

South Australia

## **Emergency Management (Continuation of Overseas Travel Self-Quarantine) (COVID-19) Direction 2020**

under section 25 of the *Emergency Management Act 2004*

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### **Preamble**

- 1 On 22 March 2020 I, Grantley Stevens, Commissioner of Police, being State Co-ordinator for the State of South Australia pursuant to section 14 of the *Emergency Management Act 2004* (the *Act*), declared pursuant to section 23 of the Act that a Major Emergency is occurring in respect of the outbreak of the Human Disease named COVID-19 within South Australia.
- 2 On 17 March 2020 at 7:30 hours and 17:30 hours respectively, the Chief Executive of the Department for Health and Wellbeing made two directions, both entitled “Self-Quarantine Following Overseas Travel”, pursuant to section 90(1) of the *South Australian Public Health Act 2011* and section 25(2)(fb) of the *Emergency Management Act 2004*. It is intended to make a new direction in substitution for those directions.
- 3 Now I, Grantley Stevens, being of the opinion that this is necessary to achieve the purposes of the Act, give the following directions pursuant to section 25 of the Act.

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### **1—Short title**

This notice may be cited as the *Emergency Management (Continuation of Overseas Travel Self-Quarantine) (COVID-19) Direction 2020*.

### **2—Application**

This direction applies to any person—

- (a) who arrived at an airport in South Australia on a flight that originated from a place outside Australia, or on a connecting flight from a flight that originated from a place outside Australia; and
- (b) who, immediately before the commencement of this direction, is subject to the requirement to self-quarantine under an Overseas Travel Direction.

### **3—Definitions**

In this direction—

**Overseas Travel Direction** means a direction made by the Chief Executive of the Department for Health and Wellbeing referred to in clause 2 of the preamble.

#### 4—Direction

A person to whom this direction applies must continue to comply with the requirements of an Overseas Travel Direction, as in existence immediately before the commencement of this direction, for the balance of the period of self-quarantining applying to them, as if the Overseas Travel Direction were still in force.

#### 5—Operation of Cross Border Travel Direction

This direction does not derogate from the full operation of the *Cross Border Travel Direction* given by the State Co-ordinator on 24 March 2020.


#### 6—Powers of Authorised Officers

Nothing in this direction derogates from the powers of authorised officers to exercise powers pursuant to the Act.

#### IMPORTANT— IT IS AN OFFENCE TO BREACH THIS DIRECTION

This direction operates from the 28<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020 at 0001 hours

SIGNED at ADELAIDE on this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020  
at 1920 hours

  
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**GRANTLEY STEVENS**  
STATE CO-ORDINATOR