HEALTH ACT 1947 (SECTION 31A – TEMPORARY REQUIREMENTS) (COVID-19 PASSENGER LOCATOR FORM) (AMENDMENT) (NO. 7) REGULATIONS 2020
I, STEPHEN DONNELLY, Minister for Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 5 and 31A (inserted by section 10 of the Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Act 2020 (No. 1 of 2020)) of the Health Act 1947 (No. 28 of 1947) and -

(a) having regard to the immediate, exceptional and manifest risk posed to human life and public health by the spread of Covid-19 and to the matters specified in subsection (2) of section 31A, and

(b) having consulted with the Minister for Foreign Affairs, the Minister for Justice, the Minister for Business, Enterprise and Innovation and the Minister for Transport,

hereby make the following regulations:

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Health Act 1947 (Section 31A – Temporary Requirements) (Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 2020.


3. These Regulations shall come into operation on the 8th day of November 2020.

4. Regulation 2 of the Principal Regulations is amended by the substitution of “the 9th day of June 2021” for “the 9th day of November 2020”.

5. Regulation 5 of the Principal Regulations is amended -

(a) in paragraph (1), by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (a):

“(a) on or before his or her arrival in the State –

(i) complete a Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form in respect of himself or herself, and

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(ii) subject to paragraph (2), confirm on that form the number of children (if any) in relation to whom the international passenger is a responsible adult,”, and

(b) in paragraph (2), by substituting “where one of the international passengers concerned has complied with that requirement.” for “where a Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form has been completed in respect of the child by any one of the international passengers.”.

6. Regulation 6 of the Principal Regulations is amended -

(a) by the substitution of the following paragraph for paragraph (3):

“(3) A relevant person may, during a relevant period, request an international passenger to confirm where the international passenger is currently residing.”,

(b) in paragraph (5) -

(i) by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (a):

“(a) takes up residence in a place other than the place of residence specified in the Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form, or”,

(ii) by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (b):

“(b) changes his or her contact details from those provided in the Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form,”

and

(iii) by the deletion of subparagraph (c), and

(c) in paragraph (6), by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (a):

“(a) in the case of information specified in paragraph (5)(a), before the international passenger has taken up residence in the new place, or as soon as practicable thereafter, or”.

7. The Principal Regulations are amended by the substitution of the following Regulation for Regulation 6A (inserted by Regulation 10 of the Health Act 1947 (Section 31A – Temporary Requirements) (Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form) (Amendment) (No. 6) Regulations 2020 (S.I. No. 314 of 2020)):

“6A. A relevant person may, during a relevant period, contact an international passenger by way of telephone call, text message or email using the contact details provided in the Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form completed by the international passenger in order to provide the international passenger with public health information relevant to the
international passenger concerned or general public health information in relation to Covid-19.”.

8. Regulation 7(1) of the Principal Regulations is amended -

(a) by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (a):

“(a) recording and verifying information regarding the place of residence of an international passenger for a period of up to 14 days following the arrival in the State of such a passenger,”,

(b) by the substitution of the following subparagraph for subparagraph (b):

“(b) identifying, tracing and contacting of persons who have been in contact with persons who have been diagnosed, or are suspected of having been infected, with Covid-19, and

(c) by the deletion of subparagraph (c).

9. The Principal Regulations are amended by the insertion of the following Regulation after Regulation 8:

“Further transitional arrangements in relation to Covid-19 Passenger Locator Forms

9. (1) Notwithstanding the amendment effected by Regulation 10 of the Health Act 1947 (Section 31A – Temporary Requirements) (Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form) (Amendment) (No. 7) Regulations 2020 (S.I. No. 513 of 2020) a reference to a Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form in these Regulations shall, during the transitional period, include a reference to a Covid-19 Passenger Locator Form within the meaning of these Regulations before the said Regulation 10 came into operation.

(2) In this Regulation, ‘transitional period’ means the period beginning on the 8th day of November 2020 and ending on the day of 14th day of November 2020.”.

10. The Principal Regulations are amended by the substitution of the Schedule to these Regulations for the Schedule to those Regulations.
Passenger Locater Form
COVID-19

You are recommended to keep this for information for 14 days after your arrival.

This form is to be filled in by passengers arriving to the State from overseas. The information you provide may be used to contact you in the next 14 days for the purposes of verifying the details given on this form and to provide you with public health advice. This form may also be used for the purposes of contact tracing in relation to confirmed or suspected cases of Covid-19.

