

**Health Promotion Board Act 2001**  
**(No. 5 of 2001)**

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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 22nd February 2001 and assented to by the President on 12th March 2001:—

**HEALTH PROMOTION BOARD ACT 2001**

**(No. 5 of 2001)**

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I assent.

S R NATHAN,  
*President.*  
*12th March 2001.*

**Date of Commencement: 1st April 2001**

An Act to establish the Health Promotion Board, to provide for its functions and powers, and for matters connected therewith; and to make consequential amendments to the Dentists Act (Chapter 76 of the 2000 Revised Edition) and the Infectious Diseases Act (Chapter 137 of the 1999 Revised Edition).

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 Health Promotion Board Act 2001 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

## **Interpretation**

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

“appointed day” means the date of commencement of this Act;

“Board” means the Health Promotion Board established under section 3;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Board and includes a temporary Chairman appointed under section 8;

“Chief Executive” means the Chief Executive of the Board appointed under section 15 and includes any person acting in that capacity;

“member” means a member of the Board.

## **PART II**

### **ESTABLISHMENT, INCORPORATION AND CONSTITUTION OF BOARD**

#### **Establishment and incorporation of Health Promotion Board**

3. There is hereby established a body to be known as the Health Promotion Board which shall be a body corporate with perpetual succession and a common seal and shall, by that name, be capable of —

- (a) suing and being sued;
- (b) acquiring, owning, holding and developing, or disposing of property, both movable and immovable; and
- (c) doing and suffering all such other acts or things as a body corporate may lawfully do and suffer.

#### **Common seal**

4.—(1) The Board shall have a common seal and such seal may from time to time be broken, changed, altered or made anew as the Board thinks fit.

(2) All deeds and other documents requiring the seal of the Board shall be sealed with the common seal of the Board.

(3) All instruments to which the common seal is affixed shall be signed by any 2 members generally or specially authorised by the Board for the purpose or by one