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## PINGAT KEPUJIAN (THE COMMENDATION MEDAL) RULES 1996

The President is pleased to approve the institution of a Medal to be styled the Pingat Kepujian or the Commendation Medal, the award of which shall be governed by the following Rules:

- 1. These Rules may be cited as the Pingat Kepujian (The Commendation Medal) Rules 1996 and shall come into operation on 2nd August 1996.
- **2.** The Medal shall be designated and styled the Pingat Kepujian or the Commendation Medal.
- **3.** The Medal may be awarded to any of the following persons who has distinguished himself through commendable performance and conduct, or significant efficiency, competence and devotion to duty:
  - (a) any public officer;
  - (b) any officer employed by any statutory authority (other than a Town Council);
  - (c) any person in the service of any organisation, association or body rendering services in the field of education;

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(d) any person employed in any company which is whollyowned by the Government and which is carrying on business mainly as an agent or instrumentality of the Government:

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(e) any person who is or has been employed as a member of the personal staff of the President.

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**4.** The Medal shall consist of a silver disc embellished with a laurel wreath along its rim. On the obverse side, there shall be a shield bearing a crescent and 5 stars encircled by a laurel wreath. The reverse side of the Medal shall bear the State Arms and name of the Medal.

- 5. The Medal shall be of the design as set out in the Schedule.
- **6.** The Medal shall be worn on the left side of the outer garment suspended by a ribbon. The ribbon shall be red with a grey centre band flanked on each side by a grey stripe.
- 7. The President may forfeit any Medal awarded to any person under these Rules if
  - (a) the person is convicted of any criminal offence;
  - (b) the person is dismissed from the public service or any form of service or employment mentioned in rule 3(b), (c), (d) or (e); or
  - (c) the person is guilty of misconduct or disloyalty to Singapore.

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**REVERSE** 

**8.** The names of the persons to whom the Medal is awarded shall be published in the *Gazette* and a register of such names shall be kept in the office of the Prime Minister.

## THE SCHEDULE

Rule 5

THE COMMENDATION MEDAL

OBVERSE

THE SCHEDULE — continued





Made this 29th day of July 1996.

By Command,

WONG CHOOI SEN Secretary to the Cabinet, Singapore.

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