

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT

Amendments to Air Navigation (101- Unmanned Aircraft Operations) Regulations 2019 on Cross-Border UA Operations

Please be informed that the Air Navigation (101 – Unmanned Aircraft Operations) (Amendment) Regulations 2023 has been published in the Government Gazette on 20 November 2023.

The amendments effect a new framework for cross-border UA operations. This new framework stipulates that cross-border UA flights are prohibited, except if the operator is issued with a relevant cross-border permit by the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS). Any UA operator found operating a UA into or out of Singapore illegally will be liable to prosecution by the authorities. The offence carries a penalty of a fine of up to \$50,000, an imprisonment term of up to two years, or both. The authorities will also have the powers to take down any unauthorised cross-border UA.

The Regulations come into effect on 21 November 2023, and can also be found at our [CAAS website](#).

Should you have any suggestions or comments on the AC, please do not hesitate to email your feedback to CAAS_Safety_Policy@caas.gov.sg.

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