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**GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS ACT
(CHAPTER 118)**

**GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS
(AUTHORISATION) (AMENDMENT)
NOTIFICATION 2015**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 2 of the Government Contracts Act, the Minister for Finance makes the following Notification:

Citation and commencement

1. This Notification may be cited as the Government Contracts (Authorisation) (Amendment) Notification 2015 and comes into operation on 8 June 2015.

Amendment of Part 3 of First Schedule

2. Part 3 of the First Schedule to the Government Contracts (Authorisation) Notification 2015 (G.N. No. S 249/2015) (referred to in this Notification as the principal Notification) is amended by deleting item 14 and substituting the following item:

- “14. Director of Manpower
- (a) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Training Agreements.
 - (b) Service contracts in respect of SAF Servicemen.
 - (c) Service contracts in respect of Divisions I, II, III and IV Officers.
 - (d) Contracts of service.”

Deletion and substitution of Part 4 of First Schedule

3. Part 4 of the First Schedule to the principal Notification is deleted and the following Part substituted therefor:

“PART 4

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION

1. Permanent Secretary	All contracts.
2. Deputy Secretary	All contracts.
3. Director-General of Education	All contracts.
4. Deputy Director-General of Education	<p>(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$5 million.</p> <p>(b) Contracts pertaining to textbook publications.</p> <p>(c) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$5 million.</p> <p>(d) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$5 million.</p>
5. Divisional Director, Finance & Development	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$5 million.
6. Zonal Director	<p>(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$500,000.</p> <p>(b) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$500,000.</p> <p>(c) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$500,000.</p> <p>(d) Agreements relating to the provision of funding to schools not exceeding \$500,000.</p>
7. Divisional Director/ Executive Director	(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$1 million.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (b) Scholarship and Training Agreements not exceeding \$1 million. (c) Sponsorship Agreements not exceeding \$1 million. (d) Study Loan Agreements not exceeding \$1 million. (e) Contracts pertaining to textbook publications. (f) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$1 million. (g) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$1 million.
8. Chief Procurement Officer	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$500,000.
9. Director/ Senior Deputy Director/ Deputy Director	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000. (b) Training Agreements not exceeding \$200,000. (c) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Half-Pay Leave Agreements not exceeding \$200,000. (d) Tenancy Agreements. (e) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students. (f) Scholarship, Bursary and Study Award Agreements not exceeding \$200,000. (g) Contracts pertaining to textbook publications. (h) Agreements and Supplemental Agreements/Variation of

	<p>Agreements in respect of tuition grants to students.</p> <p>(i) Agreements in respect of university scholarships.</p> <p>(j) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(k) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$200,000.</p>
10. Chief Financial Officer	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.
11. Academy Principal	<p>(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(b) Training Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(c) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Half-Pay Leave Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(d) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students.</p> <p>(e) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(f) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$200,000.</p>
12. Principal, English Language Institute of Singapore	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.
13. Director of Infrastructure	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$500,000.

14. Project Director, Assessment Literacy	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$100,000.
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15. Senior Assistant Director/ Assistant Director	<p>(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$100,000.</p> <p>(b) Tenancy Agreements.</p> <p>(c) Scholarship, Bursary and Study Award Agreements not exceeding \$100,000.</p> <p>(d) Agreements and Supplemental Agreements/Variation of Agreements in respect of tuition grants to students.</p> <p>(e) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students.</p> <p>(f) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Half-Pay Leave Agreements not exceeding \$100,000.</p> <p>(g) Contracts pertaining to textbook publications not exceeding \$100,000.</p> <p>(h) Agreements relating to intellectual property rights not exceeding \$100,000.</p> <p>(i) Co-publishing Contracts not exceeding \$100,000.</p>
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16. Senior Assistant Director, School Campus Department/ Senior Assistant Director, HQ Facilities Management Section	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.
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17. Senior Assistant Director, Procurement	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.

18. Lead Manager, Procurement/ Lead Manager, School Campus Department/ Lead Manager, HQ Facilities Management Section	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$100,000.
19. Lead Manager, HR Solutions & Capabilities	<p>(a) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students.</p> <p>(b) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Half-Pay Leave Agreements not exceeding \$50,000.</p>
20. Senior Assistant Director/ Assistant Director, Information Technology	<p>(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(b) Maintenance Service Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p>
21. Principal, MOE Language Centre	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$50,000.
22. Principal of Government School, Junior College or Centralised Institute	<p>(a) Contracts for goods and services relating to administration of schools, cluster schools or zonal/MOE based activities not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(b) Agreements with any statutory board or the respective university companies of the Nanyang Technological University, the National University of Singapore, the Singapore Management University, the Singapore University of Technology and Design or the Singapore Institute of Technology to fund Government schools, Junior Colleges or Centralised Institute up to \$20,000.</p>

