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**MERCHANT SHIPPING ACT
(CHAPTER 179)**

**MERCHANT SHIPPING (PROVISIONS AND WATER)
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2014**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 70 of the Merchant Shipping Act, the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore, with the approval of the Minister for Transport, hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Merchant Shipping (Provisions and Water) (Amendment) Regulations 2014 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2014.

Amendment of regulation 3

2. Regulation 3 of the Merchant Shipping (Provisions and Water) Regulations (Rg 24) is amended by deleting the word “seaman” wherever it appears in paragraphs (1) and (2) and substituting in each case the words “crew member”.

New regulations 5, 6 and 7

3. The Merchant Shipping (Provisions and Water) Regulations are amended by inserting, immediately after regulation 4, the following regulations:

“Considerations in providing provisions and water

5. The shipowner and the master of a ship shall ensure that provisions and drinking water are provided on the ship which are suitable in respect of quantity, nutritional value, quality and variety, taking into account —

- (a) the number of crew members on board and the character, nature and duration of the voyage; and