

## **Regulations relating to amendments to the Regulations of 29 June 2020 relating to entry restrictions for foreign nationals out of concern for public health**

Adopted by the Ministry of Justice and Public Security 20 November 2020 under section 7-12 of the Act of 5 August 1994 No. 55 relating to control of communicable diseases; see section 4a, sixth paragraph, of the Regulations of 29 June 2020 No. 1423 relating to entry restrictions for foreign nationals out of concern for public health and section 2 of the Interim Act of 19 June 2020 No. 83 relating to entry restrictions for foreign nationals out of concern for public health; see decision of 19 June 2020 No. 1244 delegating authority.

### **I**

In the Regulations of 29 June 2020 No. 1423 relating to entry restrictions for foreign nationals out of concern for public health, the following amendments are made:

New section 4, first paragraph f, shall read:

*f. a foreign national with a residence permit who carries out research with his or her own funds; see section 6-20 of the Immigration Regulations.*

Section 4a, first paragraph, third sentence, shall read:

The test is to be taken *within the 72 hours prior to arrival* in Norway.

Section 4a, second paragraph new “p” and “q”, shall read:

*p. foreign nationals who are resident in Svalbard;*  
*q. children under the age of 12.*

Section 4a, fifth paragraph, shall read:

A foreign national is not to be rejected under this section if special reasons *weigh against such rejection*.

### **II**

These Regulations enter into force on 20 November 2020 at midnight (24:00).