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MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

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AMENDMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH COVID-19 GENERAL REGULATIONS: PUBLIC AND ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ACT, 2015

In terms of section 29(1) of the Public and Environmental Health Act, 2015 (Act No. 1 of 2015), I have amended the Public Health Covid-19 General Regulations published under Government Notice No. 91 of 30 April 2021 as set out in the Schedule.

DR. K. SHANGULA
MINISTER OF HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES

Windhoek, 16 July 2022

SCHEDULE

Definitions

1. In these regulations “the Regulations” means the Public Health Covid-19 General Regulations published under Government Notice No. 91 of 30 April 2021 as amended by Government Notices No. 108 of 31 May 2021, No. 128 of 16 June 2021, No. 138 of 30 June 2021, No. 144 of 9 July 2021, No.151 of 15 July 2021, No. 160 of 31 July 2021, No. 175 of 14 August 2021, No. 189 of 6 September 2021, No. 205 of 15 September 2021, No. 232 of 15 October 2021, No. 246 of 5 November 2021, No. 249 of 15 November 2021, No. 281 of 15 December 2021, No. 7 of 15 January 2022, No. 56 of 15 February 2022, No. 85 of 15 March 2022, No. 121 of 14 April 2022, No. 145 of 13 May 2022 , No. 172 of 15 June 2022 and No. 210 of 15 July 2022.

Amendment of regulation 2 of Regulations

2. Regulation 2 of the Regulations is amended by the substitution for subregulation (2) of the following subregulation:

“(2) These regulations come into operation at 17:00 on 16 July 2022 and cease to have effect at 24:00 on 15 January 2023.”.

Amendment of regulation 11 of Regulations

3. Regulation 11 of the Regulations are amended by the substitution of subregulation (4) for the following subregulation:

“(4) Persons permitted to enter Namibia under subregulation (2) may not enter Namibia unless such persons at the time of entering Namibia present to an authorised person a valid -

- (a) vaccination certificate -
 - (i) showing that the person concerned are fully vaccinated against COVID-19; and
 - (ii) issued by a person or authority certified or authorised to administer COVID-19 vaccines and to issue vaccination certificates in any country.
 - (b) SARS-CoV2 PCR test result from the country of departure, which test result -
 - (i) is a negative SARS-CoV-2 PCR test result which is not older than 72 hours calculated from the date that the sample for testing was taken; and
 - (ii) was issued by a laboratory that is certified in the country of issue to issue SARS-CoV-2 PCR test results; or
 - (c) de-isolation certificate, not older than three months from the date of discharge from isolation, issued by the health authority in the country of departure.”.
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