

# SOUTH AFRICA IS OPEN AND WE ARE READY TO SHOOT!

**We have put together the following quick view document covering entry and COVID requirements. Please get in touch with Martin, Carmen and Greer for any questions you may have.**

## NEW COVID REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL TRAVELLERS

*Please bear in mind the procedure for travellers deemed 'Oversight' (Directors / DOP's / Producers / Production Designers / Agency and Client) is different to those who are 'Specialist' travellers (Talent / Stylists / Technical crew)*

- A certified, negative PCR Covid test, dated no more than 72 hours prior to departure.
- The standard LOA (letter of invitation) required for all film industry travellers to South Africa. Juice Film apply for this letter on your behalf – please allow 24 hours.
- Proof of accommodation
- Proof of travel insurance with cover in place for personal Covid expenses (medical expenses, quarantine etc.)

## ON ARRIVAL

- All passengers will be screened upon arrival in South Africa. Provided you show no symptoms and have presented a negative PCR Covid test, you will be permitted to proceed into arrivals. No quarantine required.
- Anyone showing any possible Covid symptoms will be required to go into mandatory self-isolation (at their own accommodation and expense) until they test negative.
- All travellers must download the Covid App on arrival purely for any track and trace requirements.  
<https://sacoronavirus.co.za/2020/09/01/download-the-app-every-covid-alert-sa-app-download-means-more-lives-saved-in-sa/>
- No quarantine is required unless you fail to produce a negative test, or you are showing symptoms on arrival.

## VISA REQUIREMENTS

Please contact us regarding specific visa requirements and for the processes for oversight vs specialist travellers

**YOU NEED TO KNOW THAT YOUR PRODUCTION IS A SAFE ONE, WE PREP AND SHOOT RESPONSIBLY!**

- **Safety Protocols:** The South African Commercial Producers Association (CPA) developed a strict set of Safety Protocols for production almost immediately after our initial nationwide lockdown. Film production within South Africa has been greenlit since May 2020. Our crew, talent, suppliers and Juice teams are well-practised in working with the protocols.
- **Numbers:** Production carries on as per (new) normal with a few changes:
  - Numbers are currently limited to 75 people on any one set or basecamp.
  - Where numbers are above 75, we use more basecamps and shuttle people accordingly.
  - These numbers are currently under review now that we are on Level 1.
- **Safety Officers:** We have an official Covid Safety Officer on every set and if we have large groups at base-camps. They screen everyone on arrival and ensure that protocols are strictly adhered to.
- **Costs:** These vary according to the size and logistics of each shoot and are often based on the clients requirements so please contact us for more info.
- **Day to day life:** Masks are mandatory for everyone when out in public, on set, in the office etc.; everyone must sanitize their hands at the entrance to all shops, restaurants, public buildings etc. At Juice Film, on arrival at the office we screen & log your temperature. Sanitizers are placed throughout the office, in vehicles and in your gift bags.
- **Restaurants** are open with tables positioned to allow social distancing. There is a general curfew between 12 midnight and 4am. This will not affect any shoot schedule as we will be able to get permits to waive this; you just need to be aware of it if you're out in the evening.

**We'll keep you updated should any of these measures change. For any questions or if you need more information about filming, health and safety or your travel and visa requirements please contact us. Martin, Carmen and Greer are on hand and we will walk you through every step of the process. We are ready!**

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