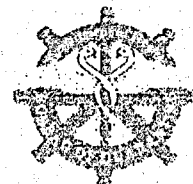




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TO: BOQ CONCERNED PERSONNEL

SUBJECT: Approved Cholera Vaccine by World Health Organization

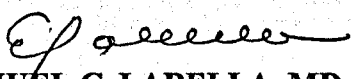
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As per International Health Regulations, Cholera Vaccinations is no longer required for traveler. However, for those travelers who wish to avoid the very small risk of developing cholera, Bureau of Quarantine medical personnel may administer cholera vaccines as per request by the person concerned.

International certificate of vaccination may be issued upon completion of the required dosage. However, issuance of the said certificate or card is valid only if the vaccine or prophylaxis used has been approved by the World Health Organization. As per record, Cholera Vaccines approved by the WHO are Dukoral and Shankol.

Any of the above certified vaccines may be administered in the Immunization Section of this Bureau during work hours.

Please be guided accordingly.


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