

GUERNSEY STATUTORY INSTRUMENT

2020 No. 19

The Public Health (Notifiable Diseases and Notifiable Agents) (Amendment) Order, 2020

<i>Made</i>	19 th February, 2020
<i>Coming into operation</i>	19 th February, 2020
<i>Laid before the States</i>	, 2020

THE COMMITTEE FOR HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE, in exercise of the powers conferred on it by sections 1 and 1A of Article VI of the Public Health Ordinance, 1936^a, hereby orders:-

Amendment of the principal Order.

1. The Public Health (Notifiable Diseases and Notifiable Agents) Order, 2014^b ("the principal Order") is hereby amended as follows.

2. In Schedule 1 of the principal Order ("Notifiable Diseases"), immediately after the entry for "Cholera" insert "COVID-19".

^a Recueil d'Ordonnances Tome VIII, p. 316; amended by Tome XIX, p. 91; Ordinance No. XLII of 2014; No. IX of 2016. There are other enactments not relevant to this Order.

^b G.S.I. No. 86 of 2014.

3. In Schedule 2 of the principal Order ("Notifiable Agents"), immediately after the entry for "Severe acute respiratory syndrome (SARS) coronavirus" insert "Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus-2 (SARS-CoV-2)".

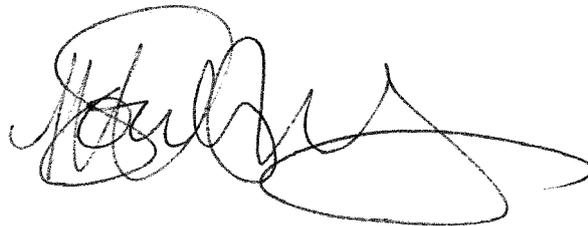
Citation.

4. This Order may be cited as the Public Health (Notifiable Diseases and Notifiable Agents) (Amendment) Order, 2020.

Commencement

5. These Regulations shall come into force on the 19th February, 2020.

Dated this 19th day of February, 2020

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H. Soulsby', with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

H. SOULSBY

President of the Committee for Health & Social Care

For and on behalf of the Committee

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations add "Covid-19" and "SARS-CoV-2" to the list of infectious and contagious diseases and causative agents that must be notified to the Medical Officer of Health under the Public Health Ordinance, 1936.

These Regulations will come into force on the 19th February, 2020.