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Defence Act (Chapter 74)

DEFENCE BOARD OF INQUIRY

I, Martin Aini, Minister for Defence, by virtue of the powers conferred by Section 51 of the *Defence Act (Chapter 74)* and Sections 2, 3 and 12 of the *Defence (Board of Inquiry Act)*, and all other powers me enabling, hereby amend the notice dated 4th day of December, 2006 and published in the *National Gazette* dated 7th December, 2006 (Gazette No. G223) as follows:—

- (a) That as the Minister responsible, it is no longer expedient that I should be informed of matters, the subject matter of the inquiry as specified in the Terms and Reference; and
- (b) That the Defence Board of Inquiry to report to me as soon as possible by Monday 26th February, 2007 at 4.06; and
- (c) That the time period of 8 weeks with which to complete the inquiry is sufficient time to conduct the inquiry; and
- (d) That accordingly, I direct that the Defence Board of Inquiry be ceased as of the date of the signature of this instrument, and the report of the inquiry be furnished to me forthwith.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 2007.

M. AINI,
Minister for Defence.