

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 234

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE EMERGENCY POWERS REGULATIONS, 2026

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER OF HOMELAND SECURITY IN ACCORDANCE  
WITH PARAGRAPH 2 OF THE SCHEDULE TO THE EMERGENCY POWERS  
REGULATIONS, 2026

DETENTION ORDER

WHEREAS it is enacted by regulation 14 of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2026, 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, 2026, 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 that 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, 2026, 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 JYSIE HORNE also called “ZAZA” also called “CAT” of No. 7 Moraldo Trace, Maraval, 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:

Now, therefore, I, the Honourable Roger Alexander, Minister of Homeland Security, in exercise of the powers conferred upon me, do hereby order that the said JYSIE HORNE also called “ZAZA” also called “CAT” of No. 7 Moraldo Trace, Maraval, shall be detained at 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 JYSIE HORNE also called “ZAZA” also called “CAT” of No. 7 Moraldo Trace, Maraval, shall be detained and so kept in lawful custody.

Made this 19th day of April, 2026.

**R. ALEXANDER**  
*Minister of Homeland Security*

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

The detainee, JYSIE HORNE also called “ZAZA” also called “CAT” has been identified through confidential intelligence, investigative reporting, and surveillance as a high-ranking member within the organised criminal network operating in Maraval. The detainee receives and relays instructions from senior gang leadership and coordinates criminal operations. He is responsible for the stashing and movement of stolen vehicles, firearms and narcotics and supervises distribution of firearms and narcotics shipments and directs associates. He has been linked to extortion, provision of vehicles for retaliatory killings, and coordination of violent acts. The detainee operates within a network engaged in ongoing inter-gang conflict with risk of retaliatory violence. His operational role within the organisation demonstrates active participation in organised violence and criminal coordination. His continued liberty presents a significant and ongoing threat of organised armed violence, retaliation, and serious criminal activity which poses an imminent harm to public safety.

A Preventive Detention Order pursuant to regulation 14 of the Emergency Powers Regulations, 2026, is necessary to prevent him from acting in a manner prejudicial to public safety.

Made this 19th day of April, 2026.

**R. ALEXANDER**  
*Minister of Homeland Security*