



New South Wales

Constitution (COVID-19 Emergency Measures) Regulation 2020

under the

Constitution Act 1902

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Constitution Act 1902*.

GLADYS BEREJIKLIAN, MP
Premier

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to provide for meetings of the Executive Council to be held in person or by means of a teleconference or video conference for 6 months during the COVID-19 pandemic.

This Regulation is made under the *Constitution Act 1902*, including clauses 3 and 4 of Schedule 8.

This Regulation comprises or relates to matters set out in Schedule 3 to the *Subordinate Legislation Act 1989*, namely matters of a machinery nature.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Constitution (COVID-19 Emergency Measures) Regulation 2020*.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Definition

(1) In this Regulation—

the Act means the *Constitution Act 1902*.

Note. The Act and the *Interpretation Act 1987* contain definitions and other provisions that affect the interpretation and application of this Regulation.

(2) Notes included in this Regulation do not form part of this Regulation.

4 Special provision for Executive Council meetings during COVID-19 pandemic

(1) During the prescribed period, a meeting of the Executive Council is to be held in person or by means of a teleconference or video conference.

(2) During the prescribed period, the Governor, and the Vice-President or senior member if presiding in the absence of the Governor or Vice-President, respectively, is to preside at a meeting of the Executive Council in person or by means of a teleconference or video conference.