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IMMIGRATION ACT 1959

**IMMIGRATION
(EXEMPTION FROM SINGAPORE VISA)
(AMENDMENT) ORDER 2023**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Immigration Act 1959, the Minister for Home Affairs makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) This Order is the Immigration (Exemption from Singapore Visa) (Amendment) Order 2023 and, except for paragraphs 2(*b*) and (*c*) and 3(*a*), is deemed to have come into operation on 4 January 2008.

(2) Paragraph 2(*b*) is deemed to have come into operation on 17 August 2009.

(3) Paragraph 2(*c*) is deemed to have come into operation on 17 April 2011.

(4) Paragraph 3(*a*) comes into operation on 21 April 2023.

Amendment of paragraph 2

2. In the Immigration (Exemption from Singapore Visa) Order (O 4), in paragraph 2 —

(*a*) after sub-paragraph (*f*), insert —

“(f*a*) a non-citizen —

(i) who —

(A) holds a valid diplomatic, official or service passport issued by the government of the foreign territory specified in Part IIA of the Schedule; and

(B) is appointed to work in a diplomatic mission or consular office of the government of that foreign territory, a trade economic mission or an international organisation, in Singapore; or

(ii) who —

(A) is a spouse, or an unmarried child below 21 years of age, of a person mentioned in sub-paragraph (i);

(B) is living in the same household of the person mentioned in sub-paragraph (i); and

(C) holds a valid diplomatic, official or service passport issued by the government of the foreign territory specified in Part IIA of the Schedule;”;

(b) replace sub-paragraph (fa) with —

“(fa) a non-citizen —

(i) who —

(A) holds a valid diplomatic, official or service passport issued by the government of the foreign territory specified in Part IIA of the Schedule; and

(B) is appointed to work in a diplomatic mission or consular office of the government of that foreign territory, a trade economic mission or an

international organisation, in Singapore;

(ii) who —

- (A) is a spouse, or an unmarried child below 21 years of age, of a person mentioned in sub-paragraph (i);
- (B) is living in the same household of the person mentioned in sub-paragraph (i); and
- (C) holds a valid diplomatic, official or service passport issued by the government of the foreign territory specified in Part IIA of the Schedule; or

(iii) who —

- (A) holds a valid diplomatic, official or service passport issued by the government of the foreign territory specified in Part IIA of the Schedule; and
- (B) is travelling to Singapore for an attendance not exceeding 90 days;” and

(c) in sub-paragraph (2), after “For the purposes of”, insert “sub-paragraph (1)(fa)(i) and”.

Amendment of Schedule

3. In the Immigration (Exemption from Singapore Visa) Order, in the Schedule —

- (a) in the Schedule reference, after “Paragraph 2(1)(e), (f),”, insert “(fa),”;
- (b) in Part II, delete item 13; and

(c) after Part II, insert —

“PART IIA

1. Ukraine.”.

*[G.N. Nos. S 205/2011; S 141/2013; S 401/2015;
S 813/2015; S 85/2016; S 192/2018; S 49/2019]*

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