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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 Regulations 2020.

Amends regulation 2

2 In regulation 2 of the principal Regulations, at the end of the definition of “permitted business”, insert—

“(h) money service business licensed under the Money Service Business Act 2016.”.

Amends regulation 7

3 At the end of regulation 7, insert—

“(4) This regulation is subject to regulation 7A.”.

Inserts regulation 7A

4 After regulation 7, insert—

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“Marriages and domestic partnerships

7A (1) Marriages may be celebrated by a marriage officer or contracted before the Registrar General, in accordance with the Marriage Act 1944, with the following restrictions—

- (a) a maximum of ten persons present in total (including the parties, the Registrar General or marriage officer, witnesses, photographer and other attendants);
- (b) appropriate physical distancing to be maintained at all times.

(2) Domestic partnerships may be formalised by the Registrar General or a domestic partnership officer, in accordance with the Domestic Partnership Act 2018, with the following restrictions—

- (a) a maximum of ten persons present in total (including the parties, the Registrar General or domestic partnership officer, witnesses, photographer and other attendants);
- (b) appropriate physical distancing to be maintained at all times.”.

Inserts regulation 16A

5 After regulation 16, insert—

“Prohibition on scuba diving

16A No person shall dive for recreational purposes using any scuba diving equipment, as defined in the Marine Board (Diving) Regulations 1997.”.

Amends Schedule 2

6 At the end of Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations, insert—

“Money service businesses

4 The owner or operator of a money service business shall only operate with the written permission of the Minister of National Security.”.

Commencement

7 These Regulations come into effect on 11 May 2020.

Made this 8th day of May 2020

Governor

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