**Termination of Pregnancy Act**

**(CHAPTER 324)**

**Medical termination of pregnancy**

**3.**—(1) Subject to the provisions of this Act, no person shall be guilty of an offence

under the law relating to abortion when a pregnancy is terminated by an authorised

medical practitioner acting on the request of a pregnant woman and with her written

consent.

*[32/80]*

(2) Except as provided by section 10, every treatment to terminate pregnancy shall be carried out by an authorised medical practitioner in an approved institution.

*[26/2001 wef 01/09/2001]*

(3) No treatment to terminate pregnancy shall be carried out by an authorised medical

practitioner unless the pregnant woman —

(*a*) is a citizen of Singapore or is the wife of a citizen of Singapore;

(*b*) is the holder, or is the wife of a holder, of a work pass issued under the

Employment of Foreign Manpower Act (Cap. 91A); or

*[30/2007 wef 01/07/2007]*

(*c*) has been resident in Singapore for a period of at least 4 months

immediately preceding the date on which such treatment is to be carried

out,

but this subsection shall not apply to any treatment to terminate pregnancy which is

immediately necessary to save the life of the pregnant woman.

(4) Any person who contravenes or fails to comply with this section shall be guilty of

an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding $3,000 or to

imprisonment for a term not exceeding 3 years or to both.