

EXTRADITION ACT
(CHAPTER 103, SECTION 19)

EXTRADITION (COMMONWEALTH TERRITORIES)
DECLARATION

ARRANGEMENT OF PARAGRAPHS

Paragraph

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[15th August 2007]

Citation

1. This Declaration may be cited as the Extradition (Commonwealth Territories) Declaration.

[S 559/2022 wef 01/07/2022]

Declaration of Commonwealth territories

2. The states or territories specified in the Schedule to this Declaration are hereby declared to be Commonwealth territories for the purposes of the Act.

[S 559/2022 wef 01/07/2022]

Modification of Act

3.—(1) The Act (except for Part 6) applies in relation to a country specified in the Schedule that is a non-member of UNTOC as if an UNTOC offence is not an extradition offence.

[S 559/2022 wef 01/07/2022]

(2) In this paragraph —

“non-member of UNTOC” means a state or territory specified in the Schedule that is not —

(a) a party to UNTOC; or

(b) a state or territory to which UNTOC applies or is extended;

“serious crime”, “organised criminal group” and “transnational” have the meanings given to them in UNTOC;

“UNTOC” means the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organised Crime, done at New York on 15 November 2000;

“UNTOC offence” means an offence against the law of a non-member of UNTOC where the act or omission constituting the offence or the equivalent act or omission —

(a) would, if it took place within the jurisdiction of Singapore, constitute any of the following:

(i) abetment of a serious crime, where the serious crime is transnational in nature and involves an organised criminal group;

(ii) criminal conspiracy to commit a serious crime, where the serious crime is transnational in nature and involves an organised criminal group; or

(b) would be such an offence if the description concerned contained a reference to any intent or state of mind on the part of the person committing the offence, or to any circumstance of aggravation, necessary to constitute the offence.

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THE SCHEDULE

Paragraphs 2 and 3

Australia

Bahamas

Barbados

Belize

Bermuda

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Botswana
British Indian Ocean Territory
Canada
Cyprus
Falkland Islands
Fiji
Gambia
Ghana
Gibraltar
India
Jamaica
Kenya
Kiribati
Lesotho
Malawi
Malta
Mauritius
New Zealand
Nigeria
Pakistan
Papua New Guinea
Pitcairn Islands
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Sri Lanka
St. Helena and dependencies
Tonga
Trinidad and Tobago
Tuvalu

THE SCHEDULE — *continued*

Uganda

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Channel Islands and Isle of Man

United Republic of Tanzania

Vanuatu

Virgin Islands

Zambia

[G.N. Nos. S 425/2007; S 475/2007]

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY
EXTRADITION (COMMONWEALTH TERRITORIES)
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formerly known as the Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Declaration

This Legislative History is provided for the convenience of users of the Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Declaration. It is not part of this Declaration.

1. G. N. No. S 425/2007 — Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Declaration 2007

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2. G. N. No. S 475/2007 — Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) (Amendment) Declaration 2007

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