

## **BRAZILIAN PORTS**

### **Activities to be carried out in ports with the arrival of international vessels:**

The vessel with a history of voyage to China in the last 30 days must present the Medical Logbook when requesting the issuance of a Free Pratique Certificate;

The Maritime Health Declaration must be filled out correctly and in a complete form for evaluation regarding the issue of Free Pratique. A careful analysis of the document by the sanitary authority is essential to release the vessels' operation.

In case of suspicion of 2019-nCoV on the vessel, the issuance of Free Pratique must be carried out on board, the traveller kept in a private location, preferably in the cabin, and a surgical mask must be made available until an evaluation by the health authority with the epidemiological surveillance is carried out, as defined in the local Contingency Plan. After assessing the case, it will be determined whether the traveller will be discarded as a suspected case, kept on board in quarantine or removed to a designated referral hospital.

We suggest the use of Personal Protection Equipment for Compulsory Pilots, employees of Brazilian Customs, Federal Police, Health Authority, Brazilian Navy and other workers who are in direct contact with travellers arriving from China.

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