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

COVID-19 (TEMPORARY MEASURES)
(RELIGIOUS GATHERINGS — CONTROL ORDER)
(AMENDMENT NO. 4) 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) (Religious Gatherings — Control Order) (Amendment No. 4) Regulations 2021 and come into operation on 19 August 2021.

Amendment of regulation 3

2. Regulation 3(1) of the COVID-19 (Temporary Measures) (Religious Gatherings — Control Order) Regulations 2021 (G.N. No. S 509/2021) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended —

- (a) by deleting the word “Major” in paragraph (e) of the definition of “other Control Order”;
- (b) by deleting the word “Major” in the definition of “public speaking”; and
- (c) by deleting the word “Major” in paragraph (c) of the definition of “religious gathering”.

Amendment of regulation 5

3. Regulation 5 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) of paragraph (1) and substituting the following sub-paragraphs:

“(a) where the venue is a restricted place within the meaning of the Infectious Diseases (Mass Gathering Testing for Coronavirus Disease 2019) Regulations 2021, and every worshipper at the religious gathering has a cleared status during the crowd management period of the religious gathering — the lower of the following:

(i) 1,000;

(ii) the COVIDSAFE capacity of the venue; or

(b) in any other case — the lower of the following:

(i) 50;

(ii) the COVIDSAFE capacity of the venue.”; and

(b) by deleting “5” in paragraph (3)(a) and substituting “50”.

Amendment of regulation 8

4. Regulation 8(1) of the principal Regulations is amended by deleting sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) and substituting the following sub-paragraph:

“(a) to refuse entry to the venue by any individual —

(i) whom the occupier of the venue knows or has reason to believe is subject to a movement control measure; or

(ii) who refuses to comply with any contact tracing measure established or applied by the occupier of the venue in order to comply with the contact tracing requirement; and”.