

Consolidated COVID-19 (Amendment) Regulations 2022

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THE QUARANTINE ACT 2020

Regulations made by the Minister under section 13 of the Quarantine Act 2020

1. These regulations may be cited as the **Consolidated COVID-19 (Amendment) Regulations 2022**.
2. In these regulations —
"principal regulations" means the Consolidated COVID-19 Regulations 2021.
3. Part VI of the principal regulations is amended by deleting the heading and replacing it by the following heading —

PART VI — CLOSURE OF PREMISES, RESTRICTION OF ACTIVITIES AND PROHIBITION TO ATTEND PLACES IN THE ISLAND OF MAURITIUS

4. Regulation 15 of the principal regulations is amended —
 - (a) by deleting the heading and replacing it by the following heading —
15. Closure and prohibition of activities in the Island of Mauritius
 - (b) by adding, after the words "For the purpose of section 4(2)(b) of the Act", the words ", in the Island of Mauritius".
5. The principal regulations are amended by inserting, after Part VIII, the following new Part —

PART VIIIA — CLOSURE OF PREMISES, RESTRICTION OF ACTIVITIES AND PROHIBITION TO ATTEND PLACES IN THE ISLAND OF RODRIGUES

23A. Closure and prohibition of activities in the Island of Rodrigues

For the purpose of section 4(2)(b) of the Act, in the Island of Rodrigues —

- (a) the premises specified in Part I of the Ninth Schedule shall be open to the public subject to the conditions specified therein;
 - (b) the events, activities and services specified in Part II of the Ninth Schedule shall be carried out subject to the conditions specified therein;
 - (c) the places specified in Part III of the Ninth Schedule shall remain closed.
- 6.** The principal regulations are amended by adding the Ninth Schedule set out in the Schedule to these regulations.
- 7.** These regulations shall come into operation on 30 January 2022.

Made by the Minister on 29 January 2022.

SCHEDULE

[Regulation 6]

NINTH SCHEDULE

[Regulation 23A]

PART I

1. Supermarkets/meat/poultry/fish shop/food retail shops/retail shops will open on Monday to Saturday between 6 am and 6 pm
2. Bakeries
3. Banks will open during their normal banking hours
4. Hardware stores will be open up to 4 pm
5. Court in respect of such minimum judicial services as the Chief Justice deems essential and subject to such directives as the Chief Justice may issue
6. Pharmacies
7. Petrol stations
8. Agro-chemical retail outlets selling agricultural inputs
9. Restaurants/Fast Foods/Cafes to be opened for delivery and take away
10. Schools, educational institutions and other premises designated as examination centres solely for the purpose of sitting for examinations

PART II

1. Agriculture and breeding activities
2. Fishing activities by registered fishers only
3. Construction activities
4. Funerals, provided that not more than 10 persons are in attendance at a time
5. Civil marriages, provided that not more than 10 persons are in attendance
6. Public gathering in open air, provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time and subject to every person who participates therein shall —
 - (a) wear a protective mask over his mouth and nose;

- (b) observe social distancing of at least one metre from any other person; and
- (c) avoid physical contact with any other person

7. Port and airport related services

PART III

- 1. Health club/sports centre, sports complex and/or wellness centre (including gym and spa)**
- 2. Social Hall/Community Centre/Social Welfare Centre/Youth Centre/Citizens' Advice Bureau/Multipurpose Hall**
- 3. Casino and gaming house**
- 4. Nightclub/Private club**
- 5. Nurseries/Crèche**
- 6. Children's playground**
- 7. Bars**
- 8. Pre-primary/Primary/Secondary Schools/Tertiary institutions/ Vocational training centres**
- 9. Amusement centre**
- 10. Beauty saloon/Hair saloon**
- 11. Places of worship**
- 12. Public Beach**