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REGULATIONS 2021, made by the Board pursuant to Section 102 of the Public Health Act,
Cap. 353.**

1. Citation and commencement

(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Public Health Act (Dangerous Infectious Disease) (Amendment) (No. 5) Regulations, 2021.

(2) These Regulations shall take effect from 8:00pm on Monday 15th March, 2021.

2. Interpretation

In these Regulations —

“principal Regulations” means the Public Health Act (Dangerous Infectious Disease) Regulations 2020, Statutory Instrument No. 16 of 2020

3. Amendment of Regulation 5A of principal Regulations

Regulation 5A of the principal Regulations is amended as follows:

(a) in paragraph 3 (Mandatory Curfew) by repealing subparagraph (1) thereof and replacing it with the following:

“(1) A mandatory nine (9) hours curfew shall come into effect from 8:00p.m. on Monday 15th March, 2021 and continuing every evening thereafter from 8:00p.m for nine (9) consecutive hours until 5:00a.m of the next day following.

(b) in paragraph 4 (Opening of businesses and conditions) by repealing “6:00p.m.” wheresoever it appears and replacing this with “8:00p.m.”

- (c) in paragraph 4A (Closure of Bars and Clubs) at subparagraph (1) thereof, by repealing the date of “15th March, 2021” that is stated therein and replacing this with “31st March, 2021”.
- (d) in paragraph 4C (Closure of Gyms and similar facilities) at subparagraph (1) thereof, by repealing the date of “15th March, 2021” that is stated therein and replacing this with “31st March, 2021”.
- (e) in paragraph 8 (Education and religious instructions) at subparagraph (3) thereof, by repealing the date of “15th March, 2021” that is stated therein and replacing this with “31st March, 2021”.
- (f) in paragraph 11 (Permitted use of Beaches) at subparagraph (2) thereof, by deleting “6:00p.m.” and replacing this with “7:00p.m.”
- (g) in paragraph 12 (Physical exercise and sporting competitions) at subparagraph (1) thereof, by repealing “5:00am. to 6:00p.m.” and replacing this with “5:00a.m. to 8:00p.m.”.

Made the 12th March, 2021.

Eustace Lake,
Chairman of the Central Board of Health.