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**GOVERNMENT NOTICES • GOEWERMENTSKENNISGEWINGS****DEPARTMENT OF CO-OPERATIVE GOVERNANCE**

NO. R. 1024

11 October 2021

**DISASTER MANAGEMENT ACT, 2002: AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS ISSUED IN TERMS OF SECTION 27(2)**

I, Dr Nkosazana Dlamini Zuma, Minister of Cooperative Governance and Traditional Affairs, designated under section 3 of the Disaster Management Act, 2002 (Act No. 57 of 2002), having declared a national state of disaster published by Government Notice No. 313 of 15 March 2020, and extended by Government Notices Nos. 646 of 5 June 2020, 765 of 13 July 2020, 889 of 15 August 2020, 995 of 14 September 2020, 1090 of 14 October 2020, 1225 of 14 November 2020, No.1341 of 11 December 2020, No. R. 15 of 13 January 2021, No. R. 86 of 11 February 2021, No. R. 193 of 11 March 2021, No. 333 of 14 April 2021, No. R. 424 of 14 May 2021, No. R. 476 of 30 May 2021, No. R. 493 of 11 June 2021, No. R. 611 of 12 July 2021, No. R. 733 of 12 August 2021 and No. R. 867 of 12 September 2021, hereby in terms of section 27(2) of the Disaster Management Act, 2002, after consultation with the relevant Cabinet members, make the Regulations in the Schedule.



**DR NKOSAZANA DLAMINI ZUMA, MP**  
**MINISTER OF COOPERATIVE GOVERNANCE AND TRADITIONAL AFFAIRS**

DATE: 10. 10. 2021

**SCHEDULE****Definitions**

1. In these Regulations, "the Regulations" means the regulations published by Government Notice No. R. 480 of 29 April 2020 as amended by Government Notices Nos. R. 608 of 28 May 2020, R. 714 of 25 June 2020, R.763 of 12 July 2020, R. 846 of 31 July 2020 R. 891 of 17 August 2020, No. 999 of 18 September 2020, No. 1011 of 20 September 2020, No. 1053 of 1 October 2020, No. 1104 of 21 October 2020, No. 1199 of 11 November 2020, No. 1290 of 3 December 2020, No. 1346 of 15 December 2020, No.1370 of 17 December 2020, No. 1421 of 24 December 2020, No. 1423 of 29 December 2020, No 1435 of 29 December 2020, No. R. 11 of 11 January 2021, No. R. 69 of 1 February 2021, No. R. 92 of 13 February 2021, No. R. 93 of 13 February 2021, No. R. 152 of 28 February 2021, No. R. 284 of 30 March 2021, No. 376 of 22 April 2021, No. R. 477 of 30 May 2021, No. R. 530 of 15 June 2021, No. R. 532 of 17 June 2021, No. R. 565 of 27 June 2021, No. R. 567 of 29 June 2021, R. No. R. 610 of 11 July 2021, R. No. 612 of 14 July 2021 and R. No. 614 of 14 July 2021, No. R. 651 of 25 July 2021, No. 669 of 30 July 2021, No. R. 869 of 12 September 2021; No. R.953 of 26 September 2021; No. R.960 of 30 September 2021.

**Amendment of regulation 69 of the Regulations**

2. Regulation 69 of the Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution of subregulations (10), (11) and (12) for the following subregulations—

- (a) "(10) Sporting events, including both professional and non-professional matches, by recognised sporting bodies are allowed, subject to strict adherence to the times of operation as provided for in regulation 66(3) and the following:
- (a) Directions for sports events issued by the Cabinet member responsible for sport after consultation with the Cabinet member responsible for health;
  - (b) spectators at the venue of the sports events are permitted but limited to 750 persons or less for indoor venues and 2000 persons or less for outdoor venues and if the venue is too small to hold the prescribed number of persons observing a distance of at least one and a half metres from each other, then not more than 50 percent of the capacity of the venue may be used, subject to strict adherence to all health protocols and social distancing measures; and
- (11) An owner or operator of a sporting facility or an organiser of a sporting event referred to in subregulation (10) must, when such sporting events take place, ensure compliance with the limitation on the number of persons attending such a gathering contemplated in contemplated in subregulation (10)(b).
- (12) An owner or manager of a sporting facility or an organiser of a sporting event referred to in subregulation (10) who fails to comply with subregulation (11), commits an offence and is, on conviction, liable to a fine or imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months or to both such fine and imprisonment."; and
- (b) the deletion of subregulation (13).

#### **Amendment of Table 4 of the Regulations**

4. Item 5. of Table 4 of the Regulations is hereby deleted.

#### **Commencement**

3. This amendment to the Regulations will come into operation on publication in the *Gazette*.







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