

**Ordinance 27 of 2020**

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**PROTECTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH (COVID-19)  
(CONSOLIDATION NO.2) (AMENDMENT NO.6)  
ORDINANCE 2020**

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An Ordinance to amend the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2)  
Ordinance 2020.

M.J. Smith  
**DEPUTY  
ADMINISTRATOR**

*11 August 2020*

**BE** it enacted by the Administrator of the Sovereign Base Areas of Akrotiri and Dhekelia as follows:—

**PART 1**

Preliminary

**Short title and commencement**

**1.**—(1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) (Amendment No.6) Ordinance 2020.

(2) This Ordinance comes into force on the day following the day of its publication in the Gazette.

**Amendment of section 5A of the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) Ordinance 2020**

2.—(1) Section 5A (events and gatherings: Akrotiri Sovereign Base Area) of the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) Ordinance 2020(a) is amended as follows.

(2) In subsection (3), after “any place”, insert “to which the public has access”.

(3) After subsection (4), insert—

“(4A) Subsection (4B) applies within property—

(a) owned or occupied by the Crown in right of Her Majesty’s Government of the United Kingdom, and

(b) to which the public does not have access.

(4B) In a place within property referred to in subsection (4A), subsection (3) applies as if the class consisting of the persons having access to the property were the public.”.

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(a) Ordinance 18/2020, amended by Ordinances 19/2020, 20/2020, 24/2020, 25/2020 and 26/2020.

## **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Ordinance)*

**1.** This explanatory note relates to the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) (Amendment No.6) Ordinance 2020 (“the Ordinance”). It has been prepared by the Office of the Attorney General and Legal Adviser in order to assist the reader of the Ordinance. It does not form part of the Ordinance.

**2.** This note should be read in conjunction with the Ordinance. It is not, and is not meant to be, a comprehensive description of the Ordinance.

**3.** Section 2 amends section 5A of the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) Ordinance 2020. It provides that the restriction, in its subsection (3), to gatherings in groups of more than 10 people only applies in places to which the public has access. On property occupied by the Crown in right of Her Majesty’s Government of the United Kingdom, and to which the public does not have access, the criterion is modified: the class consisting of the persons having access to the property are deemed to be the public. The presence of more than 10 persons in a place of residence remains prohibited, even when they all form groups of less than 10.

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