

## **Emergency Management (COVID-19) (Parafield Cluster Isolation) Direction 2020**

under section 25 of the *Emergency Management Act 2004*

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### **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, 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.
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### **1—Short title**

This direction may be cited as the *Emergency Management (COVID-19) (Parafield Cluster Isolation) Direction 2020*.

### **2—Application of direction**

- (1) Except as provided in subclause (2), this direction applies to the following persons -
  - (a) a person who was physically present on the site of Roma Mitchell Secondary College (Briens Road, Gepps Cross SA 5094), on any 1 or more of the following days:
    - (i) 12 November 2020;
    - (ii) 13 November 2020;
  - (b) a person who was physically present on the site of Thomas More College (23 Amsterdam Crescent, Salisbury Downs SA 5108), on any 1 or more of the following days:
    - (i) 12 November 2020;
    - (ii) 13 November 2020;
  - (c) a person who was physically present on the site of Mawson Lakes Primary School (12-24 Garden Terrace, Mawson Lakes SA 5095), on the following day:
    - (i) 13 November 2020;
  - (d) a person who was physically present on the site of Elizabeth Aquadome (1 Crockerton Road, Elizabeth SA 5112) at any time during the following period:
    - (i) 11.00am – 1.30pm on 14 November 2020; and

- (e) a person who was physically present on the site of Peppers Waymouth Hotel Adelaide (55 Waymouth Street, Adelaide SA 5000) at any time during the following period:
    - (i) 31 October until 15 November 2020 inclusive; and
  - (f) a person who was physically present on the site of, or who received a delivery from, the Woodville Pizza Bar (1/58 Woodville Road Woodville South SA 5011) at any time during the following period:
    - (i) 6 November until 16 November 2020 inclusive; and
  - (g) any member of the household of a person identified in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) or (f), being a person regularly living in the household (or households if they live in more than one) of such a person.
- (2) Subclause (1)(e) does not apply to any person who was directed to enter the site of the Peppers Waymouth Hotel Adelaide as part of the COVID-19 outbreak response and was wearing full personal protective equipment.

### 3—Interpretation

- (1) In this direction, unless the contrary intention appears—
- day 1* means the day on which this direction comes into effect;
  - day 12* means the day 11 days after day 1;
  - relevant site* means a site listed in paragraphs (a) to (f) of clause 2.

### 4—Isolation requirement

A person to whom this direction applies—

- (a) must, unless paragraph (b) applies—
  - (i) travel by the most direct practical route and means to their residential premises, if not already at those premises; and
  - (ii) reside and remain at the premises, isolated and segregated from other persons:
    - (A) in respect of persons identified in paragraphs (a) to (f) of clause 2(1), for the remainder of the 14-day period commencing on the last day on which the person was present at a relevant site; and
    - (B) in respect of a member of the household of a person identified in paragraphs (a), (b), (c) or (f) of clause 2(1), for the remainder of the 14-day period commencing on the last day on which the second-named person was present at a relevant site; and
  - (iii) remain at those premises, except—
    - (A) for the purposes of obtaining medical care or medical supplies; or
    - (B) in any other emergency situation; or
    - (C) for any reason approved in advance by the State Co-ordinator or his delegate or an authorised officer; or

(D) for the purpose of undergoing a COVID-19 test as specified in clause 5;

during which times a mask must be worn whenever practicable and, in the case of a person leaving the premises to obtain a COVID-19 test, must travel directly to a testing site and inform the person performing the test of the reason for obtaining the test and the relevant site; and

(iv) take reasonable steps to ensure that no other person enters the premises unless that other person—

(A) usually lives at the premises; or

(B) is also complying with a direction to isolate; or

(C) is required to provide care and support to, or receive care and support from, the person to whom this direction applies at the place; or

(D) is required for medical or emergency purposes; and

(v) follow all reasonable directions from a treating medical practitioner;

(b) if advised by a medical practitioner of testing positive to COVID-19, must remain in a health or other facility in accordance with that advice, and must follow all reasonable directions from a treating medical practitioner, until a medical practitioner certifies that the person meets the criteria for discharge from a health or other facility.

(c) must comply with subclause (a) irrespective of whether the person receives a 'negative' result on a COVID-19 test within the period that they are required to reside and remain at a premises, isolated and segregated from other persons.

## 5—Testing and symptoms of COVID-19

- (1) Subject to subclause (2), a person to whom this direction applies must obtain a COVID-19 test on day 1 (or otherwise as soon as possible after that day) and on day 12 and otherwise when directed to do so by a person acting on behalf of SA Health or an authorised officer.
- (2) A person to whom this direction applies who has obtained a COVID-19 test between the last day on which they attended a relevant site, being a date specified in subclause 2(1), and day 1 is not required to obtain a COVID-19 test on day 1.
- (3) A person required to submit to a COVID-19 test under this clause must not refuse or fail to comply with a reasonable requirement or direction of a person in relation to the conduct of the COVID-19 test.
- (4) If a person to whom this direction applies displays symptoms of COVID-19, the person must immediately notify SA Health of those symptoms.
- (5) In this section—

**COVID-19 test** means a Polymerase Chain Reaction test to diagnose COVID-19 of a kind determined by the Chief Public Health Officer (or delegate).


**6—Powers of authorised officers**

Nothing in this direction derogates from the powers of authorised officers to exercise powers pursuant to the Act.

**IMPORTANT— IT IS AN OFFENCE TO BREACH THIS DIRECTION**

This direction operates from the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020 at 1020 hours

SIGNED at ADELAIDE on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2020  
at 1030 hours

  
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**GRANTLEY STEVENS**  
STATE CO-ORDINATOR