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INTERPRETATION ACT 1965

INTERPRETATION (DELEGATIONS BY MINISTER FOR HEALTH) ORDER 2024

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In exercise of the powers conferred by section 36 of the Interpretation Act 1965, the Minister for Health makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order is the Interpretation (Delegations by Minister for Health) Order 2024 and comes into operation on 1 March 2024.

Definition

2. In this Order, “MOH Permanent Secretary” means any Permanent Secretary to the Ministry of Health.

Delegations to persons other than political office holders

3. The Minister for Health delegates the functions under the provisions of the Acts specified in the first column of the Schedule to the persons specified in the third column of the Schedule, subject to the conditions (if any) specified in the fourth column of the Schedule.

THE SCHEDULE

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**DELEGATIONS TO
PERSONS OTHER THAN POLITICAL OFFICE HOLDERS**

<i>First column</i> <i>Provision</i>	<i>Second column</i> <i>Description*</i>	<i>Third column</i> <i>Delegate</i>	<i>Fourth column</i> <i>Condition</i>
1. Advance Medical Directive Act 1996			
(1) Section 6(2)	Appointment of Registrar of Advance Medical Directives and other officers and employees	MOH Secretary Permanent	Nil
(2) Section 8(1), (3) and (4)	Appointment of panel of specialists, etc.	MOH Secretary Permanent	Nil
2. Termination of Pregnancy Act 1974			
(1) Section 2 (definition of "approved institution")	Approval of institution, hospital, etc., for purposes of that Act	MOH Secretary Permanent	Nil
(2) Section 8	Appointment of public officer to enter approved institutions and examine records, etc.	(a) Director-General of Health (b) Any Deputy Director-General of Health	Nil
3. Tobacco (Control of Advertisements and Sale) Act 1993			
(1) Section 3(6)	Approval relating to advertisements mentioning brand names associated with tobacco products, etc.	Group Director, Health Products Regulation Group, Health Sciences Authority	Nil
4. Voluntary Sterilisation Act 1974			
(1) Section 6	Authorisation of public officer to enter health institution and examine records, etc.	(a) Director-General of Health (b) Any Deputy Director-General of Health	Nil

**Note: The descriptions in the second column are for ease of reference only.*

Made on 26 January 2024.

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