeti ba bararo, sebelisa litulo tse 'ne feela setulong sa ho qetela morao.  Ho sebelisoe sefehlamoea se hulelang moea ka ntle ho koloi. Lifestere li lule li butsoe.  Ho roaloe limask le ho sebelisa se-bolaeakokoana hloko ho latela melaoana ea naha.	4+1: Baeti ba bararo, le moqhobi 15-seater: Baeti ba 11, moqhobi le Mothusi oa hae. 22-seater: Baeti ba 15, moqhobi leMothusi oa hae. Bus: sebelisa setulo se le seng moo ho lulang baeti ba babeli, Sebelisa litulo tse peli moo ho lulang baetiba bararo, sebelisa litulo tse 'ne feela setulong sa ho qetela morao.  Ho sebelisoe sefehlamoea se hulelang moea ka ntle ho koloi. Lifestere li lule li butsoe.  Ho roaloe limask le ho sebelisa se-bolaeakokoana hloko ho latela melaoana ea naha.
Mining and Massive Construction Projects	Introduce COVID-19 Testing for all employees at commencement of a shift cycle and onsite accommodation for all staff	Introduce COVID-19 Testing for all employees at commencement of a shift cycle and onsite accommodation for all staff	Introduce COVID-19 Testing for all employees at commencement of a shift cycle and onsite accommodation for all staff	Introduce COVID-19 Testing for all employees at commencement of Mining and Massive construction shift cycle.  Hardwares and builders are also opened from 08:00a.m to 04:00pm	Introduce COVID-19 Testing for all employees at commencement of Mining and Massive construction shift cycle and onsite accommodation for all staff



				observing all protocols including wearing of facemasks of both workers and clients, and sanitizing at entrances.	Hardwares and builders are alsoopened observing all protocols including wearing of masks of both workers and clients, and sanitizing at entrances. Hardwares are opened with 50% staff capacity from 08:00a.m to 13:00hrs
Merafong le Mesebetsi e meholo	Mosebetsi e mong le emong o lokela ho lula komponeng ea mosebetsi le ho etsa liteko tsa COVID-19 pele a kenale hotsoa komponeng	Mosebetsi e mong le emong o lokela ho lula komponeng ea mosebetsi le ho etsa liteko tsa COVID-19 pele a kenale hotsoa komponeng	Mosebetsi e mong le emong o lokela ho lula komponeng ea mosebetsi le ho etsa liteko tsa COVID-19 pele a kenale hotsoa komponeng	Mosebetsi e mong leemong o lokela ho etsa liteko tsa COVID- 19 pele a kena le ho tsoa komponeng tsa limaene le Mesebetsi e meholo  Lihardware le liahi li buletsoe ka ho sebetsa, ho roaloa limonkoana ke basebetsi le basebeletsuoa le ho nyanyatsa matsoho ka sebolaea-likokoana. Lihardware li bula ka 08:00 hoseng li koala ka 04:00 mantsiboea	Mosebetsi e mong leemong o lokela ho lula komponeng ea mosebetsi le ho etsa liteko tsa COVID- 19pele a kenale hotsoa komponeng tsa limaene le Mesebetsi e meholo  Lihardware le liahi li buletsoe ka ho sebetsa, ho roaloa limask ke basebetsi le basebeletsuoa le ho nyanyatsa matsoho ka sebolaea-likokoana. Lihardware li sebetsa ka basebetsi ba sa feteng 50% mme li bula ka 08:00 hoseng li koala ka 13:00 mantsiboea
Bank ATMs	Salary and other Payments should be made through electronic channels. Restrict the cash economy	Salary and other Payments should be made through electronic channels. Restrict the cash economy	Salary and other Payments should be made through electronic channels. Restrict the cash economy	Salary and other Payments should be made through electronic channels. Restrict the cash economy	Salary and other Payments should be made through electronic channels. Restrict the cash economy
	Meputso le lipatala tsohle li etsoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang	Meputso le lipatala tsohle li etsoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang	Meputso le lipatala tsohle li etsoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang-rang	Meputso le lipatala tsohle li etsoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang	Meputso le lipatala tsohle li etsoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang
Traffic and Home Affairs Departments	Resume normal operating hours while observing COVID-19 protocols. Disinfect daily.	Resume normal operating hours while observing COVID-19 protocols. Disinfect daily.	Introduce day shifts	Resume work with 50% maximum staff capacity Introduce 07:00a.m to 06:00pm shift.	Only essential services -Emergency travel documents and licenses -Birth and Death certificates



