

**COVID-19 (Closing Down of Premises and Restriction of Activities) (No. 3)  
Regulations 2021**

**GN No. 142 of 2021**

Repealed by [\[GN No. 245 of 2021\]](#)

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**THE QUARANTINE ACT 2020**

**Regulations made by the Minister under section 13 of  
the Quarantine Act 2020**

1. These regulations may be cited as the **COVID-19 (Closing Down of Premises and Restriction of Activities) (No. 3) Regulations 2021**.
2. In these regulations —  
"Act" means the Quarantine Act 2020;  
"COVID-19" means the virus known as the novel coronavirus (2019-nCoV).
3. These regulations shall apply to the Island of Mauritius and shall not apply to the Island of Rodrigues, the Island of Agalega, St. Brandon and the Chagos Archipelago.
4. For the purpose of preventing the spread of COVID-19 within the Island of Mauritius —
  - (a) the premises specified in Part I of the Schedule shall be open to the public subject to the conditions specified therein;
  - (b) the events or activities specified in Part II of the Schedule shall be carried out subject to the conditions specified therein;

(c) the places specified in Part III of the Schedule shall be open to the public subject to the conditions specified therein;

(d) the places specified in Part IV of the Schedule shall remain closed

**5.** Any person who fails to comply with these regulations shall commit an offence and shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding 500,000 rupees and to imprisonment for a term not exceeding 5 years.

**6.** The COVID-19 (Closing Down of Premises and Restriction of Activities) (No. 2) Regulations 2021 are revoked.

**7.** These regulations shall come into operation on 1 July 2021.

Made by the Minister on 29 June 2021.

## **SCHEDULE**

[Regulation 4]

### **PART I**

1. Fitness centre (gymnasium/sports complex), provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time
2. Social hall/village hall/Municipal hall/community centre/social welfare centre/youth centre/Citizens Advice Bureau, other than for persons aged not less than 18 years, strictly on allocated days as indicated hereunder —  
Surname starting from —  
A-F (Monday and Thursday)  
G-N (Tuesday and Friday)  
O-Z (Wednesday and Saturday)
3. Place of worship, provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time
4. Markets, subject to the control of entry and exit of persons to avoid crowding

### **PART II**

1. Religious event/ceremony, provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time
2. Weddings/funerals, provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time
3. Cultural/social event or any other gathering, provided that not more than 50 persons are in attendance at a time
4. Horse racing (in camera)

### **PART III**

1. Public beach/sea, only for the purpose of any sports activity
2. Restaurants/food courts/fast foods, provided that —
  - (a) a distance of at least 2 metres is maintained between every 2 tables; and
  - (b) there is adequate ventilation

### **PART IV**

1. Bar
2. Casino and gaming house
3. Cinema hall
4. Nightclub
5. Theatre