Requirement to complete this form
• Passengers arriving into Ireland from overseas are required to complete this form, including Irish citizens.
• Once completed, the form should be given to an officer at your point of entry to the State.
• The form can also be completed online using a computer, mobile phone or other device at www.gov.ie/locatorform

Following completion of the form you will be issued with an email receipt which you must present at your point of entry.

Exemptions
• Passengers arriving into the State through a port or airport are required to complete this form with the exception of the following:
  ◦ Passengers arriving from Northern Ireland.
  ◦ Passengers leaving the State from their port or airport without otherwise exiting the port or airport.
  ◦ Holders of a Certificate for International Transport Workers, or drivers of a heavy goods vehicle, who are in the State in the course of performing their duties.
  ◦ Aircraft crew, including the pilot, who are in the State in the course of performing their duties.
  ◦ Ship crew, including the maritime master, who are in the State in the course of performing their duties.
  ◦ Foreign diplomats.

Instructions
• One form should be completed for each passenger aged 16 or older.
• If you will be remaining in the State overnight, please complete all sections of the form. All fields are mandatory unless otherwise stated.
• If you are leaving the State today or travelling to Northern Ireland today, you are not required to provide a place of residence. Please complete sections 1, 2 and 3 and then sign and date the form in section 5.
• Please indicate on the form if you are travelling for an essential purpose, as defined by EU Council Recommendation 2020/1475, details of which can be found at www.gov.ie/EUEssentialTravel
• If any of the information you provide on this form changes in the next 14 days, you are required to send an email with your complete and updated information to the following email address: passengerlocatorform@pfi.ie

Schedule

Offences and penalties
The following offences are punishable by a fine not exceeding €2,500 or imprisonment for a term not exceeding 6 months, or both.
• It is an offence not to complete this form in the manner specified.
• It is an offence to provide false or misleading information in this form.
• It is an offence not to provide an update if any of the information in section 3 of the form changes in the next 14 days or period of stay, whichever is the shorter.
• It is an offence to fail to give an officer who requests it information required to verify the details on this form.
• In addition to these offences, a member of An Garda Síochána may direct a person who is not complying with the requirements in respect of this form to so comply. Failing to comply with that direction is an offence for which you may be arrested.
• A member of An Garda Síochána who suspects that an offence has been committed may demand the name and address of the person who is suspected of committing the offence. Failure to comply with this demand or the production of a false name and/or address is an offence for which a person may be arrested.

Data Protection
• The Minister for Health is the data controller for the information provided on this form.
• The information provided on this form, and any updates that you send using the passengerlocatorform@pfi.ie email address, may be used for the following purposes:
  ◦ To contact you to verify the information on this form in the 14 days following your arrival.
  ◦ To provide you with public health information or advice relating to Covid-19.
  ◦ This form may also be used for the purposes of contact tracing in relation to confirmed or suspected cases of Covid-19.
• Personal data contained in this form may be collected and processed for and on behalf of the controller by persons appointed for that purpose under and in accordance with Article 28 (Processors) of the GDPR. For more information on how your data is being processed please visit www.gov.ie/locatorform
• This form and any copies of it, and any updates that you send using the passengerlocatorform@pfi.ie email address, will be destroyed 28 days after your arrival, unless the form is required for law enforcement purposes.
• If you wish to exercise your rights under the General Data Protection Regulation, you should contact the Data Protection Officer in the Department of Health email: DPO@health.gov.ie
Moltar suínt an t-eolas seo a choimeád ar feadh 14 lá i ndiaidh duite teacht isteach sa tír.

Ni mór do phaisinéiri an fhóirm seo a chomhleum naíar a thagann siad isteach sa tír o thar lear. D’fhéadfadh an t-eolas a chuirtear tú ar fáil a úsáid chun teagmháil a dhéanamh leict sna 14 lá atá romham chun na sonraí ar an bhfoirm a fhóir go bhfuil cloch comhairle sláinte poiblí a chabhair duit. D’fhéadfadh an fhóirm a úsáid freisin chun rianú teagmháil a dhéanamh maidir le cás deimhnithe nó le cás amhrasata de Covid-19.

