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NAMIBIA TO RE-OPEN BORDERS THAT WERE CLOSED DUE TO COVID 19

Good news to all travelers: Namibia and South Africa will re-open the border posts Mata Mata, Vellorsdrift, Sendelingsdrift and Klein Manasse which have been closed since 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Dobe and Kasika border posts, which are bordering Namibia and Botswana, will also re-open. **The re-opening is scheduled for 6 August 2022.**

The closure of border posts has resulted in reduced trade and significant socio-economic hardship for all countries. Their re-opening is guided by the relaxation of health protocols governing the management of Covid-19 based on the decrease in Covid-19 case numbers.

Travelers are urged to respect the COVID-19 regulations applicable in the respective countries.

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