

Intellectual Property Office of Singapore

Registry of Geographical Indications

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(Circular No. 1/2026, dated 31 July 2026)

The Schedule of the Geographical Indications Act 2014 has been amended to include “Coffee” as a category of goods. The amendment will come into operation on 1 August 2026.

The Registry of Geographical Indications will begin accepting geographical indications applications for “Coffee” with effect from 1 August 2026. Applications may be filed at the [IPOS Digital Hub](#). Applicants are advised to ensure that their applications are filed in accordance with the requirements set out under the Geographical Indications Act 2014 and Geographical Indications Rules 2019.

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