

**National Council of Social Service Act 1992
(No. 14 of 1992)**

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The following Act was passed by Parliament on 20th March 1992 and assented to by the President on 30th March 1992:—

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF SOCIAL SERVICE ACT 1992

(No. 14 of 1992)

I assent.

WEE KIM WEE
President.
30th March 1992.

Date of Commencement: 1st May 1992

An Act to establish the National Council of Social Service and for matters connected therewith, and to repeal the Singapore Council of Social Service Act (Chapter 299 of the 1985 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 National Council of Social Service Act 1992 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 Board of the Council;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Community Chest;

“chief executive officer” means the chief executive officer of the Council appointed under section 22(1);

“Community Chest” means the Community Chest established under section 13(1);

“Council” means the National Council of Social Service established under section 3;

“Endowment Fund” means the Endowment Fund established under section 12(1);

“General Fund” means the General Fund established under section 27(1);

“member” means any member of the Board;

“President” means the President of the Board;

“Singapore Council of Social Service” means the Singapore Council of Social Service established under the repealed Singapore Council of Social Service Act [Cap. 299] in force before the appointed day;

“Vice-President” means the Vice-President of the Board.

PART II

ESTABLISHMENT OF COUNCIL

Establishment of National Council of Social Service

3. There is hereby established a body to be known as the National Council of Social Service which shall be a body corporate with perpetual succession and a common seal and with powers to sue and be sued in its corporate name and to perform such other acts as body corporate may by law perform.

Common seal

4.—(1) The common seal of the Council shall be kept in such custody as the Board may direct.

(2) All deeds, documents and other instruments requiring the seal of the Council shall be sealed with the common seal of the Council, and the instruments to which the