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# STAMP DUTIES ACT (CHAPTER 312, SECTION 74)

## STAMP DUTIES (DONATIONS TO INSTITUTIONS OF PUBLIC CHARACTER) (REMISSION) ORDER

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#### Citation

**1.** This Order may be cited as the Stamp Duties (Donations to Institutions of Public Character) (Remission) Order.

#### **Definition**

**2.** In this Order, "institution of a public character" has the same meaning as in section 2 (1) of the Income Tax Act (Cap. 134).

## Remission of stamp duties on donations to institutions of public character

- **3.** There shall be remitted the whole of the duty chargeable under the Act on any instrument made on or after 1st March 2003 by which the donation of
  - (a) any immovable property or interest therein; or
  - (b) any stocks or shares, or interest therein,

is effected to any institution of a public character where —

(i) the institution of a public character is approved by the Minister, upon an application by that institution, for the purposes of this exemption; and

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(ii) ad valorem duty was previously paid on the acquisition by the donor of the immovable property, stocks or shares, or interest therein.

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