	Ho butsoe ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-	Ho butsoe ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19.	Ho kenngoe mekhahlelo oa tšebetso	Ho sebetsoe ka basebetsi ba etsang 50% ho tloha ka 07:00	-Only holders ofpermit C and D are allowed to move around -No authorization permits issued -Automatic extension of transport licences and permits for those expired during lockdown  Ho fanoe fela litšebeletso tsa
Social Grants	Social Grants Payments should be through electronic channels.Restrict the cash economy.	Social Grants Payments should be made through electronic channels.	Social Grants Payments should be made through electronic channels.	hoseng ho isa 06:00 mantsiboea.  Social Grants Payments should be made through electronic channels.	Social Grants Payments should be made through electronic channels.
	Li lefshoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang	Li lefshoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang- rang	Li lefshoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang-rang	Li lefshoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang-rang	Li lefshoe ka ts'ebeliso ea marang-rang
Retail Supermarkets andGrocery Shops& Cafes	Restrict number of people per store 1 person per every square meter unoccupied.	Resume operations while observing Covid-19 protocols	Restrict number of people per store 1 person per every square meter Opening from 07:00a.m and close at 08:00 p.m	Restrict number of people per store, 1 person per every square meter Opening from 08:00a.m and close at 04:00 p.m Use sanitizers described in the national guidelines	Restrict number of people per store, 1 person per every square meter Opening from 08:00a.m and close at 04:00 p.m. Deli cooked food and clothing sections are closed
	Ho laoloe tšubuhlellano ka ho fanana sebaka se lekaneng	Mabenkele a thekiso ea tsa lisebelisuioa tsa lapeng a buletsoe ke botlalo ho ntse ho lateloa mehato ea boipaballo ea Covid	Ho laoloe tšubuhlellano le ho bula ho tloha ka 07:00 hoseng ho fihlela ka 08:00 mantsiboea	Ho laoloe tšubuhlellano le ho bula ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho fihlela ka 04:00 mantsiboea. Ho sebelisoe senyanyatsi sa ho thibela mafu ka linako tsohle.	Ho laoloe tšubuhlellano le ho bula ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho fihlela ka 04:00 mantsiboea. Thekiso ea lijo tse phehiloeng le liphahlo li koetsoe. Ho sebelisoe senyanyatsi sa ho thibela mafu ka linako tsohle.
Cross Border Money Transfer	Introduce one-way lane in shops	Introduce one-way lane in shops	Introduce one-way lane in shops	Introduce one-way lane in shops	Introduce one-way lane in shops
	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho



