

**Diplomatic and Consular Relations (Permanent Court of Arbitration) Order
2007**

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**DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS ACT
(CHAPTER 82A)**

**DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR RELATIONS (PERMANENT COURT OF
ARBITRATION) ORDER 2007**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6(3) of the Diplomatic and Consular

Relations Act, the Minister for Foreign Affairs hereby makes the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Diplomatic and Consular Relations (Permanent Court of Arbitration) Order 2007 and shall come into operation on 1st October 2007.

Definitions

2. In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires —

“Administrative Council” means the Administrative Council of the Permanent Court of Arbitration;

“International Bureau” means the International Bureau of the Permanent Court of Arbitration;

“Official of the PCA” means —

- (a) the Secretary-General;
- (b) the PCA Legal Officer; or
- (c) any member of the staff of the International Bureau;

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“participant”, in relation to a PCA Proceeding, means —

- (a) a witness, expert, counsel or party to the PCA Proceeding;
- (b) an agent or other representative of a party to the PCA Proceeding;
- (c) an interpreter, translator or court reporter taking part in any hearing, meeting or other activity in relation to the PCA Proceeding; or
- (d) any person appointed by the PCA to assist any PCA Adjudicator in a hearing, meeting or other activity in relation to the PCA Proceeding;

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“Permanent Court of Arbitration” or “PCA” means the Permanent Court of Arbitration based in The Hague;

“PCA Adjudicator” means any arbitrator, mediator, conciliator or member of a fact-finding commission of inquiry taking part in any hearing, meeting or other activity in relation to any PCA Proceeding;

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“PCA Agreement” means the Host Country Agreement between the Government of the Republic of Singapore and the Permanent Court of Arbitration signed in Singapore on 25 July 2017;