



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

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H. E. RANCE,
Governor.

15th April, 1952.

AN ORDINANCE to make provisions for the application of the Diseases of Animals Ordinance to Poultry.

[24th April, 1952.]

Commence-
ment

ENACTED by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

Enactment

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Diseases of Animals (Poultry) Ordinance.

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2. (1) Subject to the provisions of this Ordinance, the Diseases of Animals Ordinance hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance shall have effect in relation to poultry as it has in relation to animals.

Application of Diseases of Animals Ordinance to poultry

(2) In this Ordinance unless the context otherwise requires—

- (a) the expression “poultry” means birds of the following species, that is to say, domestic fowls, turkeys, geese, ducks of any species, guinea fowls and pigeons; and
- (b) the expression “disease”, means, in relation to poultry, fowl pest in any of its forms including Newcastle disease and fowl plague: and,
- (c) for the purposes of the application of the Principal Ordinance to poultry, the definition of “animal” and of “disease” contained in section 2 of the said Ordinance shall not have effect, but reference in the said Ordinance to animals shall be construed as reference to poultry as defined in this subsection and reference therein to disease shall be construed as reference to disease as so defined:

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Provided that the Governor in Council may, for all or any of the purposes of this Ordinance and for the purposes of the application of all or any of the provisions of the Principal Ordinance to poultry, by order extend the definitions of “poultry” and “disease” contained in this subsection so that the same shall, for those purposes or any of them, comprise any species of bird and any disease of birds respectively, in addition to the species and diseases mentioned in the said definition.

Section 4 of Principal Ordinance not to relate to poultry

3. (1) Section 4 of the Principal Ordinance (which relates to the separation of diseased animals and notification of disease) shall not have effect in relation to poultry.

(2) The