



**MINISTRY OF  
INVESTMENT, TRADE AND INDUSTRY**

**REQUIREMENT OF SPECIAL PERMIT FOR SOUTH SUDAN UNDER THE  
STRATEGIC TRADE ACT 2010 (STA 2010)**

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**PURPOSE**

1. This is to inform on the requirements for export, transit, and transshipment of strategic items for South Sudan under the Strategic Trade Act 2010 (STA 2010) and its subsidiary legislations.

**BACKGROUND**

2. Sudan is designated as a restricted end-user under the Strategic Trade (Restricted End-Users and Prohibited End-Users) Order 2010 (The Order), which requires a special permit for export, tranship or bring in transit of strategic items or unlisted items.
3. On 9 July 2011, South Sudan claimed its independence from Sudan. As this separation came later after the issuance of The Order in 2010, the same requirement designated to Sudan shall be applied to South Sudan. This is also consistent with the relevant United Nations Security Council Resolutions (UNSCRs) for both countries.

**REQUIREMENTS**

4. Any entity intends to export, tranship or bring in transit of strategic items or unlisted items to South Sudan is required to obtain a special permit, consistent with the requirements of The Order.

**Strategic Trade Secretariat**

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