

## SCHEDULE 5

Regulation 8

### Reasonable excuses to travel outside the United Kingdom

1. Where P is travelling to a destination in the common travel area (unless that destination is not P's final destination).
2. Where it is reasonably necessary for a person ("P") to leave the United Kingdom for the purposes of P's work, if it is not reasonably possible for P to work from a location within the United Kingdom.
3. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom to provide voluntary or charitable services, where it is not reasonably possible for those services to be provided from a location within the United Kingdom.
4. Where P is enrolled on a course of study—
  - (a) at an institution outside the United Kingdom on the date on which this Schedule came into force, and it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom to attend that course;
  - (b) at an educational institution in the United Kingdom, and—
    - (i) it is reasonably necessary for P to travel outside the United Kingdom to satisfy one or more requirements of their course of study, or
    - (ii) P needs to travel outside the United Kingdom to return home on one occasion on or after 29th March but before 29th April 2021 for the purposes of a vacation.
5. Where P is an elite sportsperson, a coach of an elite sportsperson, or (in the case of an elite sportsperson who is under the age of 18), a parent of the elite sportsperson, and it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom for the purposes of training or competition.
6. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom to fulfil a legal obligation or to participate in legal proceedings.
7. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom to undertake any of the following activities in connection with the purchase, sale, letting or rental of a residential property—
  - (a) visiting estate or letting agents, developer sales offices or show homes;
  - (b) viewing residential properties to look for a property to buy or to rent;
  - (c) preparing a residential property to move in;
  - (d) moving house;
  - (e) to visit a residential property to undertake any activities required for the rental or sale of that property.
8. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom—
  - (a) to seek medical assistance,
  - (b) to attend a clinical appointment,
  - (c) to avoid illness, injury or to escape a risk of harm,
  - (d) to attend an expectant mother giving birth ("M"), at M's request, or
  - (e) to visit a person ("V") receiving treatment in a hospital or staying in a hospice or care home, or to accompany V to a medical appointment and P is—
    - (i) a member of V's household,
    - (ii) a close family member of V, or
    - (iii) a friend of V.

*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).*

9. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom—
  - (a) to provide care and assistance to a vulnerable person,
  - (b) to provide emergency assistance to any person,
  - (c) to visit a person (“D”) whom P reasonably believes is dying, and P is—
    - (i) a member of D’s household,
    - (ii) a close family member of D, or
    - (iii) a friend of D,
  - (d) to attend a funeral.
10. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom to attend a wedding or a civil partnership ceremony where—
  - (a) P is one of the persons getting married or becoming civil partners, or a close family member of one of the persons getting married or becoming civil partners, and
  - (b) one or both of the persons getting married or becoming civil partners live outside the United Kingdom.
11. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to leave the United Kingdom—
  - (a) for the purposes of arrangements for access to, and contact between, parents and a child where the child does not live in the same country as their parents or one of their parents,
  - (b) for the purposes of arrangements for contact between siblings where they do not live in the same country and one or more of them—
    - (i) is a child looked after by a local authority, within the meaning of section 22 of the Children Act 1989, or a relevant child, within the meaning of section 23A of that Act, or
    - (ii) is a child having equivalent status under the law of a country outside the United Kingdom, or
  - (c) for the purposes of arrangements for prospective adopters (including their household) to meet a child or children who may be placed with the prospective adopters.
12. Where it is reasonably necessary for P to travel outside the United Kingdom in order to vote in an election or a referendum being held in a state outside the United Kingdom, where it is not possible for P to vote in the United Kingdom.
13. Where P is only in the United Kingdom on a temporary basis, and is not resident in the United Kingdom.
14. Where P is the child or dependent of a person who has a reasonable excuse to travel outside the United Kingdom, and it is not reasonably possible for alternative arrangements to be made for P’s care.