Clothing	Permitted while	Permitted while	Permitted while	Permitted and open	Closed
shopping	observing COVID-19 protocols.	observing COVID-19 protocols.	strictly observing COVID-19 protocols and no fittings	from 08:00am to 04:00pm while strictly observing COVID-19 protocols and no fittings.	
	Ho butsoe ho ntso ho latetsoe melaoana ea COVID-19.	Ho butsoe ho ntso ho latetsoe melaoana ea COVID-19	Ho be le mocha o lemong o ikamahanyang le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa tšreletseho, mme ho se itekanngoe liaparo	Li buletsoe ho sebetsa ho tloha ka 08:00 hoseng ho fihlela ka 04:00 mantsibuoa, mme ho se itekanngoe ka liaparo	Li koetsoe
Public places, Malls, Banks, &Major public service centres	Introduce infra- red temperature screening, masks wearingand sanitizing at the entrance, to monitor compliance at the entrance	Introduce infra- red temperature screening, masks wearingand sanitizing at the entrance, to monitor compliance at the entrance	Introduce infra- red temperature screening, masks wearingand sanitizing at the entrance, to monitor compliance at the entrance	Introduce infra- red temperature screening, masks wearingand sanitizing at the entrance, to monitor compliance at the entrance	Introduce infra- red temperature screening, masks wearingand sanitizing at the entrance, to monitor compliance at the entrance
Libaka tsohle tsa ts'ebeletso moo batho ba eang ka bongata	Ho fanoe ka ts'ebeletso e tlamang ea ho hlahloba mocheso le ho netefatsa hore batho bohle ba ikamahanya le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho ha ba kena menyako	Ho fanoe ka ts'ebeletso e tlamang ea ho hlahloba mocheso le ho netefatsa hore batho bohle ba ikamahanya le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho ha ba kena menyako	Ho fanoe ka ts'ebeletso e tlamang ea ho hlahloba mocheso le ho netefatsa hore batho bohle ba ikamahanya le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho ha ba kena menyako	Ho fanoe ka ts'ebeletso e tlamang ea ho hlahloba mocheso le ho netefatsa hore batho bohle ba ikamahanya le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho ha ba kena menyako	Ho fanoe ka ts'ebeletso e tlamang ea ho hlahloba mocheso le ho netefatsa hore batho bohle ba ikamahanya le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho ha ba kena menyako
Cultural and Creative Industries	See entertainment Indusrty above.	See entertainment Indusrty above.	Restricted Online performance only	Restricted Online performance only	Closed
Bonono le bochaba	Sheba lipehelo tsa litaba tsa boithabiso ka holimo.	Sheba lipehelo tsa litaba tsa boithabiso ka holimo.	Li lumelletsoe ho fanoa ka marang- rang feela	Li lumelletsoe ho fanoa ka marang-rang feela	Ha li a lumelloa
Commercial Agricultural and Livestock Activities	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted	Permitted
Тето	Temo e lumelletsoe	Temo e lumelletsoe	Temo e lumelletsoe	Temo e lumelletsoe	Temo e lumelletsoe
Street Vendors	Permitted while observing COVID-19 protocols.	Closed			
Baitšokoli	Baitšokoli ba lumelletsoe ho hoeba ba ipapisitse le lipehelo tsa COVID-19	Baitšokoli ba lumelletsoe ho hoeba ba ipapisitse le lipehelo tsa COVID- 19	Baitšokoli ba lumelletsoe ho hoeba ba ipapisitse le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa tšireletseho, mme	Baitšokoli ba lumelletsoe ho hoeba ba ipapisitse le lipehelo tsa bophelo tsa ts'ireletseho, mme ba roale limask hape ba	Baitšokoli ba koaletsoe ho hoeba ka nako ena



			ba roale limask	hlape matsoho le ho	
			hape ba hlape	sanitizer khafetsa ba bile ba sielana sebaka	
			matsoho le ho		
			sanitizer khafetsa ba bile ba sielana	sa mitara le halofo	
			sebaka sa mitara le	lipakeng	
			halofo lipakeng		
Tourism	Accommodation	Accommodation	Accommodation	Accommodation	Closed
Industry	venues open with	venues open with	venues open with	venues open with 100%	0.0000
,	100% occupancy	100% occupancy,	100% occupancy,	occupancy,	
		identification	identification	identification	
		registration. Sit in	registration. Sit in	registration and strictly	
		allowed.	allowed.	room service. Allow	
				one person per room if	
		Observe COVID-19	Observe COVID-19	the occupants are not	
		Protocols	Protocols	spouses. No buffet,	
				communal eating,	
				public/private bar,	
				visitors and	
				conferences &	
				workshops.	
				Employees must	
				operate on two shifts:	
				06:00am to 01:00pm	
				and 01:00pm to	
				08:00pm.	
	Libaka tsa kamohelo	Libaka tsa kamohelo	Libaka tsa kamohelo	Libaka tsa kamohelo ea	Libaka tsohle tsa
	ea baeti li buloe joalo	ea baeti li butsoe ho	ea baeti li butsoe ho	baeti li buloe, empa ho	kamohelo ea baeti li
	kamehla	ntso ho lateloa	ntso ho lateloa	koaloe libara tsohle le	koetsoe
		lipehelo tsa COVID-	lipehelo tsa COVID-	libaka tsa hojella, ho	
		19.	19.	sebe le baeti le	
				likonferense. Lijo le lino	
				li isoe matlong a	
				boroko. Ho lule motho	
				a le mong ka ntlong ea	
				baeti ha feela ese	
				banyalani. Basebetsi ba	
				sebetse ka mekhahlelo	
				e mmeli: 06:00am ho	
				isa ho 01:00pm le	
				01:00pm ho isa ho	
				08:00pm	
Gambling	Operate at full	Resume operations	To open under	Closed	Closed
Industry	capacity	whileobserving	COVID-19 protocols.		
		COVID-19 protocols.	Strictly no food and		
			alcohol sold.		
	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li tla buloa ho	Li tla buloa tlasa	Li koetsoe.	Li koetsoe.
	sebetsa	ipapisistoe le lipehelo	melaoana ea		
		tsa COVID-19.	NACOSEC COVID-19.		
		100 00 112 251	133 - 1 - 3 - 1 - 15		
			Lijo le joala li		
Postauranta 9	Operate with full		thibetsoe.	Operate with take	Clased
Restaurants & Fast Foods	Operate with full capacity	Resume operations while observing		Operate with take- aways only from	Closed



