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**MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE ACT  
(CHAPTER 170A)**

**MARITIME AND PORT AUTHORITY OF SINGAPORE  
(PORT) (AMENDMENT)  
REGULATIONS 2011**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 41 of the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore Act, the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore, with the approval of the Minister for Transport, hereby makes the following Regulations:

**Citation and commencement**

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (Port) (Amendment) Regulations 2011 and shall come into operation on 1st January 2012.

**New regulation 3A**

**2.** The Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (Port) Regulations (Rg 7) are amended by inserting, immediately after regulation 3, the following regulation:

**“Power-driven vessel to be installed with transponder**

**3A.**—(1) The owner, agent, master or person-in-charge of a power-driven vessel not under tow shall, at all times while the vessel is within the port, ensure that there is installed and maintained in operation on board the vessel a transponder of a type and specification —

- (a) that complies with the requirements of an automatic identification system (AIS) in Regulation 19(b)(iv)(5) of Chapter V of the Safety Convention Regulations, which sets out the requirements in Chapter V of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea 1974 as amended from time to time; or
- (b) that is approved for use within the port by the Authority or the Port Master.