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## City of Miami Beach Amends Emergency Order

 Establishes a 12:30 a.m. Curfew and Closes Restaurants for Dine-in and Take-out at Midnight –

**Miami Beach, FL** – As South Florida continues to experience rising numbers of COVID-19 cases, the City of Miami Beach has extended its <u>State of Emergency</u> and updated its <u>Emergency Measures</u> to include the following amendments effective, July 2, 2020 at 12:01 a.m.:

- The establishment of a citywide curfew from 12:30 a.m. to 5 a.m., with exceptions including fire, police, and hospital personnel, including the transportation of patients thereto, utility emergency repairs, emergency calls by physicians, essential travel for medical services, treatment, or medication, and food delivery services.
- All retail stores, including package liquor stores, grocery stores, convenience stores, and gasoline service/filling stations, which offer for sale any alcoholic beverage(s), (including, but not limited to, liquor, beer, or wine) for off-premises consumption SHALL BE PROHIBITED from selling any alcoholic beverage(s) after 8 p.m. each day in ALL ZONING DISTRICTS.
- All restaurants must close for dine-in and take-out between the hours of 12:01
   a.m. and 6 a.m. Only delivery services are permitted between the hours of 12:01

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Additionally, Miami-Dade County Order 25-20 requires that hotels close their pools between the hours of 8 p.m. and 6 a.m. starting Friday, July 3 through Monday, July 6, 2020. <u>Click here</u> to read the County's full order.

The City of Miami Beach has also created a Hospitality Education and Enforcement Team (HEET) comprised of personnel members from Police, Fire Prevention, Code Compliance and Ocean Rescue. This multidisciplinary team is dedicated to ensuring hospitality and restaurant establishments are abiding by all emergency measures in order to maintain a safe experience for residents and visitors.

For more information on the city's efforts to curb COVID-19, please visit www.miamibeachfl.gov/coronavirus.

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