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I, Stephen Donnelly, Minister for Health, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 5, 31A and 31C (inserted by section 4 of the Health (Amendment) Act 2020 (No. 19 of 2020)) of the Health Act 1947 (No. 28 of 1947) and -

- (a) having regard to the immediate, exceptional and manifest risk posed to human life and public health by the spread of Covid-19, and to the matters specified in section 31A(2) of that Act,
- (b) having regard also to the matters specified in section 31A(6C)(b) of that Act, and
- (c) having consulted with the Minister for Justice,

hereby make the following regulations:

- 1. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Health Act 1947 (Fixed Payment Notice and Dwelling Event Provisions) (Covid-19) (Amendment) (No. 3) Regulations 2021.
- (2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of April 2021.
- 2. The Health Act 1947 (Fixed Payment Notice and Dwelling Event Provisions) (Covid-19) Regulations 2020 (S.I. No. 536 of 2020) are amended, in Schedule 1, by the substitution of the following paragraph for paragraph 10:

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10.	Regulation 4A(1) of the Health Act 1947 (Section 31A - Temporary Restrictions) (Covid-19) (No. 10) Regulations 2020 (S.I. No. 701 of 2020)	€2,000
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GIVEN under my Official Seal, 2 April, 2021.

STEPHEN DONNELLY, Minister for Health.

### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Instrument and does not purport to be a legal interpretation.)

These Regulations amend the Health Act 1947 (Fixed Payment Notice and Dwelling Event Provisions) (Covid-19) Regulations 2020 (S.I. No. 536 of 2020) to provide for an increase in the fine amount for travel to a port or airport for the purposes of leaving the State without reasonable excuse from  $\[ \in \]$  500 to  $\[ \in \]$  2,000 from 12 April 2021.

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