Government Securities Act 1992

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GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ACT 1992

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An Act to establish and regulate the Government Securities Fund and to provide for the borrowing of moneys by the issue of Government securities in Singapore.

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PART 1

PRELIMINARY

Short title

1. This Act is the Government Securities Act 1992.

Interpretation

- 2. In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires
 - "advance deposits" means such deposits as are received under section 27;
 - "Authority" means the Monetary Authority of Singapore established under the Monetary Authority of Singapore Act 1970;
 - "bearer bonds" means bearer bonds issued under Part 4;
 - "book-entry Government securities" means any stock or bond issued in Singapore under Part 5 in the form of an entry on the records of the Authority;
 - "financial institution" means any person licensed, approved, registered or regulated by the Authority, or exempted from such licensing, approval, registration or regulation, under any written law administered by the Authority;
 - "Government securities" means stocks, bearer bonds, book-entry Government securities or other securities which may be issued under this Act;

- "Government Securities Fund" means the Government Securities Fund established under Part 2;
- "primary dealer" means a person approved under Part 7A to be a primary dealer;
- "public debt securities" means any securities issued under the Significant Infrastructure Government Loan Act 2021;
- "regulations" means regulations made under this Act and, in relation to any particular issue of Government securities, includes any notification in the *Gazette* varying such regulations in relation to that issue;
- "sinking fund" means the sinking fund created under section 25;
- "stocks" means stocks issued under Part 4;
- "trustee stock" means any of the securities mentioned in the Trustees Act 1967 in which trustees may invest.

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PART 2

ESTABLISHMENT AND REGULATION OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES FUND

Government Securities Fund

- **3.**—(1) A Government Securities Fund is established into which must be paid
 - (a) all sums representing the proceeds of loans raised or advance deposits accepted under this Act;
 - (b) all sums representing the proceeds of loans raised under the Local Treasury Bills Act 1923 on or after 1 April 1996;
 - (c) all moneys from time to time authorised to be paid into the Government Securities Fund by this Act or any other written law; and
 - (d) all income from the investment of moneys in the Government Securities Fund authorised to be made by this Act, and all profits arising from the realisation of any such investments.
- (2) The Government Securities Fund is deemed to be a Government fund for the purposes of any written law.

Application of moneys in Government Securities Fund