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PUBLIC HEALTH ACT (DANGEROUS INFECTIOUS DISEASE) (AMENDMENT) (No. 7) REGULATIONS 2021, made by the Board pursuant to Section 102 of the Public Health Act, Cap. 353.

1. Citation and commencement

(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Public Health Act (Dangerous Infectious Disease) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations, 2021.

(2) These Regulations shall have effect from 7:00p.m. on Thursday 1st April, 2021 to 5:00 a.m. on Tuesday 6th April, 2021 (hereafter referred to as the “effective period”).

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations –

“principal Regulations” means the Public Health Act (Dangerous Infectious Disease) Regulations 2020, Statutory Instrument No. 16 of 2020

3. Amendment of Regulation 5A of principal Regulations

Regulation 5A of the principal Regulations is amended by inserting after paragraph 18 (Restriction applicable to the VC Bird International Airport) the following new paragraph:

“19. Measures applicable to the effective period

(1) For the duration of the effective period –

- (a) all beaches throughout Antigua and Barbuda shall remain closed;
- (b) access to the offshore islands around Antigua and Barbuda is prohibited;

(c) boat tours, sea excursions, circumnavigations around Antigua and Barbuda and the offshore islands and other forms of recreational maritime activities are prohibited.

(2) All existing public health regulations and protocols shall continue to apply.”

Made the 31st March, 2021.

Eustace Lake,
Chairman of the Central Board of Health.