

# Constitution of the Republic of Singapore (Amendment No. 2) Bill

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**Bill No. 16/2022.**

*Read the first time on 4 July 2022.*

A BILL

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An Act to amend the Constitution of the Republic of Singapore.

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 is the Constitution of the Republic of Singapore (Amendment No. 2) Act 2022 and comes into operation on a date that the President appoints by notification in the *Gazette*.

5 **Amendment of Article 22**

2. Article 22 of the Constitution of the Republic of Singapore is amended by deleting the words “and Navy” in paragraph (k) and substituting the words “, Navy, and Digital and Intelligence Service”.

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**EXPLANATORY STATEMENT**

This Bill seeks to amend the Constitution of the Republic of Singapore.

Clause 1 relates to the short title and commencement.

Clause 2 amends Article 22 to provide that the President’s discretionary powers under that Article in relation to the appointment of offices include the new office of the Chief of the Digital and Intelligence Service of the Singapore Armed Forces.

**EXPENDITURE OF PUBLIC MONEY**

This Bill will not involve the Government in any extra financial expenditure.

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