Ríachtanas an fhóirm seo a chomhleum
- Ni mór do phaisinéiri ag teacht go hírinn ó thar lear an fhóirm seo a chomhleum, saoránaigh Éireannacha san áireamh.
- Ais againn amháin a chuirtear an fhóirm d’oifigiúil ag an mbealach isteach sa Stát duí.
- Is féidir an fhóirm a chomhleum ar linn freisin ag baint úsáide as ríomhlaire, fón póca nó ghléas eile, ag an nasc www.gov.ie/locatorm. Nuair a bhfuil an fhóirm comhghallacht a rugadhadh ar mhothú réamhphoist duit agus ní móid duit a bheidh sin a thuigdir ní do dhícheall isteach.

Diolúint
- Ni mór do phaisinéiri atá ag teacht isteach sa Stát trí chaoi naíor do phaisinéiri a chomhleum, seachas lioideach go fásann a leanas.
  > Páisínéiri ag teacht ó Thuisceart Éireann.
  > Páisínéiri a fhágáil an Stát ón gcaolafort nó ón aerfort trínaon tháinig seachad.
  > Sceilbhóirí Teastas d’Olbríthe lompáir lomáis/Easáisiúnta, nó ríomhéir d’fhéadfadh earrach troma, atá sa Stát i mbun a gcuid duelgais oibre.
  > Crúi eile, ann roinnt in aireamh, atá sa Stát i mbun a gcuid duelgais oibre.
  > Bliantadh, atá mósadh mar sin aireamh, atá sa Stát i mbun a gcuid duelgais oibre.
  > Tá fhoireann clóghrúpa.

Treochara
- Ba chuácht foirm mhíniúin a chomhleum do gach paísínéir atá os cionn 16 bliana d’aois.
- Mí bheadh tú ag fanacht sa Stát thu thar ciche, lion gach mór den fhóirm, le do thóil. Tá gach réimse éileantaí, mura faoi detha a seipheadh.
- Mí bheadh tú in Stát iníon nó mí tháisteachdúil tú go Tuaisceart Éireann iníon, nil ort alt chuaidh a chabhar laethar. Lion miananna 1, 2 agus 3 agus sin a d'fhág an fhóirm ansin I Mír 5, le do thóil.
- Tabhair le hfeos, le do thóil, ar an bhfoirm mór bheidh tú ag tiaradh le heaghdhaidh cuspóir ríochtaí, faoi mar a sháishteadh tú i Maitiú 2020/1475 o Chomhlaite an AE.
- Is féidir teacht ar chonradh faoi ag www.gov.ie/EUEssentialTravel
- Mí thagann aon athrú ar an eolas a chuirtear tú ar fáil ar an bhfoirm seo sna 14 lá atá romham, ní móid duí réamhphoist a sheoladh chuig passengerlocatorform@pt.ie le do chuácht eolas tomáin nuashonraí.

SCHEDULE

Clonta agus pionóis
- Is clonta láid na clonta a leanas a ngabháin fineáil leo nach sá rainoín €2,500 nó tearmaí príosúnachta nach sárainoín 6 mhi, nó an dá rud.
  > Is cion é mura gcomhtháinsear le fhóirm seo an mbealach atá leagtha i msi.
  > Is cion é eolas litéagach nó mithreoraí a char ar fáil ar an bhfoirm seo.
  > Is cion é gan nuashonraí a sholáthar den eolas atá i 3 drin an fhóirm sna 14 lá atá romhainn, nó a rith faoi tréimhse a chaitheas sa tír, pé ceann is gorm.
  > Is cion é gan eolas a thabhairt d’oifigeach a lamh é, a bhfuil gá leh chuairt ar an bhfoirm seo a fhóir.
- Chomh maith leis na clonta seo, is féidir le Garda Síochána ordú a thabhairt do dhúin cloi leis na riarachtáin a ghabhann leis an bhfoirm seo, más amhlaidh agus náfúil an duine ag clog leis. Mú dhíithíontaíonn duine cloig leis an éileamh sin d’fhéadfadh luigh a ghabháil.
- Mú dhíithíontaíonn Gárda Síochána go n-deasmach cion, is féidir leis nó lét aithne agus seoladh an duine a mhascaí go ndearna siad an cion a éileamh. Mú dhíithíontaíonn duine cloig leis an éileamh seo nó má chaileadh an duine ainm agus/ nó seoladh brisíomhach, beidh slan clontach i gcion agus d’fhéadfadh luigh a ghabháil.

