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**COVID-19 (TEMPORARY MEASURES) ACT 2020
(ACT 14 OF 2020)**

**COVID-19 (TEMPORARY MEASURES)
(CONTROL ORDER) (AMENDMENT NO. 8)
REGULATIONS 2021**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 34(1) of the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) Act 2020, the Minister for Health makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Control Order) (Amendment No. 8) Regulations 2021 and come into operation on 16 May 2021.

Amendment of regulation 2

2. Regulation 2(1) of the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Control Order) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 254/2020) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended —

(a) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “business”, the following definition:

““celebrant”, in relation to a marriage, means any of the following individuals authorised under written law to solemnize the marriage in Singapore:

- (a) a person issued a licence to solemnize marriages under section 8 of the Women’s Charter (Cap. 353);
- (b) the Registrar of Marriages or an Assistant Registrar of Marriages,

appointed under section 26 of the Women's Charter;

- (c) a person specified in section 95(1)(a), (b) or (c) of the Administration of Muslim Law Act (Cap. 3);”;
- (b) by deleting the word “wedding” wherever it appears in the definition of “enhanced entry control” and substituting in each case the words “solemnization of a marriage”;
- (c) by deleting the words “or a wedding connected with the celebration of a marriage” in the definition of “guest”;
- (d) by deleting the words “or wedding (as the case may be)” in the definition of “guest”;
- (e) by deleting paragraph (b) of the definition of “guest” and substituting the following paragraph:
 - “(b) a celebrant by whom the marriage is or is to be solemnized;”;
- (f) by deleting the words “or wedding” in paragraphs (c) and (d) of the definition of “guest”;
- (g) by inserting, immediately after the words “self-employed person” in the definition of “in the course of employment”, the words “, or in the course of undertaking training in a sporting activity by an individual who is on a development pathway recognised by a public body promoting sporting activities to prepare sportspersons so that the individual may derive a living from competing in that sporting activity or take part in a national or an international sporting event in Singapore or elsewhere”;
- (h) by deleting the definition of “maximum permissible group size” and substituting the following definition:
 - ““maximum permissible group size”, in relation to any organised gathering on any premises and circumstances described in the Third Schedule, means the number of individuals specified in that Schedule opposite the

organised gathering in those premises and circumstances;”;

- (i) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “organiser”, the following definition:

““other Control Order Regulations” means any of the following, where applicable:

(a) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Foreign Employee Dormitories — Control Order) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 781/2020);

(b) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Performances and Other Activities — Control Order) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 927/2020);

(c) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Sporting Events and Activities — Control Order) Regulations 2021 (G.N. No. S 277/2021);

(d) the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Major Business Events — Control Order) Regulations 2021 (G.N. No. S 278/2021);”;

- (j) by deleting the definitions of “solemnizer”, “solemnizer of a marriage” and “wedding special cohort”.

Amendment of regulation 3A

3. Regulation 3A(2) of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by inserting, immediately after the words “strenuous physical exercise” in sub-paragraph (a), the word “outdoors”;

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- (b) by deleting the words “the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Performances and Other Activities — Control Order) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 927/2020)” in sub-paragraph (d) and substituting the words “any other Control Order Regulations”;
 - (c) by inserting, immediately after the words “these Regulations” in sub-paragraph (g), the words “and any other Control Order Regulations”;
 - (d) by deleting the *Examples* in sub-paragraph (g); and
 - (e) by deleting the words “the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Performances and Other Activities — Control Order) Regulations 2020” in sub-paragraph (h) and substituting the words “any other Control Order Regulations”.

Amendment of regulation 3B

4. Regulation 3B of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting paragraph (c); and
- (b) by deleting paragraph (d) and substituting the following paragraph:
 - “(d) if the individual is any of the parties being married during a solemnization of their marriage, and only during the solemnization proceedings;”.

Amendment of regulation 4

5. Regulation 4 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting sub-paragraph (ca) of paragraph (3) and substituting the following sub-paragraph:
 - “(c) to bring the individual’s child daily to and from the individual’s place of residence to the place of residence of any of the child’s grandparents for the grandparent to provide informal childcare to the child;”;

- (b) by deleting “(ca)” in paragraph (3)(g) and substituting “(c)”;
- (c) by deleting “5” in paragraph (4)(a) and substituting “2”;
- (d) by deleting sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (4)(b) and substituting the following sub-paragraph:

“(ii) if the individual is the grandparent of a child subject to informal childcare arrangements provided at the individual’s ordinary place of residence — the number of children allowed under paragraph (3)(c) only for those informal childcare arrangements to be given;” and

- (e) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (iii) of paragraph (4)(b) and substituting a semi-colon, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraphs:

“(iv) a reasonable number of permitted enterprise workers of a permitted enterprise to provide healthcare or assistance in activities of daily living to the individual, or any other individual who has the same ordinary place of residence, with a disability or who is 60 years of age and above because there are no alternative care arrangements available for that individual;

- (v) a reasonable number of individuals for any purpose connected with paragraph (3)(h) or to receive help in an emergency.”.