

# **This publication was withdrawn on 25 April 2022**

This page has been withdrawn as the regulations that these designations relate to are no longer in place.

# Designation under the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020

The Secretary of State makes the following designation, in relation to England, with immediate effect, in exercise of the powers conferred by regulation 10(3)(b) and 10(11)(iii) of the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020<sup>a</sup> (“the Restrictions Regulations”):

## Enforcement: fixed penalty notices

1. For the purposes of regulation 10 of the Restrictions Regulations, the Chief Executive Officer of the ACRO Criminal Records Office (hosted by the Chief Constable of Hampshire Constabulary) is hereby designated by the Secretary of State as “the designated officer” (who may be specified in a fixed penalty notice as the authority to whom payment of the fixed penalty may be made, and who may sign a certificate stating that payment of the fixed penalty was, or was not, received by the date specified in the certificate).

2. For the purposes of regulation 10 of the Restrictions Regulations, each specified authority is hereby designated by the Secretary of State as an authorised person who may issue a fixed penalty notice to anyone, aged 18 or over, who the authorised person reasonably believes has committed an offence of contravening a requirement or restriction in regulation 4 or 5 of the Restrictions Regulations.

3. For the purposes of paragraph 2, “a specified authority” means:

- (a) a district council;
- (b) a county council;
- (c) a London borough council;
- (d) the Common Council of the City of London;
- (e) the Council of the Isles of Scilly.

4. Paragraph 2 of the Designations under the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) Regulations 2020 (made at 5pm on 4th April 2020) is revoked.

**MATT HANCOCK**

Secretary of State for Health and Social Care



At 9<sup>23</sup> am/pm on 23 April 2020

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<sup>a</sup> As amended by the Health Protection (Coronavirus, Restrictions) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020.