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**CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND ACT
(CHAPTER 36)**

**CENTRAL PROVIDENT FUND (MEDISHIELD SCHEME)
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS 2005**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 57 of the Central Provident Fund Act, the Minister for Manpower hereby makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Central Provident Fund (MediShield Scheme) (Amendment) Regulations 2005 and shall come into operation on 1st April 2005.

Amendment of regulation 2

2. Regulation 2 (1) of the Central Provident Fund (MediShield Scheme) Regulations (Rg 20) (referred to in these Regulations as the principal Regulations) is amended —

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

“ “approved community hospital” means any premises which, in the opinion of the Minister for Health, provides an intermediate level of care for out-patients and in-patients who have simple ailments that do not require specialist medical and nursing care and which is approved by that Minister for the purposes of these Regulations;”;

(b) by inserting, immediately after the definition of “approved hospital”, the following definition: