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THE INFECTIOUS DISEASES LAW, CAP. 260

Regulations pursuant to section 6(a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f)

The Minister of Health, in exercising the powers under section 6(a), (b), (c), (d), (e) and (f) of the Infectious Diseases Law, Cap. 260, conferred on him by Decision of the Council of Ministers dated 10 March 2020, hereby issues the following Regulations.

1. These Regulations shall be referred to as the Infectious Diseases (Determination of Measures against the Spread of Covid-19 Coronavirus) Decree (No.36) of 2020.

2. Whereas the protection of public health and the health care system are the responsibility of the Republic with the aim of containing the spread of the COVID-19 Coronavirus disease, the protection of public health as well as the prevention of the possible collapse of the health system by any dissemination of the virus, taking into consideration the needs in human resources and logistical services that may be necessary to combat the rapid spread of the disease, and whereas the adoption of additional measures beyond the Regulations that have been issued by the Infectious Diseases (Determination of Measures to Prevent the Spread of COVID-19 Coronavirus) Regulations (No.1) to (No. 35) of 2020, has become imperative, and without prejudice to those of the Regulations which continue in force, and

Whereas, by Notice published in the Official Gazette of the Republic on the authorization of the Council of Ministers, the Minister of Health has declared the local districts of Nicosia, Limassol, Larnaca, Famagusta and Paphos as being infected by the COVID-19 Coronavirus, pursuant to article 4 of the Infectious Diseases Law,

Cap. 260, the following Regulations are issued, which enter into force as of the 1st of August 2020 at 00:01h until the 21st of August at 00:59h:

- 2.1 Without prejudice to Regulation 2.8 of the Infectious Diseases (Determination of Measures for the Prevention of the Spread of COVID-19 Coronavirus) Decree (No.28), the use of a protective face mask is made compulsory for all those circulating in indoor areas where there is increased gathering of people, in accordance with the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health.
- 2.2 The maximum number of passengers allowed on all regular passenger buses with a fare per passenger, as well as on all public and/or private transport means, in relation to their capacity, shall be announced by the Ministry of Transport, Communications and Works.
- 2.3 The maximum wholesale and retail prices is fixed as shown on the table below for each kind of product:

Description of Product	Maximum Wholesale Price* (VAT included)	Maximum Retail Price (VAT included)
DISINFECTANTS		
FACE MASKS		
Plain Surgical Masks	0.62 per piece (31.00/50 pieces)	0.70 per piece (35.00/50 pieces)
THERMOMETERS		
Armpit thermometer	From 7.00 to 8.00	From 11.00 to 15.00

* The maximum wholesale prices apply to producers, importers and representatives and do not apply to middlemen-retailers.

- 2.4 As regards the District of Limassol, due to the epidemiological data prevailing in the specific District, the following apply as a compelling need:
 - (a) The presence and gathering of persons in houses and public assembly places is allowed, with the exception of catering outlets, provided the number of persons gathered does not exceed 10 per house/group including under-age children.
 - (b) Church-going and other forms of religious worship in churches, mosques and other religious places, as well as religious ceremonies, shall be

performed on the basis of the guidelines issued by the Ministry of Health with a maximum attendance number of 75 persons.

- (c) The Ministry of Health issues guidelines for the maximum number of persons in catering establishments.

Provided that, in each case no reservation for more than ten (10) persons per table shall be allowed.

- 3. This Decree takes immediate effect upon its publication in the Official Gazette of the Republic.

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