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SUPPLEMENT TO THIS ISSUE

THE DOCUMENTS detailed hereunder have been issued and are published as a Supplement to this issue of the *Trinidad and Tobago Gazette*:

Legal Supplement Part B—

Detention Order—(Legal Notice No. 404 of 2026).

Detention Order—(Legal Notice No. 405 of 2026).

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APPOINTMENT TO ACT AS MINISTER OF FOREIGN AND CARICOM AFFAIRS

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED for general information that Her Excellency the President, acting in accordance with the advice of the Prime Minister, in exercise of the power vested in her by section 79(2) of the Constitution of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, has appointed BARRY PADARATH, a member of the House of Representatives, who is a Minister, to act in the Office of the Honourable SEAN SOBERS, Minister of Foreign and CARICOM Affairs, with effect from 30th May, 2026 and continuing during the absence from Trinidad and Tobago of the Honourable Sean Sobers, M.P., in addition to the discharge of his normal duties.

C. JACKMAN-WALDRON
*Secretary to Her Excellency
the President*

2nd June, 2026.

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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

DESIGNATION NOTICE FOR THE PRINCES TOWN JUDICIAL CENTRE AND THE CHILDREN COURT SOUTH FOR CIVIL MATTERS

(Pursuant to Supreme Court of Judicature Act, Chap. 4:01 Section 74)

TAKE NOTICE that as of 8th June, 2026, the jurisdiction of the Supreme Court exercised in civil matters shall be exercised at the following locations:

- (i) the Princes Town Judicial Centre (located at 271, Naparima-Mayaro Road, Princes Town); and
- (ii) the Children Court South (located at Corner Delhi Road and Fyzabad Main Road, Fyzabad).

Dated this 2nd day of June, 2026.

R. BOODOOSINGH
Chief Justice



Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago
Office of the Attorney General

PUBLIC ADVISORY

State of Emergency Remains in Effect Until Midnight on June 17th, 2026

The Office of the Attorney General seeks to clarify misinformation currently circulating on certain social media platforms regarding the duration of the ongoing State of Public Emergency. Pursuant to the procedures established by the Constitution, the State of Emergency remains in effect until midnight on June 17th, 2026, and not June 3rd, 2026, as erroneously reported on these social media platforms.

The facts surrounding the State of Emergency are as follows:

1. By Legal Notice No. 39 of 2026, the President declared, by Proclamation, that a state of public emergency existed in Trinidad and Tobago with effect from March 3, 2026.
2. In accordance with section 9(2) of the Constitution, the Proclamation initially remained in force for fifteen days and would have expired at midnight on March 17, 2026 (the first day being March 3, 2026 and the fifteenth day being March 17, 2026).
3. In accordance with section 10(1) of the Constitution, the Proclamation was extended by a simple majority resolution of the House of Representatives on March 13, 2026 for a period of three months with effect from March 18, 2026 and ending at midnight on June 17, 2026.