

# **Telecommunication (Dealers) Regulations**

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## PART I

### PRELIMINARY

#### Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Telecommunication (Dealers) Regulations.

#### Definitions

2. In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires —

“authorised officer” means any person authorised by the Authority to act on its behalf;

“dealer” means a person who manufactures, imports, sells, hires, offers or possesses for sale, hire or hire-purchase any equipment which is capable of being used for the purpose of telecommunication, and includes his employees;

“Dealer’s Class Licence” means a licence granted under regulation 4A;

“Dealer’s Individual Licence” means a licence granted under regulation 4;

“identity card” means an identity card issued under the National Registration Act (Cap. 201);

“licence” means a Telecommunication Dealer’s Licence granted under these Regulations;

“licensee” means a person to whom a licence is granted under these Regulations, and includes his employees;

“sale” includes every transaction of or in the nature of barter or exchange, every transaction of hire or hire-purchase and every transaction by which any goods are pawned or hypothecated or as the result of which the ownership of or an interest in goods is or may be transferred or created;

“Telecommunication Dealer’s Licence” means a Dealer’s Class Licence granted under regulation 4A or a Dealer’s Individual Licence granted under regulation 4;

“telecommunication equipment” means any appliance, apparatus or accessory used or intended to be used for telecommunication;

“type-approval labels” means labels stating or indicating that the

telecommunication equipment is type-approved equipment;

“type-approved equipment” means any telecommunication equipment approved for sale under regulation 24(1).

## PART II

### LICENSING CONDITIONS

#### **Licensing authority**

3. The licensing authority in respect of every licence granted under these Regulations shall be the Authority with the consent of, or under the terms of a general authority given by, the Minister.

#### **Dealer’s Individual Licence**

4.—(1) No person, other than a holder of a Dealer’s Individual Licence granted by the Authority, shall manufacture, import, hire, sell, or offer or possess for sale, any telecommunication equipment other than type-approved equipment or telecommunication equipment set out in the Fifth Schedule.

(2) The Authority shall, when granting a Dealer’s Individual Licence, specify the types of telecommunication equipment which the dealer may manufacture, import, hire, sell, or offer or possess for sale.

(3) A holder of a Dealer’s Individual Licence may sell telecommunication equipment that is not type-approved equipment or not set out in the Fifth Schedule only --

- (a) to another holder of a Dealer’s Individual Licence; or
- (b) to a person, other than a holder of a Dealer’s Class Licence, for re-export purposes and not for use in Singapore.

(4) A dealer shall obtain a Dealer’s Individual Licence for each of the premises under his control or occupation at which he manufactures, imports, hires, sells, offers or possesses for sale any telecommunication equipment.

#### **Dealer’s Class Licence**

4A.—(1) A dealer who manufactures, imports, hires, sells, or offers or possesses for sale any type-approved equipment or telecommunication equipment set out in the Fifth Schedule shall be deemed to have been granted a Dealer’s Class Licence for that purpose.