

**Reprint
as at 14 May 2020**



**Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Amendment Order
(No 3) 2020
(LI 2020/82)**

Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Amendment Order (No 3) 2020: revoked, at 12.01 am on 14 May 2020, pursuant to clause 24 of the COVID-19 Public Health Response (Alert Level 2) Order 2020 (LI 2020/84).

Pursuant to section 70(1)(m) of the Health Act 1956, for the purpose of preventing the outbreak or spread of COVID-19, an infectious disease, Dr Ashley Bloomfield, Director-General of Health, exercising the functions of a Medical Officer of Health for all districts of New Zealand (that is, nationally), in circumstances where a state of emergency has been declared under the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002 and there is an epidemic notice in force, makes the following order.

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Order

1 Title

This order is the Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Amendment Order (No 3) 2020.

2 Commencement

This order comes into force at 1 pm on 12 May 2020.

Note

Changes authorised by subpart 2 of Part 2 of the Legislation Act 2012 have been made in this official reprint.
Note 4 at the end of this reprint provides a list of the amendments incorporated.

This order is administered by the Ministry of Health.

3 Principal order

This order amends the Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Order 2020 (the **principal order**).

4 Clause 9 amended (Closure of premises without infection control measures in operation)

Replace clause 9(3) with:

- (3) However, this clause does not prevent a person from undertaking any necessary work in any restricted premises for either of the following purposes:
- (a) minimum basic operations required to maintain the condition or value of, or clean, the premises, plant, equipment, or goods, care for animals, receive stock or freight, and enable and support workers to be able to continue to work remotely from their homes:
 - (b) work required to prepare the premises for opening (and meet public health guidance).

Dated at Wellington this 11th day of May 2020.

Dr A R Bloomfield,
Director-General of Health.

Explanatory note

This note is not part of the order, but is intended to indicate its general effect.

This order, which comes into force at 1 pm on 12 May 2020, amends the Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Order 2020 (the **principal order**). Under the principal order, many restricted premises are required to be closed other than for work that is necessary to be undertaken for specified minimum basic operations (*see* clause 9). The majority of those premises will be able to reopen from 12.01 am on 14 May 2020. This order enables necessary work to be undertaken in those premises from 1 pm on 12 May 2020 in order to prepare the premises for opening (and meet public health guidance).

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Reprints notes

1 *General*

This is a reprint of the Health Act (COVID-19 Alert Level 3) Amendment Order (No 3) 2020 that incorporates all the amendments to that order as at the date of the last amendment to it.

2 *Legal status*

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3 *Editorial and format changes*

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4 *Amendments incorporated in this reprint*

COVID-19 Public Health Response (Alert Level 2) Order 2020 (LI 2020/84): clause 24