		Alcohol may be served	No alcohol allowed for sit in  Open from 8am -	Take-aways must include sale of alcohol.	
			9pm Sit in allowed		
Mabenkele a rekisang lijo	Li buletsoe ho sebetsa ka ho felletseng	Li buletsoe ho sebetsa li ntse li ipapisitse le melaoana ea COVID- 19 Joala bo ka rekisoa	Li buletsoe ho sebetsa ka ho felletseng mme bareki ba ingolise ka litokomane tsa boitsebiso ho ntso ho lateloa lipehelo tsa COVID-19. Thekiso ea mothamahane ha ea lumelloa hoba lulang. Lihora tsa tsebetso ke ho tloha ka 8am- 9pm	Li buletsoe ho rekisa ka ho nka liphutheloana feela mme likenyelelitse mothamahane. Ho buloe ka 08am, ho koaloe ka 04:00pm.	Li koetsoe kaofela hoa tsona
Liquor Stores (wholesalers, offsales, tarvens, shebeens canteens) and Nightclubs	All liquor stores open while observing COVID-19 protocols.	Resume operations while observing COVID-19 protocols.  Nightclubs operate from 18h00-00h00 while observing COVID-19 protocols. Only 50% capacity allowed with registration of patrons/customers. Disinfect regurlaly.	Liquor stores: Take- Out only and operate from 9a.m until 7p.m with restricted quantities per person: one and half cases for 1% to 10% alcohol content; 6 litres for 11% to 20% alcohol content and one litre for 21%+ alcohol content  Nightclubs completely closed	Liquor stores operate from Monday to Thursday. Operate from 10:00a.m until 04:00p.m and take-out only with restricted quantities per person: half case for 1% to 10% alcohol content; 6 litres for 11% to 20% alcohol content and one litre for 21%+ alcohol content.  Nightclubs to be completely closed	All Liquor wholesalers, offsales, public bars, shebeen, canteens and nightclubs to be completely closed
Libaka tsa mothamahane le Litamene	Libaka tsohle tsa mothamahane li butsoe ho ntso ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID- 19	Libaka tsohle tsa mothamahane li butsoe ho ntso ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19	Ho buletsoe libaka tsa motshamahane ho tloha 'Mantaha ho isa Labohlano ka honka liphutheloana ka litekanyetso ho tloha ka 09:00 hoseng hofihlela ka 07:00 mantsiboe.	Ho buletsoe libaka tsa mothamahane ho tloha 'Mantaha ho isa Labohlano ka honka liphutheloana ka litekanyetso ho tloha ka 10:00 hoseng hofihlela ka 04:00 mantsiboea.	Libaka tsa mothamahane, liphepeseleng le tsa
	Litamene li butsoe, li tla sebetsa ho tloha ka hora ea botselela mantsibuea hoisa ka khitla ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID-19	Litamene li butsoe, li tla sebetsa ho tloha ka hora ea botselela mantsibuea hoisa ka khitla ho ipapisitsoe le lipehelo tsa COVID- 19	Litamene li koetsoe	Litamene kaofela li koetsoe	Litamene kaofela li koetsoe



