I hereby certify that this PUBLIC BILL has finally passed the Legislative Assembly of Queensland.

Legislative Assembly Chamber, The Clerk of the Parliament.
Brisbane, 7 FEBRUARY 2020

In the name and on behalf of the Queen, I assent to this Bill.

Government House, 7 February 2020
Brisbane,

Queensland

No. 17 of 2020
A BILL for
An Act to amend the Public Health Act 2005 for particular purposes
Public Health (Declared Public Health Emergencies) Amendment Bill 2020

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An Act to amend the Public Health Act 2005 for particular purposes
The Parliament of Queensland enacts—

Part 1 Preliminary

1 Short title

This Act may be cited as the Public Health (Declared Public Health Emergencies) Amendment Act 2020.

2 Commencement

Part 3 commences 1 year after the date of assent of this Act.

3 Act amended

This Act amends the Public Health Act 2005.

Part 2 Amendment commencing on assent

4 Amendment of s 323 (Extending declared public health emergency)

(1) Section 323(3) and (4)—

omit, insert—

(3) A regulation extending or further extending the period of a declared public health emergency—

(a) must state the period, of not more than 90 days, by which the declared public health emergency is extended or further extended; and
Part 3 Amendment commencing 1 year after assent

5 Amendment of s 323 (Extending declared public health emergency)

(1) Section 323(3), as inserted by this Act—

omit, insert—

(3) A regulation extending the period of a declared public health emergency expires 14 days after the public health emergency is declared unless it is sooner repealed or it expires under section 324(3).

(3A) A regulation further extending the period of a declared public health emergency—

(a) must state the period, of not more than 7 days, by which the declared public health emergency is further extended; and

(b) expires at the end of the stated period unless the regulation is sooner repealed or it expires under section 324(3).

(2) Section 323(3A) and (4)—

renumber as section 323(4) and (5).

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