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**Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulation 2020**

(Made by the Chief Executive in Council under section 8 of the Prevention and Control of Disease Ordinance (Cap. 599))

**1. Commencement**

This Regulation comes into operation on 29 April 2020.

**2. Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) Regulation amended**

The Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) Regulation (Cap. 599 sub. leg. F) is amended as set out in section 3.

**3. Section 2 amended (interpretation)**

Section 2—

**Repeal the definition of *specified disease***

**Substitute**

“*specified disease* (指明疾病) means the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), which is specified in item 8A of Schedule 1 to the Ordinance.”.

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## Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the Prevention and Control of Disease (Requirements and Directions) (Business and Premises) Regulation (Cap. 599 sub. leg. F) (*principal Regulation*) to amend the definition of *specified disease* in section 2 of the principal Regulation.

2. The amendment—

- (a) is consequential to the amendments made by the Prevention and Control of Disease Ordinance (Amendment of Schedules 1 and 2) Notice 2020 to the list of scheduled infectious diseases in Schedule 1 to the Prevention and Control of Disease Ordinance (Cap. 599); and
- (b) is made to reflect that the name of the disease “severe respiratory disease associated with a novel infectious agent” has been changed to “coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19)”.