

Ordinance 30 of 2020

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**PROTECTION OF PUBLIC HEALTH (COVID-19)
(CONSOLIDATION NO.2) (AMENDMENT NO.9)
ORDINANCE 2020**

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

M.J. Smith
**DEPUTY
ADMINISTRATOR**

28 August 2020

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

Short title and commencement

1.—a) This Ordinance may be cited as the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) (Amendment No.9) Ordinance 2020.

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

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

2.—(1) Section 5 (Events and gatherings) of the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) Ordinance 2020 (a) is amended as follows.

(2) In subsection (1), after “open-air fair”, insert “unless permitted by or under relevant health and safety regulations”.

(3) After subsection (5), insert—

“(6) Subject to subsection (7) no person may—

- (a) be simultaneously present in a residence with more than 49 other individuals, or
- (b) gather in a group of more than 50 people (including the person in question) in any other place.

(7) Subsection (6) does not apply to—

- (a) dining premises,
- (b) reception halls,
- (c) conference and event venues,
- (d) theatres, or
- (e) a place as further set out under relevant health and safety regulations.”

(a) Ordinance 18/2020, amended by Ordinances 19/2020, 20/2020, 24/2020, 25/2020, 26/2020, 27/2020, 28/2020 and 29/2020.

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.9) 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. The amendments are intended to mirror the Quarantine (Measures to Prevent the Spread of the coronavirus COVID-19) (Order No.39) Order 2020, PI 399/2020 of the Republic.

4. Section 2 amends section 5(1) of the Protection of Public Health (Covid-19) (Consolidation No.2) Ordinance 2020 and inserts subsections (6) and (7) which prohibit gatherings of more than 50 people other than in certain settings, and subject to a number of exemptions.

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