

#### **BERMUDA**

## QUARANTINE (COVID-19) (NO. 3) AMENDMENT (NO. 6) ORDER 2020

#### BR 129 / 2020

The Minister responsible for health, in exercise of the power conferred by section 9 of the Quarantine Act 2017, after having consulted with the Chief Medical Officer, makes the following Order:

#### Citation

This Order, which amends the Quarantine (COVID-19) (No. 3) Order 2020 (the "principal Order"), may be cited as the Quarantine (COVID-19) (No. 3) Amendment (No. 6) Order 2020.

### Amends paragraph 2

- 2 The principal Order is amended in paragraph 2 by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical position the following new definitions—
  - " "electronic monitoring bracelet" means an electronic wearable device fitted under the supervision of a Health Officer on a person to whom paragraph 20(1) and (1A) applies to track such person's compliance with quarantine requirements under that paragraph;
  - "traveller wristband" means a non-electronic wristband fitted under the supervision of a Health Officer on a person to whom paragraph 10A applies for the identification of such person during the period of 14 days from the date of his arrival in Bermuda;".

# Revokes and substitutes paragraph 7

3 The principal Order is amended by revoking paragraph 7 and substituting the following—  $\,$ 

#### "Travel Authorisation fee

- 7 (1) Each person applying for Travel Authorisation or completing a Travel Authorisation Form as provided under paragraph 5, shall pay the fee set out in subparagraph (2)—
  - (a) by electronically forwarding the fee in subparagraph (2)(a) and (b) at the time the person is submitting the Travel Authorisation Form; and
  - (b) by paying at the airport or port of entry, whichever is the point of arrival in Bermuda for the person, the fee in subparagraph (2)(c), where such fee is applicable.
  - (2) The fee referred to in subparagraph (1) is—
    - (a) \$75 for each person 10 years and above, and such fee applies to—
      - (i) each person who is a resident of Bermuda; and
      - (ii) each person who, not being a resident of Bermuda, has complied with the requirements for travel to Bermuda under paragraph 6(2) to (4);
    - (b) \$30 for each child under the age of 10 years;
    - (c) \$30 for each person 10 years and above who is a resident of Bermuda and who has not conducted a pre-arrival COVID-19 PCR test before arrival in Bermuda in the manner as provided under paragraph 6(2) to (4)."

## Inserts paragraph 10A

The principal Order is amended by inserting after paragraph 10 the following new paragraph—

# "Traveller wristband

- 10A (1) Subject to subparagraph (2), each person 16 years and above who is landed in Bermuda shall, upon arrival, be fitted with a traveller wristband to be worn for a period of 14 days from the date of arrival in Bermuda, as part of the public health supervision requirements under Part 5 of this Order.
- (2) The requirement under subparagraph (1) shall not apply in any case where a person—  $\,$ 
  - (a) is required to be fitted with an electronic monitoring bracelet under paragraph 20(1) or (1A); or
  - (b) cannot, for medical reasons, be fitted with a traveller wristband.
- (3) A person fitted with a traveller wristband under this paragraph shall comply with the instructions of the Health Officer regarding—
  - (a) the terms specified for his monitoring; and

- (b) the use of the traveller wristband.
- (4) Any person who refuses to be fitted with a traveller wristband as required under subparagraph (1), shall—
  - (a) be placed in quarantine for 14 days in the manner as provided under paragraph 14; and
  - (b) be fitted with an electronic monitoring bracelet as provided under paragraph 20(1A), during the 14 days. ".

Revokes and substitutes paragraph 27

5 The principal Order is amended by revoking paragraph 27 and substituting the following—  $\,$ 

"Offences

- 27 (1) Any person who—
  - (a) gives false information when completing the Travel Authorisation Form under paragraph 5; or
  - (b) subject to subparagraph (2), otherwise contravenes the provisions of this Order,

commits an offence under section 11 of the Quarantine Act 2017 and is liable to the penalty under that section.

- (2) Any person who removes or causes to be removed a traveller wristband fitted on the person under paragraph 10A(1)—
  - (a) commits an offence under section 11 of the Quarantine Act 2017 and is liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding \$500; and
  - (b) shall, upon being discovered to have removed the traveller wristband, be placed in quarantine for a period of 14 days and be fitted with an electronic monitoring bracelet during that period.".

Made this 7th day of December 2020

Quarantine Authority

Minister of Health

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