

International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) (International Telecommunications Union) Order

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INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS (IMMUNITIES AND PRIVILEGES) (INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION) ORDER¹

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1. This Order may be cited as the International Organisations (Immunities and Privileges) (International Telecommunications Union) Order.

A. THE ORGANISATION

2. The International Telecommunications Union (referred to in this Order as the Union) is an organisation of which the Government of the Republic of Singapore and the governments of foreign sovereign Powers are members.

3. The Union shall have the legal capacities of a body corporate and, except in so far as in any particular case it has expressly waived its immunity, immunity from suit and legal process. No waiver of immunity shall be deemed to extend to any measure of execution.

4. The Union shall have the like inviolability of official archives and premises occupied as offices as is accorded in respect of official archives and premises of an envoy of a foreign sovereign Power accredited to the Republic of Singapore.

5. The Union shall have the like exemption or relief from taxes and rates, other than taxes on the importation of goods, as is accorded to a foreign sovereign Power.