

Northern Territory of Australia

Public and Environmental Health Act 2011

COVID-19 Directions (No. 54) 2021: Amendment to COVID-19 Directions (No. 38) 2021

I, Charles Hawkhurst Pain, Acting Chief Health Officer, under section 52 of the *Public and Environmental Health Act 2011*, consider it necessary, appropriate or desirable to take action to alleviate the public health emergency in the Territory, declared by instrument entitled "Declaration of Public Health Emergency", dated 18 March 2020, by amending my COVID-19 Directions (No. 38) 2021 to omit direction 7 and insert instead:

- A person prohibited under direction 6 who arrives in the Territory must leave the Territory as soon as possible and, until they leave, comply with my Border Directions, unless the person:
 - (a) is exempt from direction 6 under direction 8, 9, 10, 11; or
 - (b) was granted an exemption under direction 16 before the person arrived in the Territory.

Note for direction 7

A person prohibited under direction 6 who arrives in the Territory without an exemption mentioned in direction 7(a) or (b) is required to immediately leave the Territory under this direction even if the person has applied or intends to apply for an exemption under direction 13.

Acting Chief Health Officer

Dated

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