Ministerial Order No: 007/2020

Suspension of Issuance of Covid-19 Negativity Certificates.

It has come to the attention of my office that some people, particularly around Juba International Airport (JIA) have been issuing fake Covid-19 negative test certificates. This is a criminal undertaking that I take issue with seriously.

In light of the above and in the best interest of protecting the public from these criminal activities: I do hereby order for suspension of issuing of Covid-19 negativity certificates until further notice.

The Undersecretary is hereby directed to take all the necessary actions to implement this order.

Issued and signed under my hand in Juba on this Third Day of the Month of June in the Year Two Thousand and Twenty AD AD.

Hon. Elizabeth Acuei Yol
Minister,
Ministry of Health
Republic of South Sudan.
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Ministry of Health
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Date: 3rd June, 2020

Dr Richard Lino Lako
Incident Manager
Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19)
Emergency Operation Centre
Juba, South Sudan.

Dear Dr Lako,

Re: Suspension of Issuance of COVID-19 Negativity Certificate.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Ministerial Order No. 007/2020 dated 3rd June 2020 on Suspension of Issuance of COVID-19 Negativity Certificate, I direct the following:

1- Cancellation of issuance of COVID-19 Negativity Test Certificate with immediate effect.
2- Certificates issued on or after 3rd June 2020 are deemed invalid by the Order.
3- Where and when necessary, clients shall be issued the TEST RESULT duly signed by the competent officer of the Public Laboratory.
4- Relevant institutions of the government are requested to implement this Order without favour.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Makur M Kariom
Undersecretary
Ministry of Health
Juba, South Sudan.

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