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EMERGENCY POWERS (COVID-19 CONTINUING PRECAUTIONS)
AMENDMENT (NO. 3) REGULATIONS 2020

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His Excellency the Governor, in exercise of the power conferred by section 3 of the Emergency Powers Act 1963, makes the following Regulations:

Citation

1 These Regulations, which amend the Emergency Powers (COVID-19 Continuing Precautions) Regulations 2020 (“the principal Regulations”), may be cited as the Emergency Powers (COVID-19 Continuing Precautions) Amendment (No. 3) Regulations 2020.

Amends regulation 2

2 In regulation 2 of the principal Regulations, delete the definition of “appropriate physical distancing” and substitute—

“appropriate physical distancing” means maintaining a distance between all persons who are not members of the same household of at least—

- (a) six feet; or
- (b) three feet, provided each person is wearing a mask which completely covers their nose and mouth,

and includes additional guidance published by the Ministry of Health on the website www.gov.bm/coronavirus;

Amends regulation 4

3 In regulation 4 of the principal Regulations, delete paragraphs (3) and (4), and substitute—

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“(3) This regulation does not apply to persons—

- (a) listed in paragraphs 1 to 7 of Schedule 1 when on official business;
- (b) travelling on any form of public transport;
- (c) appearing in proceedings before the Court of Appeal, Supreme Court, magistrates’ court or a tribunal;
- (d) attending an outdoor funeral, wedding or domestic partnership in accordance with regulation 7(3A) or 7A(3),

provided appropriate physical distancing is maintained at all times.”

Amends regulation 10

4 In regulation 10 of the principal Regulations, delete paragraph (1)(b) and substitute—

“(b) customers may shop on any day, regardless of surname;”.

Amends Schedule 2

5 (1) Paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations shall be amended as follows.

(2) In paragraph (1)—

- (a) delete “, gas station or pet shop”;
- (b) in subparagraph (d), delete “Sundays” and substitute “Sunday mornings (until 1pm)”.

(3) After paragraph (1)(d) insert—

“(e) Sunday afternoons (after 1pm) shall be reserved for—

- (i) persons aged 55 and over, who may also shop on their relevant day in accordance with subparagraphs (a) to (c); and
- (ii) persons falling within Schedule 1, who may also shop on any other day, regardless of surname.”

(4) Paragraph (2) is revoked.

(5) At the end of paragraph 1 insert—

“(3) Due to the public holidays on Friday 29 May 2020 and Monday 15 June 2020, notwithstanding paragraph (1)(e)—

- (a) on Sunday 31 May 2020 after 1pm, persons whose surnames begin with the letters G to Q may visit grocery stores;
- (b) on Sunday 14 June 2020 after 1pm, persons whose surnames begin with the letters A to F may visit grocery stores.”

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Commencement

6 These Regulations come into effect on 28 May 2020.

Made this 28th day of May 2020

Governor

[Operative Date: 28 May 2020]