



## Extension of Declaration of State of Emergency

### *Cocos (Keeling) Islands Emergency Management Ordinance 2012*

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I, Aaron O'Neill, Deputy Administrator of the Territory of Cocos (Keeling) Islands, under section 18 of the *Cocos (Keeling) Islands 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 Cocos (Keeling) Islands,

**EXTEND** the declaration of a state of emergency that commenced at 12:30 pm on Friday 17 April 2020.

This extension commences at 12:30 pm on Saturday 7 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 12:30 pm on Tuesday 10 August 2021.

Dated 7 August 2021

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Aaron O'Neill'.

**Aaron O'Neill**

Deputy Administrator of the Territory of Cocos (Keeling) Islands