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COVID-19 (WORKPLACE RESTRICTIONS AND GATHERING CONTROL) (AMENDMENT No. 4) (JERSEY) ORDER 2021

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THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES makes this Order under Regulations 2 and 3 of the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Regulations 2020¹ and after complying with the consultation requirements set out in Regulation 2(1) and (2) of those Regulations and under Regulation 2 of the Covid-19 (Gatherings) (Jersey) Regulations 2020², after complying with the consultation requirements in Regulation 2(3) of those Regulations –

1 Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Order 2020 amended

Articles 2 to 8 amend the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Order 2020³.

2 Article A1 (interpretation) amended

In Article A1(1) –

- (a) in the definition “indoor physical activity facility” for “place”, in both places where it occurs, there is substituted “area”;
- (b) after the definition “retail premises” there is inserted –
 - “ritual gathering” means a gathering –
 - (a) for the celebration of a marriage or civil partnership;
 - (b) for a funeral; or
 - (c) that is part of a service of religious worship,but not a reception, wake or other event separate from but commonly associated with the gathering;”.

3 Article 3 (specified workplaces open to the public for certain purposes or subject to specified conditions) amended

In Article 3(1) –

- (a) after sub-paragraph (b) there is inserted –
 - “(c) a workplace in an outdoor area being used by adults for sport or exercise, on condition that –
 - (i) the total number of people participating in, watching, supporting or facilitating the sport or exercise must not exceed 45, and
 - (ii) the occupier or operator of the workplace has taken all reasonable steps to assist in controlling the spread of Covid-19, including taking account of any guidance published by the Medical Officer of Health as to factors that increase the risk of spread of Covid-19 in gatherings;”;
- (b) in sub-paragraph (g) after “visitor attractions” there is inserted “(including outdoor areas)”.

4 Article 5 (visitors required to wear masks) amended

After Article 5(3)(n) there is inserted –

- “(o) a workplace in an indoor area used for a ritual gathering if more than 45 people are participating in the gathering.”.

5 Article 5A (condition of opening: workers wearing masks or visors) amended

After Article 5A(2)(j) there is inserted –

- “(k) a workplace in an indoor area used for a ritual gathering if more than 45 people are participating in the gathering.”.

6 Article 5B (conditions of opening: visitors giving contact tracing data) amended

After Article 5B(2)(f) there is inserted –

- “(g) a workplace in an indoor area used for a ritual gathering if more than 45 people are participating in the gathering.”.

7 Article 5C (condition of opening: distancing in workplaces) amended

After Article 5C(2)(j) there is inserted –

- “(k) a workplace in an indoor area used for a ritual gathering if more than 45 people are participating in the gathering.”.

8 Article 5D (condition of opening: children’s activity group) substituted

For Article 5D there is substituted –

“5D Exception for certain gatherings of children in workplaces

- (1) No requirement of Article 5, 5B or 5C applies in respect of the following gatherings in a workplace –
 - (a) a gathering to which Article 8(1)(a), (b) or (d) of the Gatherings Order applies; or
 - (b) a gathering to which Article 8(1)(c) of the Gatherings Order applies, unless 10 or more people are participating in the gathering.
- (2) In this Article –
 - (a) “Gatherings Order” means the Covid-19 (Gathering Control) (Jersey) Order 2020⁴;
 - (b) a reference to people participating in a gathering does not include activity organisers (as defined in Article 8(2) of that Order) or children under 5 years of age.”.

9 Covid-19 (Gathering Control) (Jersey) Order 2020 amended

- (1) This Article amends the Covid-19 (Gathering Control) (Jersey) Order 2020⁵.
- (2) In Article 5(2) –
 - (a) in sub-paragraph (f) and (m) “(within the meaning of the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Order 2020⁶)” is deleted;
 - (b) for sub-paragraph (j) there is substituted –
“(j) indoor physical activity facilities or a workplace in an outdoor area used for sport or exercise;”;
 - (c) after sub-paragraph (m) there is inserted –
“(n) a workplace used for a ritual gathering.”.
- (3) After Article 5(3) there is inserted –
“(4) In this Article words and phrases used in the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Order 2020⁷ have the same respective meanings as in that Order.”.
- (4) Articles 7 (exception: gatherings of 40 allowed for certain purposes) and 8A (exception: certain gatherings involving adults) are deleted.
- (5) In Article 8 –
 - (a) paragraph (1)(c)(iv) is deleted;
 - (b) for paragraph (1)(d) there is substituted –
“(d) a controlled gathering of children in the open air if the total number of people gathered, excluding children under 5 years of age, does not exceed 45.”;

- (c) in paragraph (2) –
 - (i) in the definition “activity organiser” “, as defined in Article 7,” is deleted,
 - (ii) for the definition “controlled gathering” there is substituted –
“ “controlled gathering” means a gathering at which a responsible person has taken all reasonable steps to assist in controlling the spread of Covid-19;”,
 - (iii) after the definition “registered day care” there is inserted –
“ “responsible person” means –
 - (a) a person responsible for organising the gathering; or
 - (b) an operator or occupier (within the meaning of Regulation 1(1) of the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions) (Jersey) Regulations 2020⁸) of the location where the gathering takes place;”.

10 Citation and commencement

This Order may be cited as the Covid-19 (Workplace Restrictions and Gathering Control) (Amendment No. 4) (Jersey) Order 2021 and comes into force on 26th March 2021.

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