



**Announcement of the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration (BMA)**  
**Subject: Cancellation of Announcement of the Bangkok Metropolitan**  
**Administration (BMA) on Surveillance, Prevention and Control Measures**  
**for the Spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)**

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Reference is made to the Prime Minister's Announcement on Cancellation of the Declaration of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom, and Relating Announcements, Regulations and Orders dated 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022 by having the order to cancel the Announcement of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 2020 and the Extension of the Period of Declaration of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom. In addition, regulations, announcements and orders resulting from the said Declaration of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom, announcements and orders issued by specific laws, which shall be regarded as announcements or orders under the regulation resulting from the said Announcement of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom, shall come to an end. Moreover, the Minister of Public Health had the Notification of the Ministry of Public Health on Cancellation of the Notification of the Ministry of Public Health on Designation and Main Symptoms of Dangerous Communicable Diseases (No. 3) B.E. 2563 (2020), B.E. 2565 (2022) dated 19<sup>th</sup> September 2022, and the Notification of the Ministry of Public Health on Designation and Main Symptoms of Communicable Diseases Subject to Surveillance (No. 3) B.E. 2565 (2022) dated 19 September 2022 issued. Therefore, Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is downgraded from a dangerous communicable disease to a communicable disease subject to surveillance under the communicable disease law, and effective from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2022 onwards.

Therefore, in order to comply with the said Announcement, by the virtue of Section 34 (6) and Section 35 (1) of the Communicable Diseases Act B.E. 2558 (2015), and Regulation Issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) (No. 46) dated 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2022, Governor of Bangkok, with the approval of the BMA Communicable Diseases Committee as stated in the Meeting Resolution No. 11/2022 dated 29<sup>th</sup> September 2022, shall have the order to cancel the Announcement of the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration (BMA) on Surveillance, Prevention and Control Measures for

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the Spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) dated 24<sup>th</sup> June 2022, and have the said Announcement of the Bangkok Metropolitan Administration (BMA) issued under the virtue of the Communicable Diseases Act B.E. 2558 (2015), Regulation Issued under Section 9 of the Emergency Decree on Public Administration in Emergency Situations B.E. 2548 (2005) on Surveillance, Prevention and Control Measures for the Spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) in the area of Bangkok Metropolis issued during the Declaration of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom dated 25<sup>th</sup> March 2020, and Declaration on the Extension of the Period of Declaration of Emergency Situation in All Areas of the Whole Kingdom come to an end.

This Order shall take effect from 1<sup>st</sup> October 2022 onwards.

Announced on 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

(Signature)

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Governor of Bangkok