Cosaint Sonrai
- Is é an tAire Sláinte an rialaitheoir sonrai don eolas a chuirtear ar fáil ar an bhfoirm seo, agus an nuashonraí a sheoladh ag baint úsáide as an seoladh réamhphoist passengerlocatorform@pt.ie, as na cúiseanna a leanas:
  > Chun duit i dtugmhaíl leat an t-eolas ar an bhfoirm seo a fhóir sna 14 lá tar éis duine a duit teacht isteach sa Stát.
  > Chun eolas sláinte poiblí a sholáthar duit nó combhairle a bhaineann le Covid-19.
  > Is féidir an fhóirm seo a úsáid freisin chun crích rianúthte teagmháil maidir le cás deimhnithe nó cás amhrasach de Covid-19.
  > Is féidir sonraí pearsanta san fhóirm seo a bhfuil agus a phróiseáil do agus thar ceann an rialaitheora ag daoine atá ceaptha chun na crích sin freisin agus i gcomhthóil le hAirteagall 28 (Rialaitheoiri) den RCGS. Le haghaidh túsleachta eolas malaird leis an gcónaí in ndéantar do chuid sonraí a phróiseáil, teagasc www.gov.ie/locatorm
  > Scríobh an fhóirm seo agus aon chloch dl, mar aon le haon nuashonraí a sheolánaí tú ag baint úsáide as ar an seoladh réamhphoist passengerlocatorform@pt.ie tar éis 28 lá i ndiaidh duite teacht isteach sa tír, mura bhfuil an fhóirm ag teastail chun crích forfhéidhmithe a dhíli.
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### Additional Information (if relevant)

Please indicate (√) if you:

- Are travelling with an essential purpose as defined by EU Council Recommendation 2020/1475
- Will not be residing in the State overnight because you are travelling on to Northern Ireland or overseas. If this option is selected, you do not need to provide your place of residence below. Please proceed to Section 5 to sign and date the form.

If you selected any of the above, you may be asked for evidence in support of this.

### Contact Details where you can be reached

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### Confirmation of details

Signed: [Signature]  Date: [Date]
## 1 Sonraí Pearanta

Céadaimh:  
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Dáta Breithe:  
Cod chiallaite:  
Idirnáisiúnta:  
Uimhir d'fhionn póca:  
Scoladh rohoist:

## 2 Eolas faoi do thaisteal

An tír a dtáinig tú as:  
Dáta soichte measa:  
Móth taistil (cuir tós:  
uelve le sochain amhailán)  
Uimhir na heaflíte:  
Pas nó Cárta Náisiúnta Airtheantaí (Tríortha an AE/LEE amháin)*  
Ait ar tháinig tú isteach:  
Am soichte measa:  
Fhiúntóireachtaí:  
Uimhir suaschara:

* Ag teastail ach amháin mar thainig tú go dtí an Róthacht Aontaithe AGUS más saoránach IA nó na hÉireann tú

Dáta imeachta ó Éirinn (mós in pholaithe)  
Lión na bosté föire 16 bliana d'aois atá ag taisteal le duine éisteach.

## 3 Eolas breise (más ábhartha)

Tabhair an méid seo a leanas a fios, le do thoil:

Má tá tú ag taisteal le haghaidh cuspóir riachtanach, mar a shainmhíthear i Moladh 2020/1475 ó Chomhairle an AE  
Mura mbéidh tú ag faraigh thar oiche sa Stáit de bhrí go mbeidh tú ag taisteal ar aghaidh go Tuaisceart Éireann nó thar lear, Má roghnaitsear an rogha seo, nífá dá chuid d'aithníte a sholáthar thíos. Lean ar aghaidh, le do thoil, go dtí Mhrí 5 agus sí agus dístatean an fhíomh

Má roghnaigh tú aon chinn den mhíheid thuas, is féidir linnraidh ort fhanaise a thabhairt chun tacú leis.

## 4 Sonraí Teagmhála

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## 5 Dearbhú na sonraí

Sín:  
Dáta:  
Ló M M B B B B
GIVEN under my Official Seal,

STEPHEN DONNELLY,
Minister for Health.
EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)

These Regulations, made under section 31A of the Health Act 1947 (inserted by section 10 of the Health (Preservation and Protection and other Emergency Measures in the Public Interest) Act 2020), provide for the imposition of a requirement that international passengers (including Irish citizens) arriving in the State at a port or airport from a place outside the State complete a COVID-19 Passenger Locator Form for the purposes of recording and verifying information regarding their contact details and place of residence for a period of up to 14 days following arrival. The Regulations also provide that relevant persons appointed by the Minister can contact international passengers for the purpose of providing public health information relating to Covid-19.