

SA COVID-19 TRANSITION COMMITTEE

Meeting 58: 01 December 2020

Actions:

Reference	Action
3.3	SATC presentation to be circulated to members out of session.
4.5	CPHO to return with mid-step proposal for next meeting.

Minutes

1. Welcome and apologies

- 1.1 All members present.
- 1.2 Dr Evan Everest, Dr Jon Gorvett, Ms Ingrid Norman and Mr Don Frater attended as guests.

2. Parafield cluster update

- 2.1 CPHO provided the Committee with an update on the most recent case.
- 2.2 The Committee discussed the need for greater clarity on the obligations applicable to close contacts and casual contacts.
- 2.3 CPHO also provided an update on the risks of air crew transmission from a New Zealand example, and the need to move to mandatory testing of air crew.
- 2.4 CPHO provided an update on conversations with Tasmania and Queensland CHOs regarding opening their borders to South Australia.

3. Economic update

- 3.1 CE DTF advised that the Bank SA Business Confidence Report placed business confidence at the highest on record, prior to the stay at home direction.
- 3.2 SMC received a presentation on the effects on the tourism industry from SATC.
- 3.3 **Action: Circulate presentation to members out of session.**

4. Public Activities

- 4.1 The Committee noted that the MySAGov app update was not yet available in the Apple app store but was expected this afternoon. Apple phone users can use the camera and web browser functionality to check in.

- 4.2 CPHO discussed the potential dates for a further easing of restrictions, based on incubation cycles following the exposures at the Woodville Pizza Bar, the Dame Roma Mitchell School, and the recent exposure day of 22 November 2020.
- 4.3 These would support a further easing of restrictions on 14 December 2020.
- 4.4 The Committee discussed a potential 'mid step' where some restrictions could be eased prior to this date which would support some economic activity but mitigate risk, in the context of the availability of the QR check in system.
- 4.5 **Action: CPHO to return to the next meeting with a proposed mid step.**
- 4.6 The Committee noted overseas arrivals for quarantine would return from next week but would gradually scale back to full capacity.

5. Any other business

- 5.1 The Committee noted that the capacity requirements for the cricket at Adelaide Oval would be managed by SA Health through the COVID Management Plan process.