Business	Permitted	Permitted at 50%	Permitted observing	Restricted strictly to	Restricted strictly to
networking and		capacity of venue	limited 30 people	virtual meetings	virtual meetings
conferences		while observing	not more than 2		
		COVID-19 protocols	hours		
Liphutheho le	Li lumelletsoe	Ho lumeletsoe batho	Li buletsoe batho	Li ea koaloa, mme ho	Li ea koaloa, mme ho
likopano tsa		basa feteng halofo ea	basa feteng 30 le	sebelisoa marang-rang	sebelisoa marang-
ts'ebetso		sebaka ho lateloa	hore li se nke hofeta		rang
		boitsireletso ba covid	hora tse peli (2hrs)		J
Walk -In, Over	Permitted	Resume operations	Introduce 7:00 pm	Operate with 50%	Introduce day shifts
the Counter,		while observing	to 5.00am shifts for	maximum staff capacity	for all sectors. Normal
Essential		COVID-19 protocols	all sectors. Normal	from 08:00a.m to	banking hours will
Services (Banks,			banking hours will	4:00pm. Usage of	apply. Usage of digital
Utilities,			apply. Usage of	digital payment	payment channels to
Communication			digital payment	channels to restrict	restrict cash economy
s Companies,			channels to restrict	cash economy	
etc.)			cash economy		
			·		
Litsi tsa	Li buletsoe ho	Li lumeletsoe ho	Ho kengoe	Ho sebetsoe ka	Ho kengoe mekhahlelo
bosebeletsi ba	sebetsa ka	sebetsa ho	mokhahlelo oa	basebetsi ba etsang	oa ts'ebetso le ho
sechaba	hofelletseng	ipapisitsoe le	ts'ebetso oa bosiu o	50% ho tloha ka 08:00	lefella lits'ebeletso ka
		melaoana ea COVID-	qalang ka 07:00	hoseng ho isa 4:00	marang-rang e le ho
		19	mantsiboea ho	mantsiboea.	qoba ts'ubuhlellano
			fihlela 05:00 hoseng		
			le ho lefella		
			lits'ebeletso ka		
			marang-rang e le ho		
			qoba ts'ubuhlellano		
Filling Stations	Open 24hrs	Open 24 hrs	Open 24 hrs	Open 24 hrs	Open 24 hrs
					Deli cooked food
					section is closed
	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho
	sebetsa lihora tse 24	sebetsa lihora tse 24	sebetsa lihora tse 24	sebetsa lihora tse 24	sebetsa lihora tse 24.
					Thekiso ea lijo tse
Hair salons,	Permitted	Posumo oporations	Open. Observe	Open. Observe Covid-	phehiloeng e koetsoe Completely closed
barbers, and	Permitted	Resume operations while observing	Covid-19 Protocols.	19 Protocols. To	Completely closed
nail salons		COVID-19 protocols	To operate on	operate on	
iidii SaloiiS		COVID-13 protocois	appointment only.	appointment only.	
			appointment only.	арропинени опу.	
Libaka tsa ho	Li lumeletsoe ho	Li lumeletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li lumelletsoe ho	Li koetsoe kaofela hoa
loha le ho kuta	sebetsa ho	sebetsa ho	sebetsa ka ho qoba	sebetsa ka ho qoba	tsona
moriri le	ipapisitsoe le	ipapisitsoe le lipehelo	ts'ubuhlellano.	ts'ubuhlellano.	
holokisa	lipehelo tsa COVID-	tsa COVID-19	Ho sebeletsoe	Ho sebeletsoe motho	
manala	19		motho ka tumellano	ka tumellano ea	
			ea kopano.	kopano. Melaoana ea	
			Melaoana ea Covid-	Covid-19 e lateloe ka	
			19 e lateloe ka nako	nako tsohle.	
			tsohle.		



