### **Employment of Foreign Manpower (Work Pass Exemptions) Notification 2007**

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# EMPLOYMENT OF FOREIGN MANPOWER ACT (CHAPTER 91A)

## EMPLOYMENT OF FOREIGN MANPOWER (WORK PASS EXEMPTIONS) NOTIFICATION 2007

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Employment of Foreign Manpower Act, the Minister for Manpower hereby makes the following Notification:

## Citation and commencement

1. This Notification may be cited as the Employment of Foreign Manpower (Work Pass Exemptions) Notification 2007 and shall come into operation on 1st July 2007.

### Officers and seamen on international voyages

- **2.**—(1) The following persons shall be exempted from section 5 of the Act:
  - (a) a foreign employee who is an officer or a seaman on an international

- voyage aboard any Singapore ship registered under the Merchant Shipping Act (Cap. 179); and
- (b) any person who employs or wishes to employ a foreign employee referred to in sub-paragraph (a) in respect of that foreign employee.
- (2) For the purpose of sub-paragraph (1), "officer" and "seaman" shall have the same meanings as in the Merchant Shipping Act (Cap. 179).

## Students on vacation, etc.

- **3.**—(1) Any foreigner who is
  - (a) 14 years of age or above; and
  - (b) a full-time matriculated or registered student of a recognised university or an educational institution set out in Part I of the Schedule,

shall be exempted from the requirement in section 5 of the Act of having a work pass to be employed by any employer during his school vacation or term break, as the case may be.

- (2) Any foreigner who is
  - (a) a full-time matriculated or registered student of a recognised university or an educational institution set out in Part II of the Schedule; and
  - (b) required to work for less than 16 hours a week,

shall be exempted from the requirement in section 5 of the Act of having a work pass to be or being employed by any employer.

(3) The employer of any foreigner referred to in sub-paragraph (1) or (2) shall be exempted from the requirement in section 5 of the Act in respect of that foreigner.

#### Cancellation

- **4.** The following Notifications are cancelled:
  - (a) Work Permit (Exemption) (Consolidation) Notification (N 1);
  - (b) Employment of Foreign Workers (Exemption) (Consolidation) Notification (N 2);
  - (c) Work Permit (Exemption) Notification 2007 (G.N. No. S 66/2007); and
  - (d) Work Permit (Exemption) (No. 2) Notification 2007 (G.N. No. S 187/2007).