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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS SUPPLEMENT

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2021 No. 59.

The Public Health (Control of COVID - 19) (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules, 2021.

(Under sections 11, 27 and 29 of the Public Health Act, Cap. 281)

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred upon the Minister by sections 11, 27 and 29 of the Public Health Act, Cap. 281, these Rules are made this 7th day of October. 2021.

1. Title and commencement

- (1) These Rules may be cited as the Public Health (Control of COVID 19) (Amendment) (No. 2) Rules, 2021.
- (2) These Rules shall be deemed to have come into force on 23rd September, 2021.

2. Amendment of S.I. 38 of 2021

The Public Health (Control of COVID - 19) Rules, 2021 are amended—

- (a) in rule 11 by revoking paragraphs (i) and (k);
- (b) in rule 13—
 - (i) by substituting for paragraph (j), the following
 - "(j) weekly and seasonal markets, including trading in live animals, in places designated

for this purpose by local authorities except in Kampala Capital City and the districts of Gulu, Kabale, Kalungu, Kumi, Nwoya, Soroti, Tororo and Yumbe:":

- (ii) by inserting after paragraph (j), the following—
 - "(k) casinos and betting, gaming and lottery businesses, which shall operate until 1800 hours:":
- (c) in rule 14 by substituting for subrule (1) the following—
 - "(1) Marriage ceremonies, wedding parties, vigils and funerals are permitted where the people gathered do not exceed 200 in number and where the distance between those people, on all sides, is 2 metres.";
- (d) by substituting for the headnote to rule 14 A and subrule (1) the following—

"14A. Prayers allowed

(1) Prayers in churches, mosques and other places of worship are permitted where the people gathered do not exceed 200 in number and where the distance between those people, on all sides, is 2 metres."

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