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United Nations Sanctions (Libya) 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 (Libya) Regulation 2019 amended
The United Nations Sanctions (Libya) Regulation 2019 (Cap. 537 sub. leg. CF) is amended as set out in sections 2 to 8.

2. Section 1 amended (interpretation)

(1) Section 1, English text, definition of *connected person*, paragraph (a)—

Repeal

"Libyan Government"

Substitute

"Government of Libya".

(2) Section 1, definition of *Resolution 2146*—

Repeal

everything after "19 March"

Substitute

"2014—

(a) as amended by Resolution 2441 (2018) adopted by the Security Council on 5 November 2018 and Resolution 2509 (2020) adopted by the Security Council on 11 February 2020; and (b) as extended by Resolution 2571 (2021) adopted by the Security Council on 16 April 2021:".

(3) Section 1—

Repeal the definition of Libyan Government.

3. Section 1A amended (limited duration of certain provisions)

After section 1A(3)—

Add

"(4) Sections 4, 5, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 and 21 are in force during the period from the commencement of the United Nations Sanctions (Libya) Regulation 2019 (Amendment) Regulation 2021 until midnight on 30 July 2022."

4. Section 2 amended (supply of goods prohibited)

(1) Section 2(4)(b)(i), Chinese text, after "供應"—

Add

"的".

(2) Section 2(4)(b)(ii), Chinese text, after "對象"—Add

"的".

(3) Section 2(4)(b)(iii)(A), Chinese text, after "利比亞"—Add

"的".

(4) Section 2(4)(b)(iii)(B), Chinese text, after "對象"—

Add

"的".

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5. Section 3 amended (carriage of goods prohibited)

Section 3(3)(b), Chinese text—

Repeal

"有關的"

Substitute

"該項".

6. Section 5 amended (exceptions to prohibition under section 4)

Section 5(2)—

Repeal

everything after "focal point"

Substitute

"of the Government of Libya.".

7. Section 19 amended (licence for provision of assistance)

Section 19(2)(c), English text—

Repeal

"Libyan Government"

Substitute

"Government of Libya".

8. Section 20 amended (licence for making available or dealing with economic assets)

Section 20(9), English text—

Repeal

"Libyan Government" (wherever appearing)

Substitute

"Government of Libya".

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Explanatory Note

This Regulation amends the United Nations Sanctions (Libya) Regulation 2019 (Cap. 537 sub. leg. CF) (*principal Regulation*) to give effect to certain decisions in Resolution 2571 (2021) adopted by the Security Council of the United Nations on 16 April 2021.

- 2. Section 2(3) of the Regulation repeals the definition of *Libyan Government* in section 1 of the principal Regulation and sections 2(1), 6, 7 and 8 of the Regulation replace "Libyan Government" with "Government of Libya" wherever the former expression appears in the English text of the principal Regulation.
- 3. Section 3 of the Regulation amends section 1A of the principal Regulation to provide that sections 4, 5 (as amended by the Regulation), 10, 11, 13, 14, 15 and 21 of the principal Regulation (*relevant provisions*) are in force until midnight on 30 July 2022.
- 4. The relevant provisions relate to the prohibition against—
 - (a) the loading, transport or discharge of petroleum from Libya aboard certain ships;
 - (b) engaging in any financial transaction related to any petroleum from Libya aboard certain ships;
 - (c) the provision of certain services to ships under certain circumstances; and
 - (d) certain ships entering the HKSAR.
- 5. The Regulation also makes certain minor textual amendments.