

*Explanation.*—In India an "Airport" corresponds to an aerodrome declared under rule 53 of the Indian Aircraft Rules, 1920, to be a customs aerodrome.

(2) "arrival" means arrival at an airport;

(3) "baggage" means the personal effects of a traveller or of a member of the crew;

(4) "Commander" means the pilot in command or other person in charge of an aircraft;

(5) "crew" means the personnel of an aircraft who are employed for duties on board;

(6) "day" means an interval of twenty-four hours;

(7) "direct transit area" means a special area established in connection with an airport, approved by the Health Officer concerned and under his direct supervision, for accommodating direct transit traffic and, in particular, for accommodating in segregation, passengers and crews breaking their voyage without leaving the airport;

(8) "Health Officer" means in respect of an airport in India any person appointed by the Central Government to be the Health Officer of the airport, and includes an Additional, Deputy or Assistant Health Officer appointed by the Central Government to perform the functions of a Health Officer;

(8-A) "Infected aircraft" means an aircraft which under rule 9(1), 16, 20(1), 24, or 30(1) is regarded as an aircraft infected with an infectious disease;

(9) "Infected area" in relation to a quarantinable or other infectious disease means any area outside India, declared by the Central Government, by notification in the official Gazette, to be infected with such a disease;

(10) "infected person" means a person who is suffering from a quarantinable or other infectious disease, or who is believed to be infected with such a disease;

(11) "infectious disease" means in addition to quarantinable diseases, a disease, declared by the Central Government by notification in the official Gazette to be an infectious disease;

(12) "International voyage" means—

(a) in the case of an aircraft, a voyage between airports in the territories of more than one State or a voyage between airports in the territory or territories of the Same State if the aircraft has relations with the territory of any other State on its voyage but only as regards those relations;

(b) in the case of a person, a voyage involving entry into the territory of a State other than the territory of the State in which that person commences his voyage;

(13) "Isolation", when applied to a person or group of persons, means the separation of that person or group of persons from other persons, except the health staff on duty, in such a manner as to prevent the spread of infection;

(13-A) "mainland" means the territory of India excluding the Andaman and Nicobar Islands;

(14) "medical examination" includes visit to and inspection of an aircraft and the preliminary examination of persons on board;