BELIZE:

PUBLIC HEALTH (PREVENTION OF THE SPREAD OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE) (COVID-19) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) REGULATIONS, 2021

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STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

No. 80 of 2021

REGULATIONS made by the Minister in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by section 82A of the Public Health Act, Chapter 40 of the Substantive Laws of Belize, Revised Edition 2011, and all other powers thereunto him enabling.

(Gazetted 23rd July, 2021).

1. These Regulations may be cited as the

Citation.

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and shall be read and construed as one with the Public Health (Prevention of the Spread of Infectious Disease) (COVID-19) Regulations, 2021, which is hereinafter referred to as the principal Regulations.

S.I. 74 of 2021. S.I. 78 of 2021.

2. The principal Regulations are amended in regulation 4 by repealing sub-regulations (1) and (2) and substituting the following–

Amendment of regulation 2.

- "(1) For the purposes of preventing, controlling, containing and supressing the spread of the infectious disease COVID-19 and maintaining peace and public order, commencing July 26, 2021 and ending on August 15, 2021, a curfew is hereby imposed, during the hours of 10:00 p.m. until 4:00 a.m. of the following morning.
- (2) Notwithstanding sub-regulation (1), every minor shall be and remain within the confines of a private property during the hours of 6:00 p.m. until 4:00 a.m. of the following morning,

provided that a minor may move in any public road during the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m. if that minor is accompanied by his parent or guardian.".

Insertion of new regulation 11A.

3. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting the following new regulation immediately after regulation 11–

"Redeployment of frontline workers. **11A.** Every frontline worker who works at a port of entry into and exit out of Belize shall be redeployed if that frontline worker is not vaccinated.".

Insertion of new regulation 62A.

4. The principal Regulations are amended by inserting the following new regulation immediately after regulation 62–

"Closure of churches in specified areas.

62A. Notwithstanding regulation 16, every church located in any of the areas specified under regulation 59 shall not be allowed to operate for a period of fourteen days commencing on July 26, 2021."

Commencement.

5. These Regulations shall come into force on the 26th day of July, 2021.

MADE by the Minister responsible for public health this 23rd day of July, 2021.

(HON. MICHEL CHEBAT)

Minister of Health and Wellness

(Minister responsible for public health)