



# **Customs Legislation Amendment (Australia— Timor-Leste Defence Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2024**

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I, General the Honourable David Hurley AC DSC (Retd), Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, acting with the advice of the Federal Executive Council, make the following regulations.

Dated 11 April 2024

David Hurley  
Governor-General

By His Excellency's Command

Clare O'Neil  
Minister for Home Affairs

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## 1 Name

This instrument is the *Customs Legislation Amendment (Australia—Timor-Leste Defence Cooperation Agreement) Regulations 2024*.

## 2 Commencement

- (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information		
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Provisions	Commencement	Date/Details
1. The whole of this instrument	<p>The later of:</p> <p>(a) the day after this instrument is registered; and</p> <p>(b) the day the Agreement between the Government of Australia and the Government of the Democratic Republic of Timor-Leste on Cooperation in the Field of Defence and the Status of Visiting Forces, done at Canberra on 7 September 2022, comes into force for Australia.</p> <p>However, the provisions do not commence at all if the event mentioned in paragraph (b) does not occur.</p> <p>The Minister must announce, by notifiable instrument, the day the Agreement comes into force for Australia.</p>	

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

- (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under the *Customs Act 1901*.

## 4 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

## Schedule 1—Amendments

### *Customs (Prohibited Exports) Regulations 1958*

#### **1 After subparagraph 13EA(1)(a)(xiii)**

Insert:

(xiiia) Timor-Leste;

### *Customs (Prohibited Imports) Regulations 1956*

#### **2 After subparagraph 3A(a)(xiii)**

Insert:

(xiiia) Timor-Leste;