Legal Notice No. 207

## REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND FESTIVALS ACT, CHAP. 19:05

## REGULATIONS

Made by the President under section 5 of the Public Holidays and Festivals Act

## POINT FORTIN BOROUGH DAY (PROHIBITION OF GLASS BOTTLES) REGULATIONS, 2025

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Point Fortin Borough Day Citation (Prohibition of Glass Bottles) Regulations, 2025.
  - 2. In these Regulations—

Interpretation

- "designated area" means the area so specified under regulation 3(2);
- "festival" means the public festival known as Point Fortin Borough Day, declared a public festival under section 5(1) of the Act; Chap. 25:04
- "glass bottle" means a bottle which is made entirely or partly of glass;

"police officer" means—

- (a) a member of the Police Service within the meaning of section 5(11)(a) of the Act; or
- (b) a member of the Municipal Police Service established under section 48 of the Municipal Corporations Act; Chap. 19:05

"public place" means any highway, street, road, bridge, square, park or other open space, other than a beach, to which the public has or is generally or conditionally granted access; and

"the Act" means the Public Holidays and Festivals Act.

## 3. (1) A person shall not—

Prohibition of glass bottles

- (a) have a glass bottle in his possession;
- (b) use a glass bottle; or
- (c) carry a glass bottle,

in a public place, within a designated area on the day of the festival.

- (2) For the purposes of subregulation (1), "designated area" means the following streets within the Point Fortin Borough and includes all public places situated within the boundaries of those streets:
  - (a) Guapo-Cap-de-Ville Main Road;
  - (b) Bryce Road;
  - (c) Tanner Street;
  - (d) Wickham Street;
  - (e) Adventure Road;
  - (f) New Lands Main Road; and
  - (g) Richardson Street.
- (3) A person who contravenes subregulation (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one thousand dollars and to imprisonment for six months.
- (4) Subregulation 3 shall not apply to businesses operating within the designated area where glass bottles are kept for sale but not removed from premises.

Seizure and disposal of glass bottles

- 4. (1) Where a person is found committing an offence under regulation 3, a police officer may, without proceeding to arrest that person, seize and take away any glass bottle which that person has in his possession.
- (2) A glass bottle which is seized under subregulation (1) shall, in accordance with section 5(8) of the Act, be forfeited and kept in safe custody by the Police until disposed of in such manner as the Minister may direct.

Dated this 25th day of April, 2025.

C. HEMLEE Secretary to Cabinet