## **5.3. GENERAL MITIGATING MEASURES**

	5. GENERAL WITIGATING WEASURES						
Activity/Sector	LOW CASES	SPORADIC CASES	CLUSTERING INFECTIONS	COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION	HIGH COMMUNITY TRANSMISSION		
	$R_0 \le 1$	$1 < R_0 \le 1.5$	$1.5 < R_0 \le 2$	$2 < R_0 \le 2.5$	$R_0 > 2.5$		
WHO Protocols	Regular washing of	Regular washing of	Regular washing of	Regular washing of	Regular washing of		
	hands with soap &	hands with soap &	hands with soap &	hands with soap &	hands with soap &		
	running water for	running water for 40-	running water for 40-	running water for	running water for		
	40-60 seconds or	60 seconds or	60 seconds or	40-60 seconds or	40-60 seconds or		
	sanitizing for 20	sanitizing for 20	sanitizing for 20	sanitizing for 20	sanitizing for 20		
	seconds; wearing of	seconds; wearing of	seconds; wearing of	seconds; wearing of	seconds; wearing of		
	face masks all the	face masks all the	face masks all the	face masks all the	face masks all the		
	time outside own	time outside own	time outside own	time outside own	time outside own		
	residential home;	residential home;	residential home;	residential home;	residential home;		
	physical distancing	physical distancing	physical distancing	physical distancing	physical distancing		
	from others (1.5	from others (1.5	from others (1.5	from others (1.5	from others (1.5		
	metres) and	metres) and	metres) and avoiding	metres) and	metres) and		
	avoiding crowded	avoidingcrowded	crowded places;	avoiding crowded	avoiding crowded		
	places; avoiding	places; avoiding long	avoiding long	places; avoiding	places; avoiding		
	long physical	physical meetings in unventilated indoor	physical meetings in unventilated indoor	long physical	long physical		
	meetings in unventilated indoor	spaces; using a tissue	spaces; using a tissue	meetings in unventilated indoor	meetings in unventilated indoor		
	spaces; using a	when	when	spaces; using a	spaces; using a		
	tissue when	sneezing/coughing&	sneezing/coughing &	tissue when	tissue when		
	sneezing/coughing	disposingit off safely	disposing it off safely	sneezing/coughing	sneezing/coughing		
	& disposing it off	immediately or	immediately or	& disposing it off	& disposing it off		
	safely immediately	sneezing into your	sneezing into your	safely immediately	safely immediately		
	or sneezing into	elbow where you	elbow where you	or sneezing into	or sneezing into		
	your elbow where	have no tissue; avoid	have no tissue; avoid	your elbow where	your elbow where		
	you have no tissue;	touching your face,	touching your face,	you have no tissue;	you have no tissue;		
	avoid touching your	eyes, nose and	eyes, nose and	avoid touching your	avoid touching your		
	face, eyes, nose and	mouth; and self	mouth; and self	face, eyes, nose and	face, eyes, nose and		
	mouth; and self	isolate at home when	isolate at home when	mouth; and self	mouth; and self		
	isolate at home	experiencing minor	experiencing minor	isolate at home	isolate at home		
	when experiencing	symptoms e.g cough,	symptoms e.g cough,	when experiencing	when experiencing		
	minor symptoms e.g	headache, mild-fever	headache, mild-fever	minor symptoms e.g	minor symptoms e.g		
	cough, headache,	until you recover.	until you recover.	cough, headache,	cough, headache,		
	mild-fever until you	Regularly disinfect	Regularly disinfect	mild-fever until you	mild-fever until you		
	recover. Regularly	frequently touched	frequently touched	recover. Regularly	recover. Regularly		
	disinfect frequently	surfaces.	surfaces.	disinfect frequently	disinfect frequently		
	touched surfaces.			touched surfaces.	touched surfaces.		
Lipehelo tsa bophelo	Hlapa matsoho	Hlapa matsoho	Hlapa matsoho	Hlapa matsoho	Hlapa matsoho		
tsa boits'ireletso	khafetsa ka sesepa	khafetsa ka sesepa le	khafetsa ka sesepa le	khafetsa ka sesepa	khafetsa ka sesepa		
	le metsi a phallang kapa o sanitise moo	metsi a phallang kapa o sanitise moo	metsi a phallang kapa o sanitise moo	le metsi a phallang kapa o sanitise moo	le metsi a phallang kapa o sanitise moo		
	metsi a leng sieo;	metsi a leng sieo;	metsi a leng sieo;	metsi a leng sieo;	metsi a leng sieo;		
	roala mask hang ha	roala mask hang ha	roala mask hang ha	roala mask hang ha	roala mask hang ha		
	otsoa lapeng;	otsoa lapeng; sielana	otsoa lapeng; sielana	otsoa lapeng;	otsoa lapeng;		
	sielana sebaka le	sebaka le batho ba	sebaka le batho ba	sielana sebaka le	sielana sebaka le		
	batho ba bang sa	bang sa limitara tse	bang sa limitara tse	batho ba bang sa	batho ba bang sa		
	limitara tse 1.5;	1.5; qoba ho ba moo	1.5; qoba ho ba moo	limitara tse 1.5;	limitara tse 1.5;		
	goba ho ba moo	batho ba	batho ba	goba ho ba moo	goba ho ba moo		
	batho ba	khobokaneng ka	khobokaneng ka	batho ba	batho ba		
	khobokaneng ka	bongata le	bongata le	khobokaneng ka	khobokaneng ka		
	bongata le	liphutheho tse telele	liphutheho tse telele	bongata le	bongata le		
	liphutheho tse telele	tsa ka moo ho	tsa ka moo ho	liphutheho tse telele	liphutheho tse telele		

