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Prevention and Control of Disease (Prohibition on Group Gathering) (Amendment) (No. 3) 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 22 May 2020.

2. Prevention and Control of Disease (Prohibition on Group Gathering) Regulation amended

The Prevention and Control of Disease (Prohibition on Group Gathering) Regulation (Cap. 599 sub. leg. G) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule 1 amended (exempted group gatherings)

(1) Schedule 1, item 10, after “served”—

Add

“(except as part of a religious ritual)”.

(2) Schedule 1, after item 13—

Add

“14. Group gathering during a religious activity (other than a wedding ceremony)—

(a) held at any premises constructed or regularly used as a place of worship (including a church, monastery or nunnery, mosque, synagogue or temple);

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- (b) in which no food or drink is served (except as part of a religious ritual); and
- (c) in which measures are in place for restricting the number of participants in the activity to not more than 50% of the number of persons that may normally be accommodated on the premises as a place of worship”.

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This Regulation amends Schedule 1 to the Prevention and Control of Disease (Prohibition on Group Gathering) Regulation (Cap. 599 sub. leg. G) mainly to provide for an exemption for religious activities held at religious worship premises.