

L.N. 166 of 2018

Trade Descriptions (Place of Manufacture) (Textile Made-up Articles) (Amendment) Order 2018

(Made by the Commissioner of Customs and Excise under section 2(2)(b)(ii) of the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 1 January 2019.

2. Trade Descriptions (Place of Manufacture) (Textile Made-up Articles) Order amended

The Trade Descriptions (Place of Manufacture) (Textile Made-up Articles) Order (Cap. 362 sub. leg. I) is amended as set out in sections 3, 4 and 5.

3. Section 2 amended (interpretation)

(1) Section 2, English text, definition of *textile made-up article*—

Repeal the semicolon

Substitute a full stop.

(2) Section 2—

(a) definition of *Hong Kong, China—New Zealand Closer Economic Partnership Agreement*;

(b) definition of *Mainland and Hong Kong Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement*;

(c) definition of *the Mainland*—

Repeal the definitions.

4. Section 4 amended (place of manufacture or production)

Section 4—

Repeal

“Subject to sections 5 and 6, the”

Substitute

“The”.

5. Sections 5 and 6 repealed

Sections 5 and 6—

Repeal the sections.

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Excise

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Explanatory Note

Sections 5 and 6 of the Trade Descriptions (Place of Manufacture) (Textile Made-up Articles) Order (Cap. 362 sub. leg. 1) (*principal Order*) specify the place of manufacture of certain textile made-up articles that have been exported, or are intended to be exported, from Hong Kong under the Mainland and Hong Kong Closer Economic Partnership Arrangement, or under the Hong Kong, China—New Zealand Closer Economic Partnership Agreement.

2. As a result of the amendments to Schedule 1 to the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Cap. 362) by the Trade Descriptions Ordinance (Amendment of Schedule 1) (No. 2) Notice 2018, the Arrangement and the Agreement become *scheduled trade arrangements* (as defined by section 2A(1) of that Ordinance) and therefore sections 5 and 6 of the principal Order are no longer needed.
3. The purpose of this Order is to repeal sections 5 and 6 of the principal Order.