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An Act to establish the Singapore Nursing Board, to provide for the registration and enrolment of nurses, the registration of midwives and the certification of Advanced Practice Nurses and for matters connected therewith.

[1 May 2000]

## PART 1

## PRELIMINARY

**Short title**

1. This Act is the Nurses and Midwives Act 1999.

**Interpretation**

2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —
  - “accredited” means accredited by the Board;
  - “Advanced Practice Nurse” means a registered nurse who is certified as an Advanced Practice Nurse under section 32;
  - “appointed member” means a member appointed under section 3(2)(d);
  - “Board” means the Singapore Nursing Board established under section 3;
  - “certificate of enrolment” means a certificate of enrolment granted under section 17;
  - “certificate of registration” means a certificate of registration granted under section 17;