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PUBLIC HEALTH

The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 16) Regulations 2020

Approved by the Scottish Parliament

	at 1.00 p.m. on 25th
Made	September 2020
Laid before the Scottish	at 3.00 p.m. on 25th
Parliament	September 2020
	at 4.00 a.m. on 26th
Coming into force	September 2020

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 94(1)(b)(i) and 122(2)(b) of the Public Health etc. (Scotland) Act 2008(1), and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 122(6) of that Act, the Scottish Ministers consider that these Regulations need to be made urgently, without a draft having been laid before, and approved by resolution of, the Scottish Parliament.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Amendment (No. 16) Regulations 2020 and come into force at 4.00 a.m. on 26 September 2020.

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

- **2.**—(1) The Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Regulations 2020(**2**) are amended in accordance with paragraph (2).
 - (2) In Part 1 of schedule A1 (countries, territories, or parts of countries or territories), omit—
 - (a) "Curação",
 - (b) "Denmark",
 - (c) "Iceland",

^{(1) 2008} asp 5.

⁽²⁾ S.S.I. 2020/169, relevantly amended by S.S.I. 2020/171, S.S.I. 2020/184, S.S.I. 2020/209, S.S.I. 2020/221, S.S.I. 2020/224, S.S.I. 2020/229, S.S.I. 2020/233, S.S.I. 2020/235, S.S.I. 2020/242, S.S.I. 2020/252, S.S.I. 2020/263, S.S.I. 2020/271, S.S.I. 2020/274, S.S.I. 2020/280 and S.S.I. 2020/288.

(d) "Slovakia".

Saving

3. The amendments made by these Regulations do not apply in relation to any person who arrived in Scotland during the period beginning at 12:01 am on 8 June 2020 and ending immediately prior to the coming into force of these Regulations, and the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 continue to apply to such persons as if the amendments made by these Regulations had not been made.

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh At 1.00 p.m. on 25th September 2020

H YOUSAF
A member of the Scottish Government

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend the Health Protection (Coronavirus) (International Travel) (Scotland) Regulations 2020 ("the International Travel Regulations").

They remove Curaçao, Denmark, Iceland and Slovakia from the list of exempt countries, territories and parts of countries or territories in Part 1 of schedule A1 of the International Travel Regulations. This means that persons arriving in Scotland at or after the time these Regulations come into force are no longer exempt from the movement restriction in regulation 6 of the International Travel Regulations if, during the 14 days preceding their arrival, they have departed from or transited through Curaçao, Denmark, Iceland or Slovakia.

An impact assessment has not been produced for this instrument.