

Public Health (COVID-19 Additional Restrictions for Delta Outbreak) Order (No 2) Amendment (No 3) Order 2021

under the

Public Health Act 2010

I, Brad Hazzard, the Minister for Health and Medical Research, make the following Order under the *Public Health Act 2010*, section 7.

Dated 27 August 2021.

BRAD HAZZARD, MP Minister for Health and Medical Research

Explanatory note

The object of this Order is to amend the Public Health (COVID-19 Additional Restrictions for Delta Outbreak) Order (No 2) 2021—

- (a) to clarify that the vaccination mandate direction for authorised workers leaving an area of concern applies only to persons who are 16 years of age and older, and
- (b) to provide that the vaccination mandate direction for those authorised workers, and its related direction about carrying and producing vaccination evidence, commence on 6 September 2021, and
- (c) to remove the exemption from the vaccination mandate direction for those authorised workers, and its related direction about carrying and producing vaccination evidence, that would have applied to persons being tested as part of approved rapid antigen testing programs, and
- (d) to provide that the vaccination mandate direction for early education and care and disability support workers whose place of residence or place of work is in an area of concern, and its related direction about carrying and producing vaccination evidence, commence on 6 September 2021, and
- (e) to provide for repeal dates for classification of areas of the State as stay at home areas and areas of concern.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the *Public Health (COVID-19 Additional Restrictions for Delta Outbreak) Order (No 2) Amendment (No 3) Order 2021.*

2 Commencement

This Order commences at the beginning of 28 August 2021.

3 Amendment of Public Health (COVID-19 Additional Restrictions for Delta Outbreak) Order (No 2) 2021

(1) Clause 4.3 Leaving area of concern for work

Insert "who is at least 16 years of age" after "An authorised worker" in clause 4.3(3).

(2) Clause 4.3(3B)

Omit the subclause.

(3) Clause 4.3(3D)

Omit "30 August 2021". Insert instead "6 September 2021".

(4) Clause 4.24 Vaccinations—early education and care and disability support

Insert "who is at least 16 years of age" after "A relevant care worker" in clause 4.24(2).

(5) Clause 4.24(5)

Omit "30 August 2021". Insert instead "6 September 2021".

(6) Clause 7.5

Insert after clause 7.4—

7.5 Repeals

- (1) Schedule 1, clauses 2 and 4–15 are repealed at the beginning of 1 October 2021.
- (2) Schedule 1, clause 3 is repealed at the beginning of 11 September 2021.