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An Act to amend the Regulation of Employment Act (Chapter 127 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 Regulation of Employment (Amendment) Act, 1975, and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Amendment of section 8

2. Section 8 of the Regulation of Employment Act (hereinafter in this Act referred to as “the principal Act”) is hereby amended by inserting immediately after subsection (2) thereof the following new subsection: —

“(3) No employer or contractor shall employ an employee or contract worker, as the case may be, otherwise than in accordance with the conditions contained in the work permit.”.

New section 8A

3. The principal Act is hereby amended by inserting immediately after section 8 thereof the following new section: —

“Self-employed persons carrying on certain occupations to apply for work permits

8A. The Minister may from time to time by notification in the *Gazette* prohibit any person, not being employed under a contract of service, from engaging in any trade, calling, occupation, or other activity for the purposes of gain that is specified in the notification unless he has obtained a work permit for that purpose.”.

Amendment of section 11

4. Subsection (2) of section 11 of the principal Act is hereby amended by inserting immediately after the word “defaced” appearing at the end thereof the words “upon payment of the prescribed fee”.

Amendment of section 14

5. Subsection (1) of section 14 of the principal Act is hereby amended —

(a) by inserting immediately after the figure “8” appearing in paragraph (e)