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	tsa ka moo ho	ikoaletsoeng ho sena	ikoaletsoeng ho sena	tsa ka moo ho	tsa ka moo ho
	ikoaletsoeng ho	moea o lekaneng;	moea o lekaneng;	ikoaletsoeng ho	ikoaletsoeng ho
	sena moea o	sebelisa tissue ha o	sebelisa tissue ha o	sena moea o	sena moea o
	lekaneng; sebelisa	thimola o be o e	thimola o be o e	lekaneng; sebelisa	lekaneng; sebelisa
	tissue ha o thimola	lahlele moo ho	lahlele moo ho	tissue ha o thimola	tissue ha o thimola
	o be o e lahlele moo	bolokehileng kapa o	bolokehileng kapa o	o be o e lahlele moo	o be o e lahlele moo
	ho bolokehileng	sebelise setsoe ha o	sebelise setsoe ha o	ho bolokehileng	ho bolokehileng
	kapa o sebelise	sena tissue; qoba ho	sena tissue; qoba ho	kapa o sebelise	kapa o sebelise
	setsoe ha o sena	itšoara sefahleho,	itšoara sefahleho,	setsoe ha o sena	setsoe ha o sena
	tissue; qoba ho	mahlo, linko le	mahlo, linko le	tissue; qoba ho	tissue; qoba ho
	itšoara sefahleho,	molomo; o ikoalle le	molomo; o ikoalle le	itšoara sefahleho,	itšoara sefahleho,
	mahlo, linko le	ho ipoloka hae ha o	ho ipoloka hae ha o	mahlo, linko le	mahlo, linko le
	molomo; o ikoalle le	hohlola, ona le	hohlola, ona le	molomo; o ikoalle le	molomo; o ikoalle le
	ho ipoloka hae ha o	mokhohlane, le ho	mokhohlane, le ho	ho ipoloka hae ha o	ho ipoloka hae ha o
	hohlola, ona le	tšoaroa ke hloho ho	tšoaroa ke hloho ho	hohlola, ona le	hohlola, ona le
	mokhohlane, le ho	fihlela o folile.	fihlela o folile.	mokhohlane, le ho	mokhohlane, le ho
	tšoaroa ke hloho ho	Hloekisa sebaka seo	Hloekisa sebaka seo	tšoaroa ke hloho ho	tšoaroa ke hloho ho
	fihlela o folile.	o se tššoarang le ho	o se tššoarang le ho	fihlela o folile.	fihlela o folile.
	Hloekisa sebaka seo	sebeletsa ho sona	sebeletsa ho sona	Hloekisa sebaka seo	Hloekisa sebaka seo
	o se tššoarang le ho	khafetsa.	khafetsa.	o se tššoarang le ho	o se tššoarang le ho
	sebeletsa ho sona	Kilujetsu.	Kriujetsu.	sebeletsa ho sona	sebeletsa ho sona
	khafetsa.			khafetsa.	khafetsa.
Private Sector	Resume operations	Resume operations	24Hrs operating on a	24Hrs operating on	24Hrs operating on
	in observance of	in observance of	shift basis	a shift basis	a shift basis
Operating Hours	COVID-19 protocols	COVID-19 protocols	SHILL DUSIS	d Stillt Dasis	d SHILL DUSIS
Dublic Coston		i e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e e	2411/2 22222222	241100 000000000000000000000000000000000	2.41 les on exetines en
Public Sector	Resume operations	Resume operations	24Hrs operating on a	24Hrs operating on	24Hrs operating on
Operating Hours	in observance of	in observance of	shift basis	a shift basis	a shift basis
	COVID-19 protocols	COVID-19 protocols	2411	2411	2411
Parastatals	Resume operations	Resume operations	24Hrs operating on a	24Hrs operating on	24Hrs operating on
Operating Hours	in observance of	in observance of	shift basis	a shift basis	a shift basis
	COVID-19 protocols	COVID-19 protocols			
Financial	Through approved	Through approved	Through approved	Through approved	Through approved
Transaction	electronic channels	electronic channels	electronic channels	electronic channels	electronic channels
Methods					
Flexiwork	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors
arrangement					
(employees work					
from their homes)					
Availability of	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors	Across all sectors
Business Continuity					
Plans					
Avoid community	All districts	All districts	All districts	All districts	All districts
infections by					
adhering to					
practical boundaries					
Public Drinking	Not Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted	Not Permitted
ו מטווכ טווואווון	Not remitted	Not remitted	Not remitted	Not remitted	140t remitted



# 5.4. WORKERS IN THE FUNERAL UNDERTAKER INDUSTRY PRECAUTIONS WHEN HANDLING COVID-19 MORTAL REMAINS

The handling, transportation, importation, exportation and final disposal of COVID -19 mortal remains should be conducted only in accordance with the Human Remains Regulations of the Government of Lesotho.

