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Dear Sirs,

Following the recent increased provisions around the world to contain the Coronavirus (COVID-19), please find a new update below regarding the ARK LEAGUE - Skateboarding Street 5 star event - SAMUKAWA (JAPAN)

Current COVID-19 confirmed cases: 639

CDC Risk Assessment Level for COVID-19: Sustained (ongoing) community transmission (2 of 4)

Travel restrictions: As announced on 11 March, the current entry ban will be expanded to travelers who have visited the following areas in the last 14 days:

- China: Hubei province and Zhejiang province
- South Korea: Daegu Metropolitan City, as well as Cheongdo, Gyeongsan, Andong, Yeongcheon, Chilgok, Uiseong, Seongju, Gunwi (all North Gyeongsang Province)
- Iran: Alborz, Isfahan, Gazvin, Golestan, Semnan, Mazandaran, Marqazi, Lolestan, Qom city, Tehran and Gilan
- Italy: Lombardia, Veneto/Emilia-Romagna/Marche/Piemonte
- San Marino: all regions

Holders of Chinese passports issued in Hubei or Zhejiang provinces are also denied entry. For the period of 9-31 March, travelers, including Japanese nationals, arriving from China (including Hong Kong and Macao) and South Korea will be requested to stay at a designated facility for 14 days.

Reference website: <https://pandemic.internationalsos.com/2019-ncov/ncov-travel-restrictions-flight-operations-and-screening#JPN>

World Skate is currently assessing with the Local Organizer the impact of the new provisions on the event, and the ability for athletes to enter the country, practice and compete. Further communication will be released as soon as possible.

We appreciate your understanding.

The World Health Organization (WHO) works with all countries to collect data in order to communicate official, reliable information. We suggest familiarizing yourself with their organization as a source for information on this global public health problem. Here you will find information for international travel in relation to COVID-19 outbreak.

<https://www.who.int/emergencies/diseases/novel-coronavirus-2019>

You are able to follow an interactive map with COVID-19 situation here:

<https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/685d0ace521648f8a5beeeee1b9125cd>

Official Peruvian Health Authorities information (Spanish only): <https://www.gob.pe/>

The International Air Transport Association (IATA) through the website IATA Travel Centre provide a detailed listing of worldwide travel restriction provisions:

<https://www.iatatravelcentre.com/international-travel-document-news/1580226297.htm>

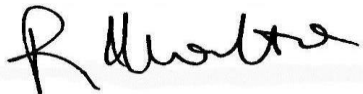
This useful document released by IATA that provides a briefing and FAQ related to cabin air quality - Risk of communicable diseases transmission while flying:

<https://www.iata.org/contentassets/f1163430bba94512a583eb6d6b24aa56/cabin-air-quality.pdf>

Another useful source of information regarding travel restriction can be consulted at this address:

<https://pandemic.international.sos.com/2019-ncov/ncov-travel-restrictions-flight-operations-and-screening#internal>

Best Regards,



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