
WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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PUBLIC HEALTH, WALES

**The Health Protection (Coronavirus Restrictions) (No. 5)
(Wales) (Amendment) (No. 24) Regulations 2021**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>21 December 2021</i>
		<i>at 11.00 a.m. on 22</i>
<i>Laid before Senedd Cymru</i>		<i>December 2021</i>
		<i>at 12.00 a.m. on 22</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>December 2021</i>

The Welsh Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by sections 45C(1) and (3)(c) and 45P(2) of the Public Health (Control of Disease) Act 1984⁽¹⁾.

These Regulations are made in response to the serious and imminent threat to public health which is posed by the incidence and spread of severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2) in Wales.

The Welsh Ministers consider that restrictions and requirements imposed by these Regulations are proportionate to what they seek to achieve, which is a public health response to that threat.

In accordance with section 45Q(3) of that Act the Welsh Ministers are of the opinion that the instrument does not contain any provision made by virtue of section 45C(3)(c) of the Act which imposes or enables the imposition of a special restriction or requirement, or any other restriction or requirement which has or would have a significant effect on a person's rights.

⁽¹⁾ 1984 c. 22. Sections 45C and 45P were inserted by section 129 of the Health and Social Care Act 2008 (c. 14). The functions under these sections are conferred on "the appropriate Minister". Under section 45T(6) of the 1984 Act the appropriate Minister, as respects Wales, is the Welsh Ministers.