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# ROAD TRAFFIC ACT (CHAPTER 276)

## ROAD TRAFFIC (POLICE OPERATIONS VEHICLE DRIVERS — EXEMPTION) ORDER 2020

#### ARRANGEMENT OF PARAGRAPHS

#### Paragraph

- 1. Citation and commencement
- 2. Exemption

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 142 of the Road Traffic Act, the Minister for Transport makes the following Order:

### Citation and commencement

1. This Order is the Road Traffic (Police Operations Vehicle Drivers — Exemption) Order 2020 and comes into operation on 1 May 2020.

## **Exemption**

- **2.**—(1) Section 120(3) of the Act does not apply to a police officer when
  - (a) driving a police operations vehicle, being a motor vehicle owned by the Government for the use of the Singapore Police Force for the purposes of maintaining law and order; and
  - (b) responding to an emergency.
- (2) In sub-paragraph (1)(b), "emergency" means an actual or imminent event that requires immediate action from a police officer and that causes, or threatens to cause —

- (a) any harm or danger to the life, health or safety of any individual;
- (b) any destruction of, or damage to, any property; or
- (c) any harm or danger to the health or safety of the public.

Made on 28 April 2020.

LOH NGAI SENG Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Transport, Singapore.

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