## **Update on Quarantine Support Arrangement**

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Dear Members of the University,

The Government has announced the <u>list of designated quarantine hotels</u> for the next cycle covering 20 June to 31 August. We are pleased to share that the Nina Hotel Island South (NHIS) is on the list, and has set aside 10 rooms on any given day for University members to book at a discounted rate at \$570 per room per night (inclusive of food and beverage (F&B) plan). These rooms will be offered on a first come first served basis. In view of the small number of discounted rooms secured, the discounted rooms are restricted to University staff and students only, and not their family members. All reservations should be made <u>10 days prior to arrival date</u>. Any requests made after the cut-off date will be subject to the Hotel's availability. NHIS regular rate of \$770 per night inclusive of F&B plan will apply for any bookings beyond the allotment of 10 rooms.

The cost of the quarantine must be paid for by staff and students in full. For new staff eligible for on-campus accommodation and for existing staff granted exceptional approval for business travel, the cost of quarantine excluding F&B will be reimbursable by the University providing it is pre-approved.

All staff and students wanting to arrange quarantine at NHIS should book directly via Ms Rebecca Lee, Sales Coordinator, telephone: +852 3968 8811; email address: <u>rebeccalee@ninahotelgroup.com</u>. Please make the bookings using your HKUST email accounts to enjoy the discounted rate. We would like to remind all members that quarantine places in hotels are limited, so anyone who plans to return to Hong Kong should make their quarantine arrangements as soon as possible.

For the latest information on boarding and quarantine arrangements for inbound travellers, please visit the <u>Government</u> <u>COVID-19 website</u>.

Please stay safe and healthy.

Kind regards,

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