VERŻJONI ELETTRONIKA

L.N. 408 of 2020

PUBLIC HEALTH ACT
(CAP. 465)

Number of Persons in Public Spaces (Amendment No. 2) Regulations, 2020

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by articles 26 and 27(c) of the Public Health Act, the Minister responsible for public health, after consultation with the Superintendent of Public Health, has made the following regulations:-

Citation and commencement.

S.L. 465. 51.

1. (1) The title of these regulations is the Number of Persons in Public Spaces (Amendment No. 2) Regulations, 2020 and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Number of Persons in Public Spaces Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the "principal regulations".

(2) These regulations shall come into force at 6a.m. on 29th October 2020.

Amends regulation 2 of the principal regulations.

2. In regulation 2 of the principal regulations, the words "In public spaces groups of more than ten (10) persons shall be prohibited including in queues and bus stops:" shall be substituted by the words "In public spaces groups of more than six (6) persons shall be prohibited including in queues and bus stops:".

Substitutes regulation 3 of the principal regulations.

3. Regulation 3 of the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new regulation:

"3. Any person who fails to abide by the provisions of these regulations shall be guilty of an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to the payment of a penalty of two hundred euro (€200) for each and every instance in which these regulations are breached:

Provided that if the offence is admitted and the penalty is paid before proceedings are commenced before the Commissioner for Justice, the penalty applicable shall be reduced to hundred euro (€100).".

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