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Dear Elin

The Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (No. 2) (Wales) (Amendment) (No. 18) (Bangor) Regulations 2020

I have today made the Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (No.2) (Wales) (Amendment) (No. 18) (Bangor) Regulations 2020 under sections 45C(1), (3)(c), 45F(2) and 45P of the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984. These Regulations come into force at 6.00 p.m. tomorrow. I attach a copy of the statutory instrument and I intend to lay this and an accompanying Explanatory Memorandum once the statutory instrument has been registered. Under section 4(1) of the Statutory Instruments Act 1946, I wish to inform you that that these come into force before they will be laid before the Senedd. This is considered necessary and justifiable in this case in view of the changing evidence on risk in relation to this disease. The Regulations will be available on both the Welsh Government Coronavirus pages on gov.wales and at legislation.gov.uk before they come into force.

In accordance with the emergency procedure set out in section 45R of the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984, this instrument must be approved by the Senedd by 12 November 2020 in order for it to remain in effect. In these circumstances I understand Standing Order 21.4A is relevant and the Business Committee may establish and publish a timetable for the responsible committee or committees to report. I intend to schedule these Regulations for debate in the Plenary on 20 October 2020.

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We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. Any correspondence received in Welsh will be answered in Welsh and corresponding in Welsh will not lead to a delay in responding.

I am copying this letter to the Minister for Finance and Trefnydd, Mick Antoniw MS as Chair of the Legislation, Justice and Constitution Committee, Sian Wilkins, Head of Chamber and Committee Services and Julian Luke, Head of Policy and Legislation Committee Service.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "Mark Drakeford". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style. The first letter "M" is large and prominent, followed by "ark", then "Drakeford".

MARK DRAKEFORD