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INFECTIOUS DISEASES ACT  
(CHAPTER 137)

INFECTIOUS DISEASES  
(MEASURES TO PREVENT SPREAD OF COVID-19)  
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2020

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 73 of the Infectious Diseases Act, the Minister for Health makes the following Regulations:

**Citation and commencement**

1. These Regulations are the Infectious Diseases (Measures to Prevent Spread of COVID-19) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 and come into operation on 29 March 2020.

**Amendment of regulation 3**

2. Regulation 3(1) of the Infectious Diseases (Measures to Prevent Spread of COVID-19) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 185/2020) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended by deleting the words “sport or recreation facility” in sub-paragraph (*d*) and substituting the words “billiard saloon, paintball games centre, axe-throwing centre, bowling centre”.

**Amendment of regulation 5**

3. Regulation 5(1) of the principal Regulations is amended by inserting, immediately after the words “regulation 3 is”, the words “open to the public or a section of the public and”.

**Amendment of regulation 7**

4. Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations is amended —  
(*a*) by deleting the full-stop at the end of sub-paragraph (*b*) of paragraph (1) and substituting a semi-colon, and by

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inserting immediately thereafter the following sub-paragraph:

“(c) any shop or kiosk within a shopping centre.”;

- (b) by inserting, immediately after the words “the premises” in paragraph (2)(a), the words “in paragraph (1)(a) or (b)”;
- (c) by inserting, immediately after the words “customers and other individuals within the premises” in paragraph (2)(b), the words “in paragraph (1)(a), (b) or (c)”;
- (d) by inserting, immediately after the word “group” in paragraph (2)(c), the words “within the premises in paragraph (1)(a), (b) or (c)”;
- (e) by inserting, immediately after the word “premises” in paragraph (2)(d), the words “in paragraph (1)(a), (b) or (c)”.

### **New regulation 7A**

5. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting, immediately after regulation 7, the following regulation:

**“Measures for individuals under stay orders, etc.**

**7A.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), an individual who is subject to a movement control measure requiring the individual to not leave a place of accommodation commits an offence if the individual, without reasonable excuse —

- (a) comes into physical contact or close proximity with another individual at that place of accommodation;
- (b) fails or neglects to wear a surgical or other mask over the individual’s nose and mouth when the individual leaves the place of accommodation to obtain —
  - (i) medical treatment for a suspected COVID-19 infection at a hospital, medical clinic or any other place, designated by the Director for the treatment of COVID-19; or

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- (ii) emergency medical treatment or other medical treatment that is of a pressing nature;
  - (c) fails or neglects to inform the individual's employer or school (as the case may be) that the individual is subject to a movement control measure; or
  - (d) is not contactable by the Director or a Health Officer, or any individual acting on behalf of the Director or a Health Officer, at any reasonable time.
- (2) Paragraph (1)(a) does not apply where —
- (a) the other individual concerned resides in the same place of accommodation as the individual subject to the movement control measure; or
  - (b) the other individual —
    - (i) is delivering food or other essential goods to the place of accommodation;
    - (ii) is providing services as are necessary for persons living in that place of accommodation to avoid any imminent danger or damage to life or property in that place of accommodation;
    - (iii) is providing medical treatment or other medical therapy or care to an individual who has a physical or mental disability; or
    - (iv) is a Health Officer or police officer.
- (3) An individual who is guilty of an offence under paragraph (1) shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$10,000 or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months or to both.
- (4) For the purposes of this regulation, an individual is subject to a movement control measure for so long as the individual is required to not leave a place of accommodation because of —
- (a) an order made under regulation 3(1) of the Infectious Diseases (COVID-19 — Stay Orders) Regulations 2020 (G.N. No. S 182/2020);

(b) regulation 3(2) or 4(1) of the Infectious Diseases (COVID-19 — Stay Orders) Regulations 2020; or

(c) an order under section 15 of the Act.

(5) For the purposes of this regulation, an individual is in close proximity to another individual if there is a distance of less than 2 metres between the 2 individuals.”.

### **Amendment of Schedule**

6. The Schedule to the principal Regulations is amended —

(a) by deleting items 36 and 38;

(b) by deleting the words “Sentosa Megazip” in item 46 and substituting the word “Mega”;

(c) by deleting item 53 and substituting the following item:

“53. Airzone Singapore”; and

(d) by deleting item 55 and substituting the following items:

“55. Esplanade — Theatres by the Bay

56. Resorts World Sentosa Casino

57. Marina Bay Sands Casino

58. Superpark Singapore

59. Tayo Station

60. Jewel Changi”.

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