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## **United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2021**

(Made by the Chief Executive under section 3 of the United Nations Sanctions Ordinance (Cap. 537) on the instruction of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of China and after consultation with the Executive Council)

1. **United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) Regulation 2019 amended**  
The United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) Regulation 2019 (Cap. 537 sub. leg. CG) is amended as set out in sections 2 to 14.
2. **Section 1 amended (interpretation)**
  - (1) Section 1, definition of *prohibited IED components*—  
**Repeal**  
“Resolution 2498;”  
**Substitute**  
“Resolution 2551;”.
  - (2) Section 1—  
**Repeal the definition of *Resolution 2498*.**
  - (3) Section 1—  
**Add in alphabetical order**  
“***Resolution 2551*** (《第2551號決議》) means Resolution 2551 (2020) adopted by the Security Council on 12 November 2020;”.
3. **Section 2 amended (supply of goods prohibited)**
  - (1) Section 2(2)(b) and (c)(ii) and (3)(a) and (b), English text, after “person or”—

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**Add**

“to”.

- (2) Section 2(5)(b), English text, after “person or” (wherever appearing)—

**Add**

“to”.

- (3) Section 2(5)(b)(i), (ii) and (iii)(A) and (B), Chinese text, before the semicolon—

**Add**

“的”.

- (4) Section 2(5)(c), English text, after “person or” (wherever appearing)—

**Add**

“to”.

- (5) Section 2(5)(c), Chinese text, after “對象” (wherever appearing)—

**Add**

“的”.

**4. Section 3 amended (carriage of goods prohibited)**

- (1) Section 3(2)(b) and (c)(ii), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

- (2) Section 3(3)(b), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

“有關的”

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**Substitute**

“該項”.

- (3) Section 3(4)(a) and (b) and (7)(b)(ii) and (iii)(B) and (c)(i) and (ii), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

**5. Section 4A amended (supply of IED components prohibited)**

- (1) Section 4A(2)(b) and (c)(ii), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

- (2) Section 4A(4)(b), English text, after “person or” (wherever appearing)—

**Add**

“to”.

- (3) Section 4A(4)(b)(i) and (ii), Chinese text, before the semicolon—

**Add**

“的”.

- (4) Section 4A(4)(b)(iii)(A), Chinese text, before the semicolon—

**Add**

“的”.

- (5) Section 4A(4)(b)(iii)(B), Chinese text, after “對象”—

**Add**

“的”.

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**6. Section 4B amended (carriage of IED components prohibited)**

(1) Section 4B(2)(b) and (c)(ii), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

(2) Section 4B(3)(b), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

“有關的”

**Substitute**

“該項”.

(3) Section 4B(6)(b)(ii) and (iii)(B), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

**7. Section 7 amended (entry or transit of persons prohibited)**

Section 7(2)(b), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

“有關區域”

**Substitute**

“該區域”.

**8. Section 9 amended (licence for supply or carriage of goods)**

(1) Section 9(1)(a)(ii) and (iii)(B), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

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- (2) Section 9(1)(a), Chinese text, before “下述作為”—

**Add**

“批予特許，准許”。

- (3) Section 9(1)(b)(ii) and (iii)(B), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”。

- (4) Section 9(1)(b), Chinese text, before “屬下述”—

**Add**

“批予特許，准許”。

- (5) Section 9(1), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

“批予特許，准許（視”

**Substitute**

“（視下述”。

- (6) Section 9(2)—

**Repeal paragraph (k).**

- (7) Before section 9(2)(l)—

**Add**

“(ka) the prohibited goods are not any of the items covered by Annex A or B to Resolution 2551 and are intended solely for the development of the Somali National Security Forces, or Somali security sector institutions other than those of the Federal Government of Somalia, to provide security for the Somali people;”。

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- (8) Section 9(2)(l) and (m)—

**Repeal**

“Resolution 2498”

**Substitute**

“Resolution 2551”.

