

Economic Development Board (Amendment) Bill

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An Act to amend the Economic Development Board Act (Chapter 189 of the Revised Edition).

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 Economic Development Board (Amendment) Act, 1975 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Amendment of section 5

2. Section 5 of the Economic Development Board Act (hereinafter in this Act referred to as “the principal Act”) is hereby amended —

(a) by deleting subsection (1) thereof and substituting therefor the following: —

“(1) The Board shall consist of —

- (a) the Chairman of the Board appointed under section 4 of this Act;
- (b) the Director of the Board appointed under section 7 of this Act; and
- (c) not less than four and not more than ten other members who shall be appointed by the Minister.”;

(b) by deleting subsection (5) thereof and substituting therefor the following: —

“(5) The Minister may appoint not more than two members of the Board to be Deputy Chairmen of the Board.”; and

(c) by inserting immediately after subsection (5) thereof the following subsections: —

“(5A) At any time when the Chairman is absent or otherwise incapable of acting, or there is a vacancy in the office of Chairman —

- (a) such one of the Deputy Chairmen as the Minister may direct, or in default of any such direction such one of them as they may agree; or
- (b) if there is only one Deputy Chairman, that Deputy Chairman,