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BUILDING CONTROL ACT (CHAPTER 29)

BUILDING CONTROL (AMENDMENT NO. 2) REGULATIONS 2020

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 49 of the Building Control Act, the Minister for National Development makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Building Control (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2020 and come into operation on 31 August 2020.

Amendment of Second Schedule

- **2.** The Second Schedule to the Building Control Regulations 2003 (G.N. No. S 666/2003) is amended
 - (a) by inserting, immediately after the words "specified building" in the definition of "general building" in paragraph 1(1), the words ", and includes a type 1 building";
 - (b) by deleting the full-stop at the end of the definition of "storey" in paragraph 1(1) and substituting a semi-colon, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following definition:
 - ""type 1 building" means any agricultural or industrial building, being a building that is constructed or used, or is to be constructed or used, primarily for one or more of the following purposes:
 - (a) the growing, cultivation, picking or harvesting of any plant, fungi or algae intended for human or animal consumption or other commercial purposes;

- (b) the rearing, breeding or processing of any animal or invertebrate intended for human or animal consumption or other commercial purposes;
- (c) the manufacturing, preparation, preservation, processing, brewing, packing, canning, bottling or storage of any foodstuff or beverage;
- (d) the carrying out of activities involving agricultural science or agri-biotechnology in relation to food or food biotechnology;
- (e) the manufacturing, assembling, altering, repairing, servicing, ornamenting, finishing, cleaning, washing, packing, canning, adapting, breaking up or demolishing of any article or part of an article:

Examples

Buildings that are constructed or used primarily for any of the following purposes:

- (a) the assembly, manufacture, repair or servicing of any machinery or plant;
- (b) the assembly, repair or servicing of
 - (i) any computer hardware, audiovisual equipment, and other communication or electronic equipment, apparatus or parts;
 - (ii) any office, computing or accounting machinery; or
 - (iii) any photographic or optical goods;
- (c) the assembly, repair, servicing or refilling of any fire extinguishers;

- (d) the assembly, repair or servicing of any vehicle;
- (e) the assembly, repair, servicing or maintenance of any engine, motor or mechanical pump;
- (f) the cutting, grinding or polishing of marble or ceramic tiles.
- (f) the blending, canning or bottling of any substance;
- (g) the processing, recovery, refining or treatment of any metal or minerals;
- (h) the storing, sorting, processing, treatment or recycling of plastic materials, metal scraps, horticultural waste or electrical or electronic waste:
- (i) the storage of any goods, products or substances;
- (j) the carrying out of any printing works;
- (k) as a data centre."; and
- (c) by deleting sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph 3 and substituting the following sub-paragraph:
 - "(b) B is a sum calculated at a rate of
 - (i) for every general building in the development that is a type 1 building
 - (A) \$150 for every 100 m² or part thereof of the first 10,000 m²; and
 - (B) \$220 for every subsequent 100 m² or part thereof,
 - of the SGFA of every storey above sublevel (in respect of which the building works are to be carried out) in that general building; and
 - (ii) for every other general building in the development —

- (A) \$300 for every 100 m² or part thereof of the first 2,500 m²; and
- (B) \$240 for every subsequent 100 m² or part thereof,

of the SGFA of every storey above sublevel (in respect of which the building works are to be carried out) in that building.".

[G.N. Nos. S 598/2004; S 549/2005; S 478/2007; S 495/2007; S 54/2008; S 250/2008; S 643/2008; S 4/2011; S 591/2012; S 665/2013; S 287/2016; S 443/2017; S 709/2017; S 808/2018; S 101/2020]

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