



## EMERGENCY POWERS (KEYS ELECTIONS — CASUAL VACANCIES) REGULATIONS 2020

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*Emergency Powers Act 1936*

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The Governor in Council, by Order, makes the following Regulations under section 4 of the Emergency Powers Act 1936.

### **1 Title**

These Regulations are the Emergency Powers (Keys Elections — Casual Vacancies) Regulations 2020.

### **2 Commencement**

These Regulations come into operation on the day after they are made<sup>1</sup>.

### **3 Interpretation**

In these Regulations “regulation 7(b)” means regulation 7(b) of the Representation of the People Regulations 2015.<sup>2</sup>

### **4 Modification of regulation 7(b) during emergency**

- (1) This regulation applies to any case where, during the Coronavirus Proclamation period, the Governor would otherwise be obliged by regulation 7(b) to issue a writ for the election of a member of the Keys to fill a casual vacancy.<sup>2</sup>
- (2) Where this regulation applies regulation 7(b) has effect as if for “within 2 months” there were substituted “within 6 months”.

<sup>1</sup> By virtue of section 4(2) of the Emergency Powers Act 1936, the Regulations made under this Order must be laid before Tynwald within 7 days of being made and only continue in force beyond 7 days of being so laid if Tynwald passes a resolution to that effect.

<sup>2</sup> SD 2015/0379

- (3) In this regulation “the Coronavirus Proclamation period” means the period for which the following proclamations are in operation —
- (a) the Proclamation of Emergency dated 16 March 2020<sup>3</sup>; and
  - (b) all subsequent consecutive Proclamations of Emergency that relate to the pandemic of Coronavirus (also known as COVID-19).<sup>3</sup>

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<sup>3</sup> SD 2020/0162

## ENDNOTES

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<sup>1</sup> The format of this legislation has been changed as provided for under section 75 of, and paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to, the Legislation Act 2015. The changes have been approved by the Attorney General after consultation with the Clerk of Tynwald as required by section 76 of the Legislation Act 2015.

<sup>2</sup> Para (1) amended by SD2020/0249 with effect from 14/04/2020 at 14:48.

<sup>3</sup> Para (3) inserted by SD2020/0249 with effect from 14/04/2020 at 14:48.