23. Vice-Principal of Government School, Junior College or Centralised Institute	Contracts for goods and services relating to administration of schools, cluster schools or zonal/MOE based activities not exceeding \$100,000.
24. Administration Manager	Contracts for goods and services not exceeding \$10,000.
25. Senior Approving Officer (Procurement)	(a) Contracts for goods and services not exceeding \$50,000. (b) Maintenance Service Agreements not exceeding \$50,000.
26. Approving Officer (Procurement)	(a) Contracts for goods and services not exceeding \$10,000. (b) Maintenance Service Agreements not exceeding \$10,000.
27. Superintendent, School Clusters	(a) Contracts for goods and services relating to administrative and other services not exceeding \$300,000. (b) Agreements relating to the provision of funding to schools not exceeding \$300,000.
28. Senior Manager/ Manager/ Assistant Manager/ Senior Executive, Procurement	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$70,000.
29. Senior Manager/ Manager/ Assistant Manager/ Senior Executive, School Campus Department	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$70,000.
30. Senior Manager/ Manager/ Assistant Manager/ Senior Executive, HQ Facilities Management Section	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$70,000.

31. Director, Vital	<p>(a) Scholarship and Training Agreements not exceeding \$1 million.</p> <p>(b) Sponsorship Agreements not exceeding \$1 million.</p> <p>(c) Study Loan Agreements not exceeding \$1 million.</p>
32. Deputy Director, Vital	<p>(a) Scholarship and Training Agreements not exceeding \$500,000.</p> <p>(b) Sponsorship Agreements not exceeding \$500,000.</p> <p>(c) Study Loan Agreements not exceeding \$500,000.</p>
33. Head/Deputy Head, Vital	<p>(a) Scholarship, Bursary and Study Award Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(b) Training Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(c) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Professional Development Leave Agreements not exceeding \$200,000.</p> <p>(d) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students.</p>
34. Assistant Head/ Senior Section Manager/ Section Manager, Vital	<p>(a) Scholarship, Bursary and Study Award Agreements not exceeding \$50,000.</p> <p>(b) Training Agreements not exceeding \$50,000.</p> <p>(c) Sponsorship, Study Loan and Professional Development Leave Agreements not exceeding \$50,000.</p>

	(d) Teacher Training Agreements and Supplemental Agreements of National Institute of Education students.
35. Deputy Cluster Head, MOE Kindergarten	Contracts for goods and services relating to administration of kindergartens, cluster kindergartens or zonal/MOE based activities not exceeding \$50,000.
36. Centre Head, MOE Kindergarten	Contracts for goods and services relating to administration of and other services for kindergartens not exceeding \$10,000.

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Amendment of Part 8 of First Schedule

4. Part 8 of the First Schedule to the principal Notification is amended —

(a) by deleting item 37 and substituting the following item:

“37. Commissioner/ Deputy Commissioner/ Director, Logistics & Technology, Prisons	(a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$80,000.
	(b) Purchase Orders/Works Orders/other authorised instruments of demand not exceeding \$1 million, raised under Period Contracts or Framework Agreements.
	(c) Tenancy Agreements.
	(d) Lease Agreements.
	(e) Licence Agreements relating to residential and commercial properties.
	(f) Scholarship Deeds.
	(g) Sponsorship Agreements.”;

(b) by deleting item 39 and substituting the following item:

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- “39. Senior Assistant Director,
Logistics & Technology,
Prisons
- (a) Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$40,000.
- (b) Purchase Orders/Works Orders/other authorised instruments of demand not exceeding \$300,000, raised under Period Contracts or Framework Agreements.”; and

(c) by deleting item 54 and substituting the following item:

- “54. Assistant Head/
Senior Section Manager/
Section Manager,
Vital
- (a) Scholarship Deeds not exceeding \$50,000.
- (b) Training Deeds in respect of uniformed officers not exceeding \$50,000.”.

Amendment of Part 16 of First Schedule

5. Part 16 of the First Schedule to the principal Notification is amended by inserting, immediately after the word “Manager” in the first column of item 13, a comma.

Amendment of Part 22 of First Schedule

6. Part 22 of the First Schedule to the principal Notification is amended by deleting item 2 and substituting the following item:

- “2. Deputy Chief Executive
of the Supreme Court
- Contracts not exceeding \$10 million.”.

Deletion and substitution of Part 25 of First Schedule

7. Part 25 of the First Schedule to the principal Notification is deleted and the following Part substituted therefor:

“PART 25

LEGAL SERVICE COMMISSION SECRETARIAT

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1. Chief of Staff
- Contracts not exceeding \$2 million.
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2. Director	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$500,000.
3. Deputy Director	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$200,000.
4. Senior Assistant Director/ Assistant Director	Contracts for goods, services and construction services not exceeding \$100,000.

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Made on 5 June 2015.

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