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An Act to amend the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea Act (Chapter 243 of the 1991 Revised Edition).

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

Short title and commencement

1. This Act may be cited as the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea (Amendment) Act 1999 and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

Repeal and re-enactment of long title

- 2. The long title of the Prevention of Pollution of the Sea Act (referred to in this Act as the principal Act) is repealed and the following long title substituted therefor:
 - "An Act to give effect to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships 1973 as modified and added to by the Protocol of 1978, and to other international agreements relating to the prevention, reduction and control of pollution of the sea and pollution from ships; to make provisions generally for the protection of the marine environment and for the prevention, reduction and control of pollution of the sea and pollution from ships, and for matters related thereto."

Amendment of section 2

- 3. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended
 - (a) by deleting the words ", other than the Port of Singapore Authority, having, for the time being," in the definition of "terminal operator" in subsection (1) and substituting the word "having"; and
 - (b) by inserting, immediately after subsection (3), the following subsection:
 - "(4) Any reference in this Act to the Convention or any other international agreement shall be construed as including a reference

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