# Handling of remains in mortuaries and funeral undertakers

The act of moving a deceased person onto a trolley for transportation might expel small amounts of air from the lungs and thereby present a risk of COVID-19 to those who handle the mortal remains therefore:

- A body bag should be used for transportation of the mortal remains.
- The outer and inner surface of the body bag should be decontaminated immediately before and after transportation.
- The trolley carrying the body must be disinfected.
- The transporters and handlers of the mortal remains must remove their PPE immediately after storage of the mortal remains.
- ❖ Washing or preparing of the mortal remains for burial must only be done using the correct PPE (such as gloves, masks, face shields and waterproof coverall) at the mortuary by their trained staff. Afterwards, the used PPE must be immediately disposed. Family members are not allowed to handle Covid-19 mortal remains under any circumstances.
- If a post-mortem is required, safe working techniques should adhere to and full PPE should be worn.
- After use, disposable empty body bags should be disposed of according to approved waste management protocolsas health care risk waste.
  - After use, the reusable empty heavy- duty body bags must be handled according to approved material recycling protocols.

# All Persons handling COVID-19 mortal remains should:

Wear suitable personal protective clothing at all times, including surgical mask, face shield, water-proof apron, shoe covers.



- Practice good hand hygiene such as washing hands with soap and water or use 70% alcohol- based sanitiser.
- Not make contact with, or touch, the mortal remains without wearing the appropriate PPE at any given time.

## **Environmental Cleaning and Control**

- The mortuary must be routinely cleaned and properly ventilated according to approved protocols.
- Surfaces on which the mortal remains are prepared for storage or burial must be disinfected before and after preparation.
- Cleaning must be done using a disinfectant with a minimum concentration of 0.1% (1000 ppm) sodium hypochlorite (bleach), or minimum 70% ethanol.

# Disposal of mortal remains Burial or Cremation

Designated undertaker personnel conduct the burial or interment of the mortal remains must wear appropriate PPE. After the burial or interment, the PPE must be removed according the approved protocols. Furthermore, the undertaker personnel must perform the necessary personal hygiene procedures.

# **5.5.** WORKERS IN THE TRANSPORT INDUSTRY HOW TO STAY SAFE FROM COVID-19

# Drivers – to do the following:

- Wash hands thoroughly and frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitiser (with at least 70% alcohol).
- ❖ Disinfect the hands of each passenger before they board the vehicle. If hand washing facilities are available each passenger must wash their hands before boarding the vehicle.
- Re-sanitise your hands with minimum 70% alcohol sanitiser before and after handling money.
- Explain the measures you are observing to prevent Covid-19 spread to your passengers.
  These include:
  - o Opening windows to allow for acceptable airflow or ventilation during the trip
  - O Disinfecting the vehicle before and after every trip.



- Ensuring that passengers wear masks correctly (covering nose and mouth) at all times whilst in the vehicle.
  - Loud talking singing or eating in the vehicle must not be permitted.

# Marshalls- to do the following

- Ensure that drivers wash their hands thoroughly and frequently with soap for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitiser with minimum 70% alcohol.
- Ensure that vehicles are cleaned throughout using approved cleaning products and surface disinfectants. Additional cleaning must be done on thehigh-touched area such as door handles, seat handles and money storage areas.
- Drivers/conductors must collect the transportation fare money before passengers enter the vehicle. Hands must be washed or sanitized before and after collection of the fare money.
- Ensure that passengers observe social or physical distancing whilst queuing at least 1 meter apart from each other passengers.
- Ensure that all passengers wear masks correctly covering both nose and mouth at all times (before and during boarding of the vehicle).

## OWNERS and TRANSPORT COMMITTEES –Ensure that:

- COVID-19 information is provided.
- ❖ Hand, cough and sneeze hygiene measures are emphasized.
- Vehicles must be sanitised/disinfected before and after every trip.
- Drivers must be given appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) such as a mask or face shield to protect the driver from infection.

As a driver or conductor, if **you feel sick**, arrange with your employer or the vehicle owner to **stay at home.** Employers of vehicle owners must make use of another driver who is able to drive the vehicle. If you are not sick, but have a laboratory- confirmed COVID-19 contact notify the NACOSEC Covid-19 hotline (\*\*insert hotline number\*\*) immediately and **quarantine for 14 days**. If you do not develop symptoms after 14 days seek medical confirmation that you are ready to return to work.

