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TO: BT BRANCHES

BT REGIONAL COMMITTEE CHAIRS AND SECRETARIES

BT REGIONAL HEALTH & SAFETY CHAIRS

Dear Colleague,

CORONAVIRUS - Tier 4 Government Update and Latest Information from Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland

On Saturday evening (19 December 2020) the Government announced new Tier 4 guidance. Below is an update of the new restrictions and links to Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland Government information.

Tier 4 Guidance

If you live in a Tier 4 area, you must follow the rules below from Sunday 20 December 2020. This means that you cannot leave or be outside of the place you are living unless you have a reasonable excuse. You cannot meet other people indoors, including over the Christmas period, unless you live with them, or they are part of your support bubble. Outdoors, you can only meet one person from another household. These rules will not be relaxed for Christmas for Tier 4: you cannot form a Christmas Bubble in Tier 4. The links below give the full detail for England and Wales.

- <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/tier-4-stay-at-home>
- <https://www.gov.uk/find-coronavirus-local-restrictions>
- <https://www.health-ni.gov.uk/coronavirus>
- <https://www.gov.scot/coronavirus-covid-19/>
- <https://gov.wales/alert-level-4-guide>

Yours sincerely,

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