



Exemption under the Public Health (COVID-19 Gathering Restrictions) Order 2021 (NSW) under the Public Health Act 2010 (NSW)

I, Brad Hazzard, Minister for Health and Medical Research, under clause 28 of the *Public Health (COVID-19 Gathering Restrictions) Order 2021 (NSW)* (the Order), hereby grant the following exemption to that Order:

- 1) An occupier of a place of public worship, a funeral home, a cemetery or crematorium is exempt from clause 11 of the Order but only when an Exempt Gathering is being held on the premises and only for the duration of the Exempt Gathering subject to the condition below:
 - a. The occupier of the premises must take reasonably practical steps to ensure that all persons, who are not part of the same household, maintain a distance of 1.5 metres.

In this exemption:

- an Exempt Gathering means a funeral service or memorial service, or a gathering immediately after a funeral service or memorial service provided that the service or gathering has no more than 50 persons.

Note: all other requirements of the Order must continue to be complied with.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Brad Hazzard".

**Brad Hazzard MP
Minister for Health and Medical Research**

Dated: 7th April 2021

12.38pm