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THE HEALTH PROTECTION (CORONAVIRUS
RESTRICTIONS) (NO. 5) (WALES) REGULATIONS 2020

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- 11A Requirement to isolate: specific provision for people who are in Wales on 22 January 2021 and who have been in the Democratic Republic of the Congo or the United Republic of Tanzania in the previous 10 days
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- 10. Sexual entertainment venues (within the meaning given by paragraph 2A...

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PART 1 — Restrictions on gathering

- 1. Restriction on gatherings in private dwellings
- 2. Restriction on gatherings in public places
- 3. Extended households

PART 2 — Restrictions on organising events

- 4. Prohibition on organising events
- 5. Authorised events

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- 6. Restriction on travel to and from Alert Level 2 area

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- 7. Closure of premises used by certain businesses and services
- 8. Restrictions on licensed premises
- 9. Businesses or services whose premises must be closed
- 10. Sexual entertainment venues (within the meaning given by paragraph 2A...

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- 2. Restriction on gatherings in public places
- 3. Extended households

PART 2 — Restrictions on organising events

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15. Casinos.
16. Bingo halls.
17. Amusement arcades.
18. Bowling alleys.
19. Indoor play centres or areas.
20. Funfairs, amusement parks and theme parks.
21. Museums and galleries.
22. Skating rinks.
23. Trampoline parks and centres.
24. Indoor skate parks and centres
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- 13. Public houses.
- 14. Cafes, canteens and restaurants (including workplace canteens and dining rooms...
- 15. Camping sites.
- 16. Holiday sites.
- 17. Hotels and bed and breakfast accommodation;
- 18. Other holiday accommodation (including holiday apartments, hostels and boarding houses)....
- 19. Community centres.
- 20. Crematoriums.
- 21. Libraries and archive services. Personal services etc.
- 22. Hair salons and barbers.
- 23. Nail and beauty salons including tanning and electrolysis services.
- 24. Body piercings and tattooing services. Leisure and social etc.
- 25. Nightclubs, discotheques, dance halls or other venues authorised for the...
- 26. Sexual entertainment venues (within the meaning given by paragraph 2A...
- 27. Cinemas.
- 28. Concert halls and theatres.
- 29. Casinos.
- 30. Bingo halls.

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31. Amusement arcades.
 32. Bowling alleys.
 33. Indoor play centres or areas.
 34. Funfairs, amusement parks and theme parks.
 35. Holiday, leisure activity or events businesses.
 36. Museums and galleries.
 37. Skating rinks.
 38. Trampoline parks and centres.
 39. Enclosed or indoor skate parks and centres.
 40. Spas.
 41. Venues for events or conferences (including venues for weddings).
 42. Visitor attractions. Sports and exercise.
 43. Sports or exercise facilities, including indoor fitness studios and gyms....
 44. Swimming pools.
 45. Sports courts, bowling greens, golf courses and enclosed sports grounds...
 46. Any business offering goods or services for sale or hire...
 47. Shopping centres and shopping arcades.
 48. Estate or letting agents and developer sales offices.
Exempt premises
 49. Dental services, opticians, audiology services, chiropody, chiropractors, osteopaths, physiotherapy services,...
 50. Hospital libraries and libraries at educational establishments.
 51. Funeral directors.
 52. Veterinary surgeons. Food and drink businesses
 53. Cafés and canteens at a hospital, care home, school or...
 54. Canteens at a prison or an establishment intended for use...
 55. Businesses offering the following goods for sale or hire in...
 56. Food markets, convenience stores, corner shops, pet shops, off licences...
 57. Supermarkets and other shops that sell multiple types of goods...
 58. Shops offering maintenance or repair services for telecommunications or information...
 59. Building supplies and hardware stores.
 60. Banks, building societies and other financial services providers.
 61. Post offices.
 62. Car repair and MOT services.
 - 62A Automatic car washes.
 63. Livestock markets or auctions.
 64. Laundrettes and dry cleaners.
 65. Taxi or vehicle hire businesses.
 66. Agricultural or aquacultural supplies shops.
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1. Christmas: temporary modifications to restrictions on gatherings in private dwellings and restrictions on travelling
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 3. Extended households during Christmas period
 4. (1) Schedule 4 is modified as follows.
 5. Transitional provision about extended households
- Regulated premises
7. Food and drink businesses
 1. Bars (including bars in members' clubs).
 2. Public houses.
 3. Cafes, canteens and restaurants (including workplace canteens and dining rooms...
 4. Camping sites.
 5. Holiday sites.
 6. Hotels and bed and breakfast accommodation.
 7. Other holiday accommodation (including holiday apartments, hostels and boarding houses)...
 8. Medical or health services.
 9. Recycling and waste centres.
 10. Community centres.
 11. Libraries and archive services.
 12. Places of worship.
 13. Funeral directors.
 14. Crematoriums.
 15. Veterinary surgeons. Personal services etc.
 16. Hair salons and barbers.
 17. Nail and beauty salons including tanning and electrolysis services.
 18. Body piercings and tattooing services. Leisure and social etc.
 19. Cinemas.
 20. Concert halls and theatres.
 21. Casinos.
 22. Bingo halls.
 23. Amusement arcades.
 24. Bowling alleys.
 25. Indoor play centres or areas.
 26. Playgrounds.
 27. Funfairs, amusement parks and theme parks.
 28. Holiday, leisure activity or events businesses.
 29. Museums and galleries.
 30. Skating rinks.
 31. Trampoline parks and centres.
 32. Indoor skate parks and centres.
 33. Spas.
 34. Venues for events or conferences (including venues for weddings).
 35. Visitor attractions. Sports and exercise
 36. Sports or exercise facilities, including indoor fitness studios and gyms....
 37. Swimming pools.
 38. Sports courts, bowling greens, golf courses and enclosed sports grounds...
 39. Any business offering goods or services for sale or hire...
 40. Shopping centres and shopping arcades.

41. Storage and distribution facilities, including delivery drop off points.
42. Estate or letting agents, developer sales offices and show homes....
- SCHEDULE 8 Enforcement of requirement to take preventative measures on regulated premises
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 - Sign to be displayed with premises closure notice
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Explanatory Note

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