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**2022 No.**

**The Representation of the People (Proxy Vote Applications)  
(Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2022**

**Amendment of the Representation of the People (England and Wales) Regulations 2001**

**3.** Regulation 56 of the Representation of the People (England and Wales) Regulations 2001 (closing date for applications) is amended as follows—

- (a) after paragraph (1), insert—
  - “(1A) Paragraph (2) is subject to paragraph (2A).”;
- (b) in paragraph (2), omit “Subject to paragraph (2A).”;
- (c) for paragraph (2B)(b)(ii), substitute—
  - “(ii) because attendance would be contrary to coronavirus advice given to P.”;
- (d) for paragraph (3AA)(b), substitute—
  - “(b) because A considers that attendance at the allotted polling station would be contrary to coronavirus advice given to A.”.