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CIRCULAR NOTE COVID-19 Vaccination Plan

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Protocol Department, presents its compliments to all Heads of Diplomatic Missions and Consulates accredited to and resident in Denmark and to International Organisations, other Missions resident in Copenhagen and Honorary Consulates in Denmark and has the honour to refer to its Circular Note of 6 May 2021 concerning NemID and COVID-19 vaccination.

As previously announced, a COVID-19 vaccination will be offered free of charge to all staff of Diplomatic Missions, International Organisations, other Missions and Consulates resident in Denmark and their accredited relatives.

The modalities for including all accredited staff and their relatives have now been concluded. Statens Serum Institut (SSI) is ready to forward invitations for vaccinations following the age groups in accordance with the Danish national vaccination plan.

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Please find below a guide on the procedures that will apply to individual staff members and their relatives:

Procedure with Nem-ID

Invitations will be sent to your e-Boks at the point in time where your age group is due to be vaccinated, following the Danish national vaccination plan. Please see: https://www.sst.dk/en/English/Corona-eng/Vaccination-against-COVID-19/When-will-you-get-vaccinated

Having received the invitation, you need to book a time for vaccination at a vaccination centre on <u>www.vacciner.dk</u>. The invitation letter will include guidance on how to proceed.

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Procedure without Nem-ID

If you do not have a NemID with public digital signature at the point in time when your age group is due to be vaccinated following the Danish national vaccination plan, you will not receive an invitation for vaccinations.

If you want to be vaccinated, you should instead reach out to your Region. For more information, also on the regional contact details: https://www.sst.dk/en/English/Corona-eng/Vaccination-against-COVID-19/Questions-about-vaccination

The region will be able to assist with the booking of an appointment for vaccinations, but only if you belong to the specific age group being vaccinated. IMPORTANT – as of 10 May 2021, if you were born no later than the year 1966, you can now book an appointment.

The Protocol Department will inform you on a regular basis of the new age groups that can book appointments as soon as this information is made available by SSI.

The Protocol Department would like to reiterate that it will still be relevant for you to obtain a NemID, as this will enable you to make changes to your vaccination appointments and to download the Corona passport once vaccinated.

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For general information concerning vaccination against COVID-19, please see: https://www.sst.dk/en/English/Corona-eng/Vaccination-against-COVID-19

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Protocol Department, avails itself of this opportunity to renew to all Heads of Diplomatic Missions and Consulates accredited to and resident in Denmark and to International Organisations, other Missions resident in Copenhagen and Honorary Consulates in Denmark the assurances of its highest consideration.

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