

Public and Environmental Health Act 2011

COVID-19 Directions (No. 135) 2021: Amendment and revocation of other Directions

I, Hugh Crosbie Heggie, Chief Health Officer, under section 52 of the *Public and Environmental Health Act 2011* (the *Act*), 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, (the *public health emergency declaration*), by making the following directions:

Part 1 Preliminary matters

1 These Directions take effect when they are made.

Part 2 Tennant Creek lockdown extended

- 2 This Part amends COVID-19 Directions (No. 127) 2021.
- Direction 1(a) is amended by deleting "20 December" and substituting "22 December".
- Directions 28 and 29 are amended by deleting "21(g)" and substituting "22(g)".

Part 3 Barkly Region mask requirement extended

- 5 This Part amends COVID-19 Directions (No. 128) 2021.
- Direction 1(a) is amended by deleting "20 December" and substituting "22 December".

Part 4 Mask requirements revoked

- 7 The following Directions are revoked:
 - (a) COVID-19 Directions (No. 116) 2021;
 - (b) COVID-19 Directions (No. 120) 2021;
 - (c) COVID-19 Directions (No. 122) 2021;
 - (d) COVID-19 Directions (No. 124) 2021;
 - (e) COVID-19 Directions (No. 129) 2021;
 - (f) COVID-19 Directions (No. 130) 2021.

Part 5 Testing requirement exiting Katherine revoked

8 COVID-19 Directions (No. 123) 2021 are revoked.

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