

This Statutory Instrument corrects errors in the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020 (S.I. 2020/568) and is being issued free of charge to all known recipients of that Statutory Instrument.

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2020 No. 813

PUBLIC HEALTH, ENGLAND

The Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>29th July 2020</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>30th July 2020</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>31st July 2020</i>

The Secretary of State makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 45B, 45F(2) and 45P(2) of the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984⁽¹⁾.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations 2020 and come into force on 31st July 2020.

Amendment of the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020

2.—(1) The Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020⁽²⁾ are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 4 (requirement to self-isolate), after paragraph (8) insert—

“(8A) Paragraph (2) does not require P to remain in isolation from a person (“V”) when V is at the place where P is self-isolating—

- (a) to provide emergency assistance,
- (b) to provide care or assistance, including relevant personal care within the meaning of paragraph 1(1B) or 7(3B) of Schedule 4 to the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups

(1) 1984 c. 22. Part 2A was inserted by section 129 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (c. 14).

(2) S.I. 2020/568, as amended by S.I. 2020/691, 724, 799 and 805.

- Act 2006(3), to P or to any other person who is living in the place where P is self-isolating,
- (c) to provide medical assistance, including to provide any of the services mentioned in paragraph (9)(b), to P or to any other person who is living in the place where P is self-isolating, where this is required urgently or on the advice of a registered medical practitioner,
- (d) to provide veterinary services, where this is required urgently or on the advice of a veterinary surgeon,
- (e) to provide critical public services, including those mentioned in paragraph (9)(g)(ii)(aa) and (bb).”.
- (3) In Schedule 2 (persons not required to comply with regulation 3 or 4)—
- (a) in paragraph 2(1)(a), for “14 days of their arrival” substitute “the period during which they would, but for this paragraph, have had to self-isolate in accordance with regulation 4”,
- (b) in paragraph 3(1)(b)—
- (i) for “immediately preceding their arrival” substitute “ending with the day immediately preceding the day of their arrival in the United Kingdom”,
- (ii) after “visiting force” insert “, where they have not disembarked”,
- (iii) for “immediately preceding its arrival” substitute “ending with the day of its arrival”,
- (c) in paragraph 4(a), for “14 days of arrival” substitute “the period during which they would, but for this paragraph, have had to self-isolate in accordance with regulation 4”,
- (d) in paragraph 13(1)(a), for “14 days of their arrival” substitute “the period during which they would, but for this paragraph, have had to self-isolate in accordance with regulation 4”,
- (e) in paragraph 17(2)(b), for “has the meaning given in section 17BA(6) and 219(1)” substitute “means the holder of a sewerage licence under section 17BA(4)”,
- (f) for paragraph 17A substitute—
- “17A.—(1) Workers engaged in essential or emergency works relating to flood and coastal erosion risk management on behalf of—
- (a) the Environment Agency, or
- (b) a lead local flood authority in England.
- (2) For the purposes of sub-paragraph (1)—
- (a) “flood” and “coastal erosion” have the meanings given in section 1 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010(5),
- (b) “lead local flood authority” has the meaning given in section 6(7) of that Act,
- (c) “risk management” has the meaning given in section 3 of that Act(6).”.
- (g) in paragraph 24(1), for “14 days of their arrival” substitute “the period during which they would, but for this paragraph, have had to self-isolate in accordance with regulation 4”,
- (h) omit paragraph 30.
- (4) In Schedule 3 (specified competitions)—

(3) 2006 c. 47. Paragraph 1(1B) of Schedule 4 was inserted by section 64(3) of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012 (c.9) and paragraph 7(3B) was substituted by section 66(2) of that Act.

(4) 1991 c. 56. Section 17BA of the Water Industry Act 1991 was inserted by section 4(1) of the Water Act 2014 (c. 21).

(5) 2010 c. 29.

(6) And see section 2 of the Flood and Water Management Act 2010 for the meaning of “risk”.

- (a) omit the following entries—
- (i) “Professional Darts Corporation Summer Series”,
 - (ii) “Professional Golfers’ Association Betfred British Masters Championship”,
 - (iii) “Moët & Chandon July Festival horse-racing”,
 - (iv) “QIPCO King George Diamond Weekend horse-racing”,
- (b) at the end insert—
- “Football Association International Fixtures
 - England & Wales Cricket Board International Cricket Fixtures
 - European Tour Golf - The Irish Challenge
 - London Marathon
 - St Leger Festival horse-racing
 - Dubai Future Champions Festival horse-racing
 - QIPCO British Champions Day horse-racing
 - The Showcase meeting Cheltenham horse-racing
 - FIH Pro League hockey fixtures
 - Rugby Football Union Autumn Internationals
 - European Professional Club Rugby Fixtures
 - Guinness PRO14 Rugby Football Union Fixtures
 - ATP Tour Finals tennis”.

Signed

29th July 2020

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Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Health Protection (Coronavirus, International Travel) (England) Regulations 2020 (“the International Travel Regulations”).

They amend regulation 4 of the International Travel Regulations to provide that a person who is required to be in self-isolation is not required to isolate themselves from a visitor to the place where they are self-isolating if the visitor is there to provide certain services including care and medical assistance. They amend Schedule 2 to remove the exemption from the requirement to self-isolate for certain health or care professionals, and they amend the list of specified competitions in Schedule 3 (which is relevant to the exemption from the requirement to self-isolate for elite sportspersons). They also make a number of minor amendments.

An impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument. An explanatory memorandum has been published alongside this instrument at www.legislation.gov.uk.