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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Amendment to the Order of the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Health Directing Mitigation Measures

And now this day, September 17, 2020, I hereby amend my Order Directing Mitigation Measures dated July 15, 2020.

Section 1.A is amended to insert the following after the third sentence in the first paragraph:

> All sale or dispensing of alcoholic beverages for on-site consumption must cease at 11:00 p.m. and no patron may possess alcoholic beverages within the establishment after midnight.

Section 1.B.iv. is amended to insert the following after the first sentence in the paragraph:

> All sale or dispensing of alcoholic beverages for on-site consumption must cease at 11:00 p.m. and no patron may possess alcoholic beverages within the establishment after midnight.

Section 1 is amended to add Subsection C as follows:

C. Self-Certification

Notwithstanding the maximum occupancy requirements specified in Sections 1.A.i. (related to Bars) and 1.B.i.a. (related to Restaurants & Private Catered Events), an affected establishment may increase capacity limitations to 50% of stated fire code maximum occupancy for indoor dining if the establishment enrolls in and complies with the Open & Certified Pennsylvania program administered by the Department of Community and Economic Development. Further, such establishments may increase capacity to 50% of stated fire code maximum occupancy for indoor dining on September 21, 2020, as long as the establishment enrolls in and has complied with the Open & Certified Pennsylvania program by October 5, 2020.

The Order otherwise remains unchanged.

This Amendment is effective September 21, 2020. Enforcement of the Amended Order will commence on October 5, 2020.

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