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**THE STATES** make these Regulations under Article 3 of the [Cremation \(Jersey\) Law 1953](#) –

Commencement [\[see endnotes\]](#)

### **1 Modification of principal Regulations**

- (1) The [Cremation \(Jersey\) Regulations 1961](#) (the “principal Regulations”) apply with the variations set out in Regulations 2 and 3 of these Regulations.
- (2) These Regulations apply without prejudice to the Minister’s exercise of the power conferred by Regulation 11(1) of the principal Regulations.

### **2 Regulation 6 of the principal Regulations suspended in part**

In Regulation 6 (certificates to accompany application) of the principal Regulations, paragraph (a) applies as though the words “, together with a confirmatory medical certificate, in the form set out in Schedule 3, signed by another registered medical practitioner who has been registered as a fully registered medical practitioner under the Medical Act 1956 of the United Kingdom for a period of not less than 5 years, being neither a relative of the deceased nor a relative or partner of the practitioner who signed the first-mentioned certificate” were deleted.

### **3 Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations modified**

Regulation 7 (powers and duties of medical referee) of the principal Regulations applies as though –

- (a) in paragraph (1)(c) –
  - (i) for “certificates” in each place there were substituted “certificate”, and
  - (ii) for “persons” there were substituted “person”;
- (b) after paragraph (2) there were inserted –
  - “(3) Despite paragraphs (1) and (2), a medical referee may, during the epidemic of infectious disease caused by the covid-19 coronavirus, and if he or she considers that the cause of death is due to or related to such disease, permit a

cremation to take place without being satisfied as to the matters mentioned in paragraph (1)(c).”.

#### **4 Citation, commencement and duration**

These Regulations –

- (a) may be cited as the Cremation (Suspension and Modification of Regulations – Covid-19) (Jersey) Regulations 2020;
- (b) come into force immediately after they are made; and
- (c) expire on 30th September 2020.

## ENDNOTES

### Table of Legislation History

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Cremation (Suspension and Modification of Regulations – Covid-19) (Jersey) Regulations 2020	<a href="#">R&amp;O.23/2020</a>	Immediately after they were made on 24 March 2020	<a href="#">P.21/2020</a>

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### Table of Endnote Reference

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