Subject: CoronaVirus Update No10-UPDATE

Date: Tuesday, 24 March 2020 at 17:49:54 Greenwich Mean Time

From: EHA Secretary
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Dear Member

Firstly, apologies for the bombardment of emails today, but I hope you can all appreciate that these are testing times?

The office has received several phone calls today from members with varying questions/queries. With that in mind, Mark has asked me to send out this message to **reiterate the following government message** that is now **mandatory** from their document issued last night after the Prime Ministers speech:

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/874732/230320_-Revised_guidance_note_-_finalVF.pdf

GOV.UK GUIDANCE

FURTHER BUSINESSES AND PREMISES TO CLOSE [This is NOW Hotels, B&Bs]

As a country, we all need to do what we can to reduce the spread of coronavirus.

That is why the government has given clear guidance on self-isolation, staying at home and away from others, and asked that schools only remain open for those children who absolutely need to attend.

On 23 March the Government, stepped up measures to prevent the spread of coronavirus and save lives. **All non-essential premises must now close.**

Hotels	
Hotels, hostels, BnBs, campsites and boarding houses for commercial use	Where people live in these as interim abodes whilst the primary residence is unavailable they may continue to so. Key workers can continue to stay in hotels or similar where required.

As usual, if you have any questions or queries the office is always open and will always be here to help.

Take care & kind regards

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Yvette

From: EHA Secretary <secretary@eastbournehospitality.com>

Date: Tuesday, 24 March 2020 at 09:06 **Subject:** CoronaVirus Update No10

Dear Member

Several items for your very kind attention this morning:

Item-1:

Mark and Kris have **their weekly EBN Cobra meeting** tomorrow (Wednesday 24th March'20), I have attached the notes from last week for your convenience; If you have any additional questions/queries or concerns then please let me know BEFORE 5pm TODAY.

Main points:

- Follow up the points raised last week (see attached)
- When the promised grants will come into our banks who qualify
- Clarity for larger hotels regarding exactly what the govt will guarantee with regards to employees' salaries

Item-2:

Requested survey for completion by Government via Visit England

COVID-19 tourism industry impact survey

VisitBritain/VisitEngland has modified and <u>reopened their tracker survey</u>, they will be conducting it regularly to monitor the impact on all aspects of the UK tourism industry. The <u>results will provide impact data to brief Ministers</u>, the Government and COBR to help support the industry through these challenging times. Please circulate the survey to your members.

The survey will close 17.00 Monday 30 March

Item-3:

Please see below a link stating Government orders and exceptions for all nominated businesses for your information;

https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/874732/23 0320 - Revised_guidance_note_- finalVF.pdf

Take care & be safe

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