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Bosnia and Herzegovina Directorate of Civil Aviation		SAFETY DIRECTIVE	
		Ref. Number: 1-1-14-2-258-1/20 Date: 18.03.2020.	
This Safety Directive is issued in accordance with Article 51. of Regulation on oversight in civil aviation and EASA SD No.: 2020-01			
Operational measures to prevent the spread of Coronavirus `SARS-CoV-2` infection		FIR Sarajevo	
Certificate's reference number/code;			
Safety Directive Title		Operational measures to prevent the spread of Coronavirus `SARS-CoV-2` infection	
Unsafe condition identified:		The outbreak of novel coronavirus disease (CoViD-19) in the city of Wuhan, People's Republic of China (PRC) that is caused by SARS-CoV-2 has spread rapidly in China and worldwide, and has been qualified by WHO as a pandemic on 11 March 2020. Based on the reports published by the WHO, the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the ECDC, EASA issued the Safety Information Bulletin (SIB) 2020-02 (later revised, now at Revision 2), providing recommendations to the NAAs and Aircraft and Aerodrome operators in order to reduce the risk of spreading of the SARS-CoV-2. For the reasons described above and in order to prevent the spread of the SARS-CoV-2 from potentially contaminated surfaces inside aircraft operated by operators certified in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) 965/2012, BHDCA has decided to issue this Safety Directive with goal to minimise the risks to passengers and to the general public, due to operations from airports located in affected areas with high risk of transmission of the CoViD-19 infection by aircraft operators certified in accordance with Commission Regulation (EU) 965/2012.	

<p>Required action(s)/measure(s), their rationale and compliance time(s):</p>	<p>From the effective date and time of this Safety Directive, aircraft operators, involved in commercial air transport of passengers from an airport located in an affected area with high risk of transmission of the CoViD-19 infection in accordance with Decision laying down additional conditions for the entry of aliens to Bosnia and Herzegovina of Council of Ministers of Bosnia and Herzegovina from 15.03.2020, when carrying out commercial air transport of passengers to or within the territory of Bosnia and Herzegovina shall:</p> <p>(1.1) Clean and fully disinfect the aircraft using substances suitable for aviation use after each flight coming from an airport located in an affected area with high risk of transmission of the CoViD-19 infection (see Note 1 of this Safety Directive).</p> <p>Note 1: Such as substances containing 62%-71% ethanol alcohol, 0,5% hydrogen peroxide, or 0,1% sodium hypochlorite. Suitability of the substances should be checked against the aircraft manufacturers' documentation.</p> <p>The operator may implement different disinfection frequency based on a risk assessment which takes into account the operational circumstances and the duration of the disinfecting effects of the substance used. In such a case, the operator shall ensure that the aircraft is fully cleaned and disinfected not later than 24 hours after the departure from an airport located in an affected area with high risk of transmission of the CoViD-19 infection.</p> <p>(1.2) Equip the aircraft with one or more Universal Precaution Kits. Such kits should be used to protect crew members who are assisting potentially infectious cases of suspected CoViD-19 and in cleaning up and correctly discarding any potentially infectious contents.</p> <p>This required action(s)/measure(s) stay applicable until further notice.</p>
<p>Date of entry into force of Safety Directive:</p>	<p>18.03.2020.</p>
<p>Distributed to:</p>	<p>(a) Web page of BHDCA (b) AIS BHANSA (c) Operators by NOTAM</p>
<p>Remarks:</p>	<p>This Safety Directive is applicable with date of its issue.</p>
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