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PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES ACT 1988

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INFECTED LOCAL AREAS) REGULATIONS 2020

IN exercise of the powers conferred by subsection 11(2) of the Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases Act 1988 [*Act 342*], the Minister makes the following regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. (1) These regulations may be cited as the **Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases (Measures within the Infected Local Areas) Regulations 2020**.

(2) These Regulations have effect for the period from 18 March 2020 to 31 March 2020.

Interpretation

2. In these Regulations—

“infected local area” means any area declared to be infected local area under the Prevention and Control of Infectious Diseases (Declaration of Infected Local Areas) Order 2020 [*P.U. (A) 87/2020*];

“essential services” means the services as specified in the Schedule.

Control of movements and gatherings

3. (1) No person shall make any journey from one place to another place within any infected local area except for the following purposes:

(a) to perform any official duty;

(b) to make a journey to and from any premises referred to in regulation 5;

- (c) to purchase, supply or deliver food or daily necessities;
- (d) to seek healthcare or medical services; or
- (e) any other special purposes as may be permitted by the Director General.

(2) No person shall gather or be involved in any gathering within any infected local area whether for religious, sports, recreational, social or cultural purpose.

(3) Notwithstanding subregulation (2), a person may gather or be involved in a gathering for purpose of funeral ceremony provided that the number of attendees to such ceremony shall be kept to the minimum.

(4) No person shall make a journey from one infected local area to another infected local area except with the prior written permission of a police officer in charge of a police station.

Requirement to undergo health examination upon arrival in Malaysia

4. A citizen or permanent resident of Malaysia returning from overseas shall undergo health examination upon arrival in Malaysia before proceeding for immigration clearance at any point of entry and shall comply with any order issued by an authorized officer.

Essential services

5. (1) Any premises providing essential services may be opened provided that the number of personnel and patron at the premises shall be kept to the minimum.

(2) Any premises not providing essential services may be opened provided that the owner or occupier of the premises obtains the prior written permission of the Director General and the Director General may impose any conditions as he thinks fit.

(3) Any premises involved in food supply chain or in selling food and beverages by way of drive-through, take away and delivery may be open subject to any conditions imposed by the Director General as he thinks fit.

Request for information

6. Where an authorized officer requests for any information relating to prevention and control of infectious disease from any person, the person shall comply with the request.

Offence

7. (1) Any person who contravenes any provision of these Regulations commits an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding one thousand ringgit or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding six months or to both.

(2) If an offence is committed by a body corporate, any person who, at the time of the commission of the offence was a director, manager, secretary or other similar officer of the body corporate or was purporting to act in any such capacity or was in any manner or to any extent responsible for the management of any of the affairs of the body corporate or was assisting in such management—

(a) may be charged severally or jointly in the same proceedings with the body corporate; and

(b) where the body corporate is found guilty of the offence, shall be deemed to be guilty of that offence unless, having regard to the nature of his functions in that capacity and to all circumstances, he proves—

(i) that the offence was committed without his knowledge, consent or connivance; and

(ii) that he took all reasonable precautions and had exercised due diligence to prevent the commission of the offence.

SCHEDULE
ESSENTIAL SERVICES
[Regulation 2]

1. Banking and finance
2. Electricity and energy
3. Fire
4. Port, dock and airport services and undertakings, including stevedoring, lighterage, cargo handling, pilotage and storing or bulking of commodities
5. Postal
6. Prison
7. Production, refining, storage, supply and distribution of fuel and lubricants
8. Healthcare and medical
9. Solid waste management and public cleansing
10. Sewerage
11. Radio communication including broadcasting and television
12. Telecommunication
13. Transport by land, water or air
14. Water
15. E-commerce
16. Defense and security
17. Food supply
18. Wildlife
19. Immigration
20. Customs
21. Hotels and accommodations
22. Any services or works determined by the Minister as essential or critical to public health or safety

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