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## CHANCERY NOTICE

## FURTHER RELAXATION OF SOCIAL DISTANCING MEASURES

Having considered the pandemic latest development and our local socio-economic needs, the Government announced on 20 December 2022 a further relaxation of social distancing measures, effective 22 December, 2022. New measures applicable to religious premises (i.e, churches or Mass centres) are as follows:

- 1. The maximum number of persons at each religious gathering (e.g., a weekday or Sunday Mass, or a wedding) can resume 100% of the normal capacity of the venue.
- 2. All those who enter religious premises should still comply with the vaccination requirements under the Vaccine Pass (Please refer to the Government website: https://www.coronavirus.gov.hk/pdf/vp\_t1\_ENG.pdf, for details), but they do not have to use the "LeaveHomeSafe" mobile application, nor to present the QR code of their vaccination record or Exemption Certificate.
- Regular environmental cleaning and disinfection on the facilities (such as the seats in a church) should be carried out, at least daily.

Given at the Chancery Office, 21 December 2022.

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