



# Extension of Declaration of State of Emergency

## *Christmas Island Emergency Management Ordinance 2012*

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I, Aaron O'Neill, Deputy Administrator of the Territory of Christmas Island, under section 18 of the *Christmas Island Emergency Management Ordinance 2012* (the Ordinance),

Being **SATISFIED** that an emergency, namely the COVID-19 pandemic, is occurring or imminent and extraordinary measures are required to prevent or minimise the loss of life of, illness of, or injury to, humans in the Territory of Christmas Island,

**EXTEND** the declaration of a state of emergency that commenced at 1:00 pm on Friday 17 April 2020.

This extension commences at 1:00 pm on Wednesday 25 August 2021, and has effect for 72 hours.

As a result of this extension, the state of emergency in the Territory continues to exist until 1:00 pm on Saturday 28 August 2021.

Dated 25 August 2021

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Aaron O'Neill', written in a cursive style.

**Aaron O'Neill**  
Deputy Administrator of the Territory of Christmas Island