

# **Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Declaration**

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## **EXTRADITION (COMMONWEALTH COUNTRIES) DECLARATION**

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## **Citation**

**1.** This Declaration may be cited as the Extradition (Commonwealth Countries) Declaration.

## **Declaration of Commonwealth countries**

**2.** The countries specified in the Schedule to this Declaration are hereby declared to be Commonwealth countries for the purposes of Part IV of the Act.

## Modification of Part IV of Act

3.—(1) Part IV of the Act applies in relation to a country specified in the Schedule that is a non-member of UNTOC as if an UNTOC offence is not an extradition crime.

(2) In sub-paragraph (1) —

“non-member of UNTOC” means a country specified in the Schedule that is not —

- (a) a party to the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organised Crime, done at New York on 15th November 2000; or
- (b) a territory to which the application of the Convention is extended;

“UNTOC offence” means an offence against the law of the said country where the act or omission constituting the offence or the equivalent act or omission —

- (a) would, if it took place within the jurisdiction of Singapore, constitute an offence under Part III of the First Schedule to the Act; or
- (b) would be such an offence if the description concerned contained a reference to any intent or state of mind on the part of the person committing the offence, or to any circumstance of aggravation, necessary to constitute the offence.

## THE SCHEDULE

Paragraphs 2 and 3

Australia

Bahamas

Barbados

Belize

Bermuda

Botswana

British Indian Ocean Territory

Canada

Cyprus

Falkland Islands

Fiji