

# **Land Surveyors Bill**

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An Act to establish the Land Surveyors Board, to provide for the registration of land surveyors, to regulate the qualifications and practice of land surveyors, to regulate corporations which engage in title survey work in Singapore and to repeal the Land Surveyors Act (Chapter 156 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 Land Surveyors Act 1991 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;

“allied professional” means —

(a) an architect who is registered under the Architects Act 1991; or

(b) a professional engineer who is registered under the Professional Engineers Act 1991;

“assurance plan” means any plan showing approximate boundaries or dimensions and areas for the purpose of identifying land which has not been surveyed to the satisfaction of the Chief Surveyor but is required to be surveyed under the provisions of any written law;

“Board” means the Land Surveyors Board established under section 4;

“certificate of registration” means the certificate of registration issued under section 14;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Board;

“Chief Surveyor” means the officer for the time being performing the duties of the head of the Survey Department;

“Government surveyor” means a surveyor who is employed by the Government, whether or not registered under section 12;