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PUBLIC HEALTH (COVID-19) AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2021

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The Minister responsible for health, in exercise of the power conferred by section 107K of the Public Health Act 1949, makes the following Regulations:

Citation

1 These Regulations, which amend the Public Health (COVID-19) Regulations 2020 (the “principal regulations”), may be cited as the Public Health (COVID-19) Amendment Regulations 2021.

Amends regulation 33

2 Regulation 33 of the principal regulations is amended by inserting after paragraph (4) the following paragraph—

“(4A) A person who refuses to answer questions as required under section 107H of the Public Health Act 1949 commits an offence.”.

Inserts regulation 33A

3 The principal regulations are amended by inserting after regulation 33 the following—

“Offences to which public health penalty ticket is applicable

33A (1) In accordance with Part VA of the Public Health Act 1949, a public health penalty ticket may be issued in respect of such offences under these Regulations as are listed in Schedule 1 to the Public Health (COVID-19) Penalties Regulations 2021, and, to the extent provided in those Regulations, those Regulations shall apply in respect of those offences.

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(2) A person to whom a public health penalty ticket under the Public Health (COVID-19) Penalties Regulations 2021 is issued for an offence referred to in paragraph (1) shall only be liable to pay the penalty as provided in regulation 7(1)(b) of those Regulations.

(3) For the avoidance of doubt, and in accordance with section 107J of the Public Health Act 1949, a person to whom a public health penalty ticket is issued, as provided under paragraph (1), who fails to pay the penalty provided under the Public Health (COVID-19) Penalties Regulations 2021 within the period of 28 days or within an extended period of time, as may be granted under section 107I of the Public Health Act 1949, is liable, on conviction of the offence stated in the ticket, to the fine as provided in regulation 33(5) of these Regulations.”.

Made this 11th day of August 2021

Minister of Health

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