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**The Health Protection (Coronavirus
Restrictions) (No. 2) (Wales) Regulations 2020**

PART 3

Minimising risk of exposure to coronavirus at open premises and while working

Reasonable measures to minimise risk of exposure to coronavirus

12.—(1) Paragraph (2) applies to a person responsible for—

- (a) open premises, or
- (b) work carried out at any other premises where a person is working.

(2) For the purposes of minimising the risk of exposure to coronavirus at the premises, the person must—

- (a) take all reasonable measures to ensure—
 - (i) that a distance of 2 metres is maintained between any persons on the premises (except between two members of the same household, or a carer and the person assisted by the carer);
 - (ii) where persons are required to wait to enter the premises, that a distance of 2 metres is maintained between them (except between two members of the same household, or a carer and the person assisted by the carer),
 - (b) take any other reasonable measures for that purpose, for example measures which limit close face to face interaction and maintain hygiene such as—
 - (i) changing the layout of premises including the location of furniture and workstations;
 - (ii) controlling use of entrances, passageways, stairs and lifts;
 - (iii) controlling use of shared facilities such as toilets and kitchens;
 - (iv) otherwise controlling the use of, or access to, any other part of the premises;
 - (v) installing barriers or screens;
 - (vi) providing or requiring use of personal protective equipment, and
 - (c) provide information to those entering or working at the premises about how to minimise the risk of exposure to coronavirus.
- (3) In these Regulations “open premises” means—
- (a) premises of a business or service listed in Schedule 4;
 - (b) places of worship;
 - (c) cemeteries;
 - (d) premises of a business listed in Schedule 1 which are not required to be closed by virtue of regulation 6;

- (e) premises of a business listed in Schedule 2 which are permitted to be open by virtue of regulation 7(2);
 - (f) premises of a business listed in Schedule 3 which are permitted to be open by virtue of regulation 8(2) or (3);
 - (g) crematoriums permitted to open by virtue of regulation 10(2);
 - (h) community centres permitted to open by virtue of regulation 10(4).
- (4) For the purposes of this regulation “premises” also includes a vehicle used to provide a service for the carriage of passengers by road, rail, tramway, air or sea.