

South Australia

Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel— Associated Direction No 31) (COVID-19) Direction 2021

under section 25 of the *Emergency Management Act 2004*

Preamble

- 1 On 22 March 2020, I, Grantley Stevens, Commissioner of Police, being the State Co-ordinator for the State of South Australia pursuant to section 14 of the *Emergency Management Act 2004* (the *Act*), declared pursuant to section 23 of the Act that a Major Emergency is occurring in respect of the outbreak of the Human Disease named COVID-19 within South Australia.
 - 2 Now I, Grantley Stevens, Commissioner of Police and State Co-ordinator for the State of South Australia, being of the opinion that this is necessary to achieve the purposes of the Act, give the following directions pursuant to section 25 of the Act.
 - 3 This direction is to operate as an appendix to the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021*.
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1—Citation

This direction may be cited as the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—Associated Direction No 31) (COVID-19) Direction 2021*.

2—Revocation

The *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—Associated Direction No 30) (COVID-19) Direction 2021* is revoked.

3—Interpretation

In this direction—

ACT-NSW restricted zone arrival means a person arriving in South Australia who has been in the ACT-NSW restricted zone at any time in the 14 days prior to arrival;

Greater Brisbane means the area comprising the following local government areas in the State of Queensland:

- (a) City of Brisbane;
 - (b) Moreton Bay Regional Council;
 - (c) Sunshine Coast Regional Council;
 - (d) Noosa Shire Council;
 - (e) City of Gold Coast;
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- (f) Logan City;
- (g) City of Ipswich;
- (h) Redland City;
- (i) Lockyer Valley Regional Council;
- (j) Scenic Rim Regional Council; and
- (k) Somerset Regional Council;

Greater Melbourne means the following local government areas in Victoria: Banyule, Hume, Moreland, Bayside, Kingston, Mornington Peninsula, Boroondara, Knox, Nillumbik, Brimbank, Manningham, Port Phillip, Cardinia, Maribyrnong, Stonnington, Casey, Maroondah, Whitehorse, Darebin, Melbourne, Frankston, Melton, Wyndham, Glen Eira, Monash, Yarra, Greater Dandenong, Moonee Valley, Yarra Ranges and Hobsons Bay, and the City of Whittlesea, the City of Greater Geelong and the Shire of Moorabool;

Queensland – Greater Brisbane restricted zone arrival means a person arriving in South Australia who has been in the Queensland – Greater Brisbane restricted zone at any time in the 14 days prior to arrival;

unrestricted overseas arrival—an overseas arrival is an unrestricted overseas arrival if the only location outside of Australia that they have been in during the period of 14 days before their arrival in South Australia is New Zealand or the Cook Islands;

Victorian restricted zone arrival means a person arriving in South Australia who has been in the Victorian restricted zone at any time in the 14 days prior to arrival;

Victorian restricted zone means the restricted zone declared under clause 6;

4—Application of cross border requirements—overseas arrivals

An arrival from a location specified in the first column of the table below who is of a class specified in the second column of the table is subject to requirements of the level specified in the third column of the table:

Location	Class of person	Level of requirements
Overseas	All overseas arrivals (other than an unrestricted overseas arrival)	Level 5

5—Application of cross border requirements—Interstate arrivals

- (1) An arrival from a location specified in the first column of the table below who is of a class specified in the second column of the table is subject to requirements of the level specified in the third column of the table:

Location	Class of person	Level of requirements
ACT-NSW restricted zone	ACT-NSW restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after the commencement of this direction, other than essential travellers and the classes of permitted arrivals specified in this associated direction.	Level 6
ACT-NSW restricted zone	ACT-NSW restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after the commencement of this direction, who are— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrivals as genuine relocations to reside in South Australia; or • Domestic violence arrivals. 	Level 5
ACT-NSW restricted zone	ACT-NSW restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after the commencement of this direction, who are— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Essential travellers; or • Returning South Australian residents who— <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ have completed 14 days of supervised quarantine in the ACT-NSW restricted zone; and ○ comply with the transit requirements in clause 6(2) (transiting passengers) of the <i>Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021</i> 	Level 4
Queensland – Greater Brisbane restricted zone Victoria restricted zone	Queensland – Greater Brisbane and Victoria restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after commencement of this direction, other than essential travellers and permitted arrivals.	Level 6

Queensland – Greater Brisbane restricted zone	Queensland – Greater Brisbane and Victoria restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after the commencement of this direction, who are—	Level 4
Victoria restricted zone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Essential travellers; or • Permitted arrivals. 	
Victoria restricted zone	Victoria restricted zone arrivals arriving in South Australia after the commencement of this direction, who are returning South Australian residents and who have not been present within Greater Melbourne at any time in the 14 days prior to arrival.	Level 3

- (2) Despite their classification as Level 4 arrivals, the following COVID-19 testing requirements apply to NSW-ACT and Victorian restricted zone arrivals who are essential travellers engaged in the provision of commercial transport or freight services under clause 3 of Schedule 3 of the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021*:
- (a) must produce evidence of a COVID-19 test taken within 48 hours preceding their arrival in South Australia; or
 - (b) must submit to COVID-19 testing within 24 hours after their arrival in South Australia; and
 - (c) must use an approved contact tracing system, including at the testing station.

6—Declaration of restricted zones

- (1) The Australian Capital Territory and the State of New South Wales is declared to be the ACT-NSW restricted zone.
- (2) The area comprising Greater Brisbane in the State of Queensland is declared to be the Queensland – Greater Brisbane restricted zone.
- (3) The State of Victoria is declared to be the Victorian restricted zone.

7—Prescribed roads

- (1) For the purposes of clause 16 of the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021*, the following roads are prescribed for any person entering South Australia from-
 - (a) New South Wales by road:
 - Wentworth-Renmark Road, Calperum Station (outside Renmark)
 - Barrier Highway, Oodla Wirra
 - (b) Victoria by road:
 - Sturt Highway, Yamba

Mallee Highway, Pinnaroo
Dukes Highway, Wolseley
Wimmera Highway, Laurie Park
Casterton Road, Penola
Glenelg Highway, Myora
Princes Highway, Glenburnie
Glenelg River Road, Donovans/Nelson

- (2) Subclause (1) does not apply to essential travellers under clauses 3 or 8 (commercial transport and freight services) of Schedule 3 of the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021*

8—Modification of essential traveller – cross-border community members

- (1) Clause 5 of Sch 3 of the *Emergency Management (Cross Border Travel—General No 2) (COVID-19) Direction 2021* is to be read as though the following is substituted for sub-clause (2):
- (2) Persons who are ordinarily resident in the Victorian cross border corridor and who have reasonable cause to travel across the border for any purpose, provided the person—
- (a) remains in the cross border corridor while not in South Australia; and
 - (b) has not, during the period of 14 days before entering South Australia from the Victorian cross border corridor, been associating (in person) with persons from a restricted zone outside of the cross border corridor.
- (3) *Victorian cross border corridor* means the area 70km on either side of the border between South Australia and Victoria.

This direction operates from the 16th day of July 2021 at 1722 hours

SIGNED at ADELAIDE on this 16th day of July 2021
at 1722 hours



GRANTLEY STEVENS
STATE CO-ORDINATOR