- (9) Section 9(2)(n)—

**Repeal**

everything after “Resolution”

**Substitute**

“2551 and are intended solely for the purposes of helping develop Somali security sector institutions other than those of the Federal Government of Somalia to provide security for the Somali people.”.

**9. Section 10 amended (licence for provision of assistance)**

- (1) Section 10(2)—

**Repeal paragraph (g).**

- (2) Before section 10(2)(h)—

**Add**

“(ga) the assistance is not related to any of the items covered by Annex A or B to Resolution 2551 and is intended solely for the development of the Somali National Security Forces, or Somali security sector institutions other than those of the Federal Government of Somalia, to provide security for the Somali people;”.

- (3) Section 10(2)—

**Repeal paragraph (h).**



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- (4) Section 10(2)(i)—

**Repeal**

everything after “Resolution”

**Substitute**

“2551 and is intended solely for the purposes of helping develop Somali security sector institutions other than those of the Federal Government of Somalia to provide security for the Somali people.”.

- (5) Section 10—

**Repeal subsection (3).**

- (6) Section 10(4)—

**Repeal**

“Also,”

**Substitute**

“However.”.

**10. Section 10A amended (licence for supply or carriage of IED components)**

- (1) Section 10A(1)(a)(ii) and (iii)(B), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

- (2) Section 10A(1)(a), Chinese text, before “下述作為”—

**Add**

“批予特許，准許”.

- (3) Section 10A(1)(b)(ii) and (iii)(B), English text, after “person or”—

**Add**

“to”.

- (4) Section 10A(1)(b), Chinese text, before “屬下述”—

**Add**

“批予特許，准許”.

- (5) Section 10A(1), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

“批予特許，准許 (視)”

**Substitute**

“(視下述”.

**11. Section 11 amended (licence for making available or dealing with economic assets)**

- (1) Section 11(2)—

**Repeal paragraph (d).**

- (2) At the end of section 11(2)—

**Add**

- “(e) the economic assets are necessary to ensure the timely delivery of urgently needed humanitarian assistance in Somalia by—
- (i) the United Nations, its specialized agencies or programmes, or humanitarian organizations having observer status with the United Nations General Assembly that provide humanitarian assistance; or
  - (ii) their implementing partners, including bilaterally or multilaterally funded non-governmental organizations participating in the

United Nations Humanitarian Response Plan  
for Somalia.”.

**12. Section 15 amended (power to require information and production of document, cargo or article)**

Section 15(1)(b) and (c), Chinese text, after “交出”—

**Add**

“該人員指明的、”。

**13. Section 18 amended (provision of false or misleading information or documents)**

Section 18(1), Chinese text—

**Repeal**

everything after “要求時”

**Substitute**

“\_\_\_\_\_

- (a) 向獲授權人員提供或交出該負責人知道在要項上屬虛假或具誤導性的任何資料或文件；或
- (b) 罔顧實情地向獲授權人員提供或交出在要項上屬虛假或具誤導性的任何資料或文件，  
即屬犯罪。”。

**14. Section 30 amended (exercise of powers of Chief Executive)**

Section 30(2), English text—

**Repeal**

“sub-delegate”

**Substitute**

“subdelegate”。

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## **Explanatory Note**

This Regulation amends the United Nations Sanctions (Somalia) Regulation 2019 (Cap. 537 sub. leg. CG) to give effect to certain decisions in Resolution 2551 (2020) adopted by the Security Council of the United Nations on 12 November 2020 in respect of Somalia.

2. The amendments mainly relate to the requirements of the licences for—
  - (a) the supply, sale, transfer or carriage of weapons or military equipment to Somalia;
  - (b) the provision of technical advice, financial or other assistance, or training, related to military activities;
  - (c) making available to, or for the benefit of, certain persons or entities any funds or other financial assets or economic resources; and
  - (d) dealing with funds or other financial assets or economic resources belonging to, or owned or controlled by, certain persons or entities.
  
3. The Regulation also makes certain minor textual amendments.