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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 25th November 2002 and assented to by the President on 3rd December 2002:—

STRATEGIC GOODS (CONTROL) ACT 2002

(No. 40 of 2002)

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No. 40 of 2002.

I assent.



S R NATHAN,
President.
3rd December 2002.

An Act to control the transfer and brokering of strategic goods, strategic goods technology, goods and technology capable of being used to develop, produce, operate, stockpile or acquire weapons capable of causing mass destruction, and missiles capable of delivering such weapons; and for purposes connected therewith.

Be it enacted by the President with the advice and consent of the Parliament of Singapore, as follows:

PART I
PRELIMINARY

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Strategic Goods (Control) Act 2002 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Interpretation

2.—(1) In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires —

“authorised officer” means —

- (a) an officer appointed as an authorised officer under section 4; or
- (b) an officer of customs within the meaning of section 3 of the Customs Act (Cap. 70);

“Board” means the International Enterprise Singapore Board established under section 3 of the International Enterprise Singapore Board Act (Cap. 330);

“bring in transit” means to bring goods from any country into Singapore by land, water or air, where the goods are to be taken out from Singapore on the same conveyance on which they are brought into Singapore without any landing in Singapore, but does not include the passage through Singapore in accordance with international law of a foreign conveyance carrying goods;

“computer” has the same meaning as in section 2(1) of the Computer Misuse Act (Cap. 50A);

“conveyance” includes any vessel, train, vehicle, aircraft or other mode of transport;

“country” includes territory;

“device” means any tangible medium in which information, visual images, sounds or other data is or are recorded, stored or embodied in any form so as to be capable (with or without