

TRADE ACT
(Cap. 43:02)

TRADE (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2016
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ARRANGEMENT OF REGULATIONS

REGULATION

1. Citation
2. Amendment of regulation 2 of Cap. 43:02 (Sub. Leg.)
3. Amendment of regulation 9 of the Regulations
4. Amendment of regulation 26 of the Regulations
5. Insertion of regulation 27A in the Regulations

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on the Minister of Investment, Trade and Industry by section 31 of the Trade Act, the following Regulations are hereby made —

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Trade (Amendment) Regulations, 2016. Citation
2. The Trade Regulations (hereinafter referred to as “the Regulations”) are amended in regulation 2 by substituting for the definition of — Amendment of regulation 2 of Cap. 43:02 (Sub. Leg.)
 - (a) “department store”, the following new definition —
““department store” means a store which sells different categories of goods in different departments under one roof;”;
 - (b) “supermarket”, the following new definition —
““supermarket” means a self-service store which sells a wide range of food items, household goods and wines, but not beers and spirits;”; and
 - (c) “wholesale”, the following new definition —
““wholesale” means a store which sells goods in bulk per product or line item;”.
3. The Regulations are amended by substituting for regulation 9, the following new regulation — Amendment of regulation 9 of the Regulations

“Department store licence 9. (1) A department store licensee shall not sell motor vehicles, petrol, diesel, paraffin, or liquefied petroleum gas in the licensed premises.

(2) The holder of a licence reserved for a citizen under regulation 30, in respect of a reserved trade or business, may carry out such trade or business within a department store owned by a non-citizen.

(3) A department store licensee shall carry out his business from a store of at least 1500 square metres.

(4) The requirement under subregulation (3) shall be specified in a department store licence.”.
4. The Regulations are amended by substituting for regulation 26, the following new regulation — Amendment of regulation 26 of the Regulations

“Supermarket Licence 26. (1) A supermarket licensee who has been issued with a bottle store liquor licence under the Liquor Act shall —

(a) restrict access to the section of the premises where wines are kept, by engaging a security officer to do so;

- (b) have a separate cash till for the sale of wines; and
- (c) comply with the conditions set out in the Liquor Act in respect of the bottle store licence.

(2) A supermarket licensee shall carry out his business from a store of at least 1000 square metres.

(3) The requirement under subregulation (2) shall be specified in a supermarket licence.”.

Insertion of
regulation 27A
in the
Regulations

5. The Regulations are amended by inserting immediately after regulation 27, the following new regulation —

“Wholesale
licence

27A. (1) A wholesale licensee shall carryout his business from a store of at least 1 500 square metres.

(2) The requirement under subregulation (1) shall be specified in a wholesale licence.”.

MADE this 14th day of April, 2016.

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