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The procedure for crossing the state border of the Republic of Kazakhstan from May 11, 2020, for the period of quarantine restrictions

In order to prevent the Occurrence and Spread of coronavirus infection in the territory of the Republic of Kazakhstan Government of the Republic of Kazakhstan cancelled visa free regime for foreign citizens travelling to Kazakhstan until the sanitary-epidemiological situation improves, the crossing of the State border of the Republic of Kazakhstan is temporarily restricted to foreigners (stateless persons), with some exceptions where one of them is:

«20) employees (specialists) of companies of social importance, according to the list approved by a specially created Interdepartmental Commission chaired by the Deputy Prime Minister of the Republic of Kazakhstan for each individual case [\(The procedure for crossing the state border of the Republic of Kazakhstan from May 11, 2020, for the period of quarantine restrictions \(www.gov.kz\)\)](#)»

That means that any foreign citizen must obtain special permission according to the decision of above mentioned Interdepartmental Commission for crossing Kazakhstan Border both for arrival and departure to/from the Republic of Kazakhstan with no matter where crossing the border (land or airport). Automotosport Federation of the Republic of Kazakhstan will arrange the getting of that permission for all Rally Kazakhstan participants.

Only after obtaining that special permission Automotosport Federation of the Republic of Kazakhstan will issue Invitation Letter for getting Kazakhstan Visa at the nearest Kazakhstan Embassy or Consulate to you.

People travelling by road from Europe to Aktau (Kazakhstan) must also obtain Russian Visa to cross Russia to Kazakhstan and back, as well as Special Permission from Russian Authorities. With the help of Russian Automobile Federation, we will assist in getting these permissions and double entry visa to Russia. But it will take additional time as it was initially planned. Thus we request you to send copies of the passport of each team member before 20 April so we could start these procedures (no entry fees payment needed).

All passport copies should be sent to rallykazakhstan@gmail.com

IMPORTANT: Passengers arriving to Kazakhstan from the foreign countries should have a negative PCR test certificate (no more than 3 days should pass from the day the result is issued till the moment of crossing the border of the Republic of Kazakhstan).

Without a negative PCR test, passengers will not be allowed on board at the departure airport or cross the border by vehicle.

Please note: PCR test certificate must be in English, Russian or Kazakh languages.