Government Decree 60/2020 (23 March)

on measures necessary for improving the health security of contactless payments with regard to the state of danger

The Government

acting within its original legislative power laid down in Article 53(2) of the Fundamental Law.

acting within its function laid down in Article 15(1) of the Fundamental Law, orders as follows:

Section 1 (1) Taking into account the provisions of Article 11 of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2018/389 of 27 November 2017 supplementing Directive (EU) 2015/2366 of the European Parliament and of the Council with regard to regulatory technical standards for strong customer authentication and common and secure open standards of communication, the payment service providers shall not apply strong customer authentication if the individual amount of the contactless electronic payment transaction does not exceed fifteen thousand forints.

(2) The provisions laid down in paragraph (1) shall not prejudice the responsibility of payment service providers specified in Act LXXXV of 2009 on providing payment services.

Section 2 This Decree shall enter into force on 25 March 2020.

Section 3 This Decree shall apply from 15 April 2020 at the latest.

