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| DATE: | 25 March 2020 |
| TO: | SAPML Market Tenants |
| FROM: | Angelo Demasi Chief Executive Officer |
| SUBJECT: | Coronavirus (COVID-19) Update |

URGENT PLEASE REPLY FOR YOUR INFORMATION PLEASE REVIEW

As you are aware the Government has continued to introduce strong measures relating to closing borders, stopping overseas visitors and cruise ships and the new locked down laws. The announcement from the Prime Minister relating to outdoor and indoor Markets last night relates to Retail Public Markets and is not intended for our site. The National Cabinet is working on a number of initiatives relating to landlords and tenants and the SAPML Board will be reviewing these initiatives at the next Board meeting.

SAPML are in constant contact with the State Government and have a weekly teleconference with Primary Industries and Regions South Australia (PIRSA) Agriculture COVID-19 Management team to ensure we are dealing with the challenges industry and businesses are facing.

As you are aware, on top of the Governments measures in place, SAPML have introduced medical screening and temperature checks at each Gatehouse for everyone entering the site. Any person registering a temperature reading over 38° will be denied entry. We have also increased our cleaning protocols in the common area and amenities. These are extreme measures and have been introduced to reduce the probability of spreading the virus on our site.

Attached is SAPML Business Continuity Plan [as at 23 March 2020] which has been tailored to cater for COVID-19. This Plan, in conjunction with our Crisis Incident Management Team [CIMT], will continue to evolve as the Government continues to introduce stronger measures and we would urge all businesses within the Market to read and understand the action SAPML will take on site in the case of a **Casual or Close Contact** is reported.

We are all in this together and it is imperative that if you, your employees, suppliers or contractors are sick - **STAY HOME!**

As reported previously, we have a dedicated “tab” on the SAPML Website and Facebook page relating to COVID-19 where you will be updated on issues as they unfold. As changes are happening at a rapid pace, please refer to the Website or Facebook page as these will have the most current Government Regulations and information.

[Visit the page by clicking here.](#)

SAPML, like most other Markets around Australia, have not introduced buying restrictions. However, some Wholesalers have implemented this themselves as an added precaution. At this stage, SAPML are not intending to introduce mandatory restrictions on Buyers walking the Market unless the Authorities direct us to or the circumstances change. We encourage you to introduce your own protocols within your business to reduce your risk.

SAPML continue to review our processes and may introduce further changes in days, weeks or months to come.

Kind regards

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Angelo Demasi
Chief Executive Officer