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PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS AND MEETINGS ACT (CHAPTER 257)

PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENTS AND MEETINGS (ARTS ENTERTAINMENT) (AMENDMENT) RULES 2014

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 23(1) of the Public Entertainments and Meetings Act, the Minister for Communications and Information hereby makes the following Rules:

Citation and commencement

1. These Rules may be cited as the Public Entertainments and Meetings (Arts Entertainment) (Amendment) Rules 2014 and shall come into operation on 1 January 2015.

Deletion and substitution of rule 2

2. Rule 2 of the Public Entertainments and Meetings (Arts Entertainment) Rules (R 4) (referred to in these Rules as the principal Rules) is deleted and the following rule substituted therefor:

"Definitions

- 2. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires
 - "licence" means a licence issued or renewed, or to be issued or renewed, under the Act by the Arts Entertainment Licensing Officer;
 - "Licensing Officer" means the Arts Entertainment Licensing Officer.".

Amendment of rule 3

- 3. Rule 3 of the principal Rules is amended
 - (a) by deleting paragraph (1) and substituting the following paragraph:

- "(1) The website http://www.mda.gov.sg is prescribed for the purpose of section 5(3) of the Act (relating to criteria and requirements to be satisfied by an applicant for a licence)."; and
- (b) by deleting paragraphs (1A) and (3).

Deletion and substitution of rule 6

4. Rule 6 of the principal Rules is deleted and the following rule substituted therefor:

"Refund of fee

6. No refund is to be made in respect of any fee paid under these Rules, except where the Licensing Officer considers appropriate.".

Deletion of First Schedule

5. The First Schedule to the principal Rules is deleted.

Amendment of Second Schedule

- **6.** The Second Schedule to the principal Rules is amended
 - (a) by deleting the words "or ad hoc performance" in items 1 and 2 and substituting in each case the words ", variety act or performance of music, singing or dancing"; and
 - (b) by inserting, immediately after item 4, the following items:

The amount

5. Any display or exhibition The amount

using real-time transmission of the performance, display or exhibition happening elsewhere (whether in or outside Singapore and whether in a public or private place) of any arts entertainment specified in

items 1 to 4.

6. Any display or exhibition using real-time The highest amount The highest amount

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performance, display or	an arts	an arts
exhibition happening	entertainment	entertainment
elsewhere (whether in or	in that	in that
outside Singapore and	combination	combination
whether in a public or		
private place) of any		
combination of arts		
entertainments specified		
in items 1 to 4.		

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(To be presented to Parliament under section 23(2) of the Public Entertainments and Meetings Act).