

L.N. 214 of 2021

**Electronic Transactions (Exclusion) (Amendment)
Order 2021**

(Made by the Permanent Secretary for Innovation and Technology
under section 11(1) of the Electronic Transactions Ordinance
(Cap. 553))

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 29 October 2021.

2. Electronic Transactions (Exclusion) Order amended

The Electronic Transactions (Exclusion) Order (Cap. 553
sub. leg. B) is amended as set out in section 3.

**3. Schedule 1 amended (provisions excluded from application of
section 5 of Ordinance)**

Schedule 1—

Repeal item 38.

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Explanatory Note

Section 5 of the Electronic Transactions Ordinance (Cap. 553) (***Ordinance***) allows the use of an electronic record to satisfy a rule of law that requires or permits any information to be or given in writing. Schedule 1 to the Electronic Transactions (Exclusion) Order (Cap. 553 sub. leg. B) (***principal Order***) specifies the provisions that are excluded from the application of section 5 of the Ordinance.

2. This Order amends Schedule 1 to the principal Order to remove regulations 11(2) and 12(2) of the Reserved Commodities (Control of Imports, Exports and Reserve Stocks) Regulations (Cap. 296 sub. leg. A) from that Schedule, so that those regulations are no longer excluded from the application of section 5 of the Ordinance.