

Wills (Amendment) Act 1992
(No. 24 of 1992)

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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 29th May 1992 and assented to by the President on 8th June 1992:—

WILLS (AMENDMENT) ACT 1992

(No. 24 of 1992)

I assent.

WEE KIM WEE
President.
8th June 1992.

Date of Commencement: 26th June 1992

An Act to amend the Wills Act (Chapter 352 of the 1985 Revised Edition) to provide for the formal validity of wills and to restrict the operation of section 9 of that Act.

Be it enacted by the President with the advice and consent of the Parliament of Singapore, as follows:

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Wills (Amendment) Act 1992 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Amendment of section 2

2. Section 2 of the Wills Act is amended —

(a) by inserting, immediately before the definition of “will”, the following definition:

“ “internal law”, in relation to any territory or state, means the law which would apply in a case where no question of the law in force in any other territory or state arose;” and

(b) by deleting the full-stop at the end of the definition of “personal estate” and substituting a semicolon, and by inserting immediately thereafter the following definition:

“ “state” means a territory or group of territories having its own law of nationality.”.

New section 4A

3. The Wills Act is amended by inserting, immediately after section 4, the following section: