

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 313

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE EMERGENCY POWERS REGULATIONS, 2025

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOMELAND SECURITY IN ACCORDANCE
WITH PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE EMERGENCY POWERS
REGULATIONS, 2025

DETENTION ORDER

WHEREAS it is enacted by regulation 14 of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2025, that the provisions of the Schedule shall have effect for the purpose of the preventive detention of persons:

And whereas it is provided in paragraph 2 of the Schedule of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2025, that the Minister may, if satisfied with respect to any person that, with a view to preventing him from acting in any manner prejudicial to public safety and, it is necessary to provide for his preventive detention, make an order that he be detained and stating concisely the grounds for such detention:

And whereas it is further provided in paragraph 3(1) of the Schedule of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2025, that any person in respect of whom a detention order is in force may be arrested without warrant by any police officer and may be detained in such place and under such conditions as the Minister may from time to time direct:

And whereas I, the Honourable Roger Alexander, Minister of Homeland Security, am satisfied with respect to JAHEIM CHARLES also called “BRAD” of No. 16 North Post Road, Diego Martin, that it is necessary to provide for his preventive detention with a view to preventing him from acting in a manner prejudicial to public safety of Trinidad and Tobago:

Now, therefore, I, the Honourable Roger Alexander, Minister of Homeland Security, in exercise of the powers conferred on me, do hereby order that the said JAHEIM CHARLES also called “BRAD” of No. 16 North Post Road, Diego Martin, shall be detained, and do hereby

authorise the Eastern Correctional Rehabilitation Centre located at Santa Rosa, Arima, or such other place as I may from time to time direct, as the place where the said JAHEIM CHARLES also called “BRAD” of No. 16 North Post Road, Diego Martin, shall be detained and so kept in lawful custody.

Made this 15th day of August, 2025.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security

TAKE NOTICE that the grounds upon which this detention order is made are as follows:

The detainee, JAHEIM CHARLES also called “BRAD” (hereinafter referred to as “the detainee”), has credibly been identified as a member of an Organised Criminal Group (OCG) operating in Bagatelle and Diego Martin and conspired with other known criminal associates to carry out violent armed robberies in the Central Division. A search warrant executed at the home of the detainee found several stolen power tools, showing him to be a handler of stolen property. This illustrates the growing network and sophistication of the gang. His roles in past violent incidents and confirmed planning of imminent criminal acts involving use of violence and firearms establish a clear, present, and ongoing immediate threat to public safety. A Preventive Detention Order pursuant to regulation 14 of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2025, is needed as information indicates that he has and intends to act in a manner prejudicial to public safety.

Made this 15th day of August, 2025.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security