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WESTERN BALKANS

Albania: No change since previous report.

Bosnia and Herzegovina: No change since previous report.

North Macedonia: Update information is indicated as bold text in the end of the table.

Regional participant	General	Land	Aviation	Maritime
<p>North Macedonia</p>	<p>The Government has reviewed and accepted the Joint Proposal of the Permanent Secretariat of the Transport Community and CEFTA Secretariat to facilitate transport and trade of essential goods in Western Balkans.</p> <p>The Government adopted two regulations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - first enabling postponement of the exams for professional competence of transport workers and drivers for participation in international road traffic, during the state of emergency. The validity of drivers' professional competence certificates for participation in international road traffic whose validity has expired, is extended during the state of emergency. -second enabling postponement of the exams for transport of dangerous goods during the state of emergency. <p>The validity of all certificates related to transport of dangerous goods that have expired is extended during the state of emergency.</p>	<p>Entrance and transit of heavy good vehicles, representatives of diplomatic missions, as well as of other persons for which the Ministry of Interior issues a special permit remain possible. Heavy good vehicles and persons can enter the country only in accordance to the Health Protocol for special protection measures issued by the Ministry of Health.</p> <p>Freight transport remains normal, but entrance and exit during night are forbidden.</p> <p>Passenger train traffic operates in restricted traffic conditions.</p>	<p>As of 1 July, Skopje Airport and Ohrid Airport will reopen.</p>	

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	<p>As of 27th May restriction of movement on the territory of North Macedonia is cancelled.</p> <p>Mandatory quarantine of the citizens of the Republic of North Macedonia returning from abroad with humanitarian flights or convoys is replaced by domestic self-isolation if a negative PCR test not older than 72 hours before entering the territory of the Republic of North Macedonia is submitted.</p> <p>Foreign accredited diplomats and members of their families who submit a medical certificate for a negative PCR test not older than 72 hours before entering the country will be able to perform their work without interruption, without referring to domestic self-isolation.</p> <p>The Government of the Republic of North Macedonia had adopted the Protocol for unimpeded transit of foreign citizens through the territory of the Republic of North Macedonia, which determines that, until full liberalization of the regime for entrance/exit in the country, the foreign citizens can use the following border crossing points: Tabanovce, Deve Bair, Bogorodica, Kjafasan, Blace.</p> <p>The transit means entrance in one border crossing point and exit in another, with obligation while transiting not to exit from the certain motorway or local road and the transit to be realized during maximum of 5 hours.</p>			
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	<p>This should be confirmed with a declaration fulfilled while entering the country and, in order the transit time to be controlled, this declaration should be handed to the border police while exiting the country.</p> <p>As of 17 June, all border crossing points are open, with mandatory application of measures that are still in force. For entry into North Macedonia it is mandatory to submit a valid negative PCR test, not older than 72 hours. The obligation to sign "Statement of mandatory self-isolation for 14 days" remains, based on which the State Sanitary and Health Inspectorate prepares a Decision for health supervision and home self-isolation, which is controlled by the Ministry of Interior.</p> <p>The 14-day quarantine measure shall remain in force for all citizens or foreigners with regulated residence in the country, who upon entering the territory of the Republic of North Macedonia do not submit a valid PCR test.</p> <p>As of 26 June all border crossings will be open for free movement of passengers and vehicles without necessary PCR tests, and without referral to home self-isolation or mandatory quarantine.</p> <p>As of 9 July, citizens of the Republic of Serbia, Kosovo*, Montenegro and Bosnia and Herzegovina will be obliged to submit a medical certificate on a negative PCR SARS-CoV-2 test, made 72 hours</p>			
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	before entering the territory of the Republic of North Macedonia and to submit statement containing personal data on the place of residence and the duration of stay.			
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Kosovo*: No change since previous report.

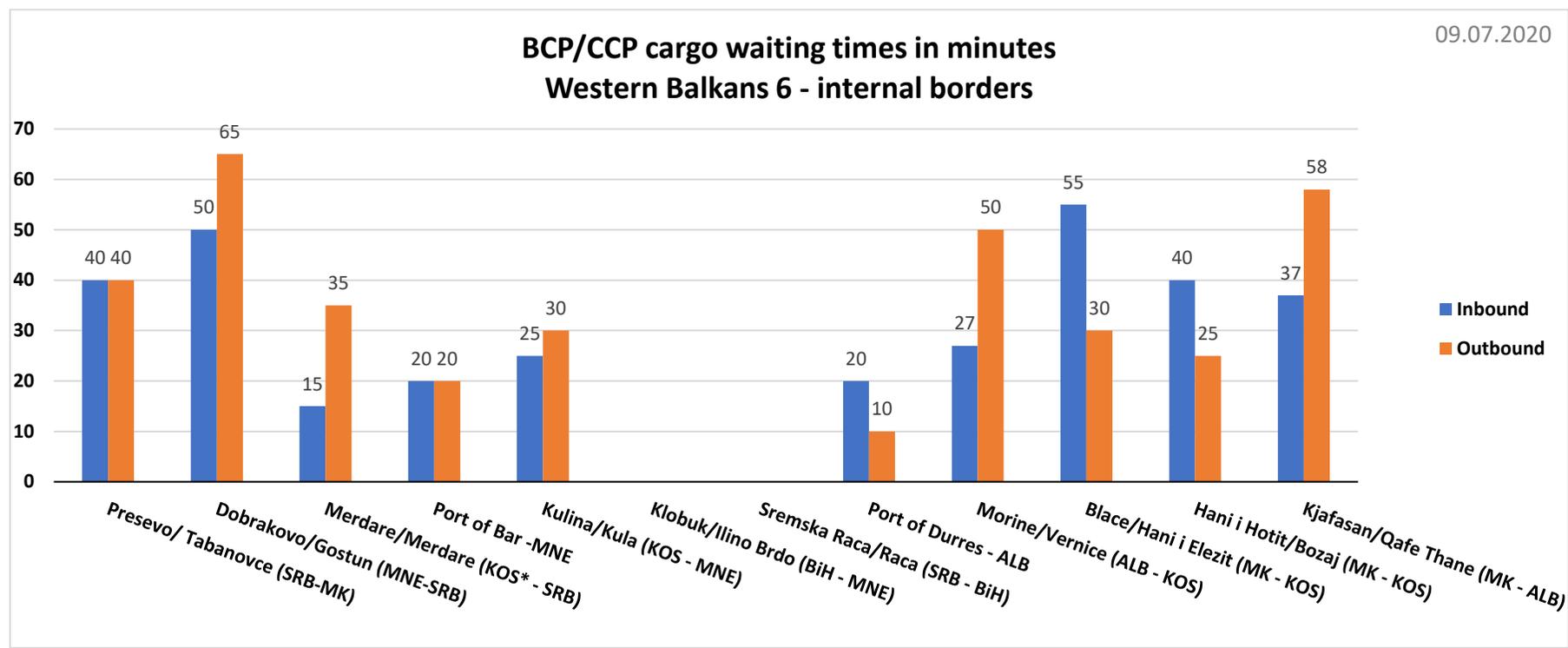
Montenegro: No change since previous report.

Serbia: No change since previous report.

* This designation is without prejudice to positions on status and is in line with UNSC 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on Kosovo Declaration of Independence.

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