ADVISORY ON PROVISION OF GOVERNMENT INDEMNITY AGAINST CLAIMS ARISING FROM WORK CARRIED OUT BY MEDICAL PRACTITIONERS AND HEALTHCARE WORKERS DEPLOYED TO SUPPORT WHOLE-OF-GOVERNMENT ("WOG") COVID-19 EFFORTS

This advisory is intended for all medical practitioners and healthcare workers\(^1\) that have been deployed, at the request of MOH, to support WOG efforts\(^2\) in preventing and reducing the spread of COVID-19.

2. To the extent not covered by any existing insurance, indemnity or compensation schemes, the Government of the Republic of Singapore will indemnify anything done or omitted to be done in good faith and with reasonable care by all medical practitioners and healthcare workers, in the discharge or purported discharge of their functions and duties in relation to WOG efforts to prevent and reduce the spread of COVID-19.

3. We express our heartfelt gratitude to all medical practitioners and healthcare workers for their participation in the fight against COVID-19.

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\(^1\) This includes employees, locums and volunteers, but excludes Singapore Armed Forces Regulars, Full Time National Servicemen or Operationally Ready National Servicemen (ORNS).

\(^2\) These efforts include, but are not limited to, work carried out in the Community Isolation Facilities (CIF), Swab Isolation Facilities (SIF), or at foreign worker dormitories (whether purpose-built or otherwise) and accommodation.