

Statutory Document No. 2020/0227



Emergency Powers Act 1936

EMERGENCY POWERS (CORONAVIRUS) (PUBLIC SECTOR EMPLOYEES) (TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS) REGULATIONS 2020¹

Laid before Tynwald: 7 April 2020
Approved by Tynwald: NOT MOVED
Coming into Operation: in accordance with regulation 2

The Governor in Council, by Order¹, makes the following Regulations under section 4 of the Emergency Powers Act 1936.

1 Title

These Regulations are the Emergency Powers (Coronavirus) (Public Sector Employees) (Travel Restrictions) Regulations 2020.

2 Commencement

These Regulations come into operation immediately after they are made².

3 Interpretation

“**Coronavirus**” means severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2);

“**the Coronavirus Proclamation period**” means the periods for which the Proclamation of Emergency dated 16 March 2020³ is in operation;

“**Public Sector Employee**” means a person who is employed by or holds office within the Public Service Commission, a Department, Statutory Board, office of Government or other public sector entity except for those listed in section 3(3) of the Public Services Commission Act 2015;

¹ Section 4(1) specifies that “Where a proclamation of emergency has been made, and so long as such proclamation is in force, it shall be lawful for the Governor in Council, by Order, to make regulations ...”.

² By virtue of section 4(2) of the Emergency Powers Act 1936, these Regulations made by Order of the Governor in Council 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.

³ SD 2020/0162.

“**stationed employer**” means the Department, Statutory Board, office of Government or other public sector entity to which the employee is assigned.

4 Prohibition on Public Sector Employees leaving the Island

- (1) No person employed as a Public Sector Employee may leave the Island without the permission of a person authorised for that purpose by the stationed employer.
- (2) A person who leaves the Island in breach of paragraph (1) commits an offence, and is liable in proceedings before the High Bailiff to a penalty not exceeding 3 months’ custody, a fine of level 5 or both.

5 Emergency Powers (Home Affairs Staff) Regulations 2020 (SD 2020/0182)

The Emergency Powers (Home Affairs Staff) Regulations 2020⁴ are revoked.

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⁴ SD 2020/0182

ENDNOTES

Table of Endnote References

¹ 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.