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QUARANTINE (COVID-19) (NO. 3) AMENDMENT (NO. 4) ORDER 2020

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The Minister responsible for health, in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Quarantine Act 2017, after having consulted with the Chief Medical Officer, makes the following Order:

Citation

1 This Order, which amends the Quarantine (COVID-19) (No. 3) Order 2020 (the “principal Order”), may be cited as the Quarantine (COVID-19) (No. 3) Amendment (No. 4) Order 2020.

Amends paragraph 2

2 The principal Order is amended in paragraph 2 by deleting the definition of “COVID-19 PCR test” and substituting the following—

“ “COVID-19 PCR test” means a polymerase chain reaction test using reverse transcription PCR (RT PCR) for the detection of nucleic acid from SARS-CoV-2;”.

Amends paragraph 4

3 The principal Order is amended in paragraph 4—

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- (a) in subparagraph (1)(c), by inserting after the word “Bermuda” the words “, subject to subparagraph (4)”;
- (b) by inserting after subparagraph (3) the following subparagraph—

“(4) The Quarantine Authority may grant written permission for a person to enter Bermuda under subparagraph (1)(c) without the application of any requirement under this Order or subject to the application of such requirements thereof as the Quarantine Authority may determine necessary for the purpose of—

- (a) the health needs of the person; or
- (b) the public interest.”.

Amends paragraph 6

4 The principal Order is amended in paragraph 6—

- (a) in subparagraph (1), by deleting the word “departure” and substituting the words “arrival in Bermuda”;
- (b) by inserting after subparagraph (1A) the following subparagraph—

“(1B) The COVID-19 PCR test that must be undertaken as required under subparagraph (1) shall either be—

- (a) the nasopharyngeal swab;
- (b) the oropharyngeal swab;
- (c) a saliva test; or
- (d) a nasal, anterior nares swab.”;
- (c) in subparagraph (4)(c), by deleting the word “address” and substituting the words “home address or valid personal email address”.

Amends paragraph 7

5 The principal Order is amended in paragraph 7 by deleting subparagraph (a) and substituting the following—

- “(a) a fee of \$75 for each person 10 years and above who has conducted a pre-departure COVID-19 PCR test not more than seven days before arrival in Bermuda and as provided under paragraph 6(2) to (4);
- (aa) a fee of \$105 for each person 10 years and above who has not conducted a pre-departure COVID-19 PCR test as provided under subparagraph (a).”.

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Inserts paragraph 16A

6 The principal Order is amended by inserting after paragraph 16 the following paragraph—

“Online application to be installed in mobile device

16A (1) For the purposes of the public health checks referred to in paragraph 16, a person to whom that paragraph refers shall have the online application to be used for public health checks installed—

(a) in his mobile device; or

(b) in a mobile device rented from the Ministry of Health, in the case where the person does not have a suitable mobile device or does not wish to install the application in his mobile device.

(2) The mobile device referred to in subparagraph (1)(b), may be rented at a fee of \$50 from the Ministry of Health for the duration of the period of public health supervision as provided in paragraph 16.”.

Made this 4th day of November 2020

Quarantine Authority

Minister of Health

[Operative Date: 04 November 2020]