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An Act to amend the National Statistical Commission of Singapore Act, 1971 (No. 27 of 1971).

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 National Statistical Commission of Singapore (Amendment) Act, 1977, and shall come into operation on such date as the Minister may, by notification in the *Gazette*, appoint.

#### Amendment of section 13

**2.** Subsection (3) of section 13 of the National Statistical Commission of Singapore Act, 1971 (hereinafter in this Act referred to as the "principal Act") is hereby deleted.

## Amendment of section 14

**3.** Section 14 of the "principal Act" is hereby amended —

(a) by deleting subsection (1) thereof and substituting therefor the following: —

"(1) As soon as may be after the 1st day of April but not later than the 31st day of July in every year, unless otherwise authorised in writing by the Minister, the Commission shall prepare a report of its activities in the preceding financial year and shall send a copy of such report to the Minister who shall present a copy of every such report to Parliament.

(2) For the year 1976 the Commission shall prepare a report of its activities from the 1st day of January 1976 to the 31st day of March 1977."; and

(b) by renumbering subsections (2) and (3) thereof as subsections (3) and (4).

# Repeal and re-enactment of section 15

4. Section 15 of the principal Act is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor: —

## "Accounts to be kept

**15.**—(1) The Commission shall prepare in respect of each financial year ending on the 31st day of March a statement of accounts in a form approved by the