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People opposing the Danish government's response to the Covid-19 pandemic marched through the capital in a fresh protest on Saturday. Unlike some previous events, this week's gathering remained peaceful and prompted no arrests.

The protest was organized by the 'Men in Black' group, who are unhappy with Denmark's partial lockdown and the looming rollout of a digital system which will track vaccinations and issue certificates confirming people's inoculation status. The passports are to be used for international travel and potentially to give access to public venues in Denmark itself.

The protesters accuse Frederiksen of imposing hasty and unnecessary restrictions and forcing people into taking the vaccine. Vaccination is not compulsory in Denmark, but opponents say it could as well be mandated if the alternative is to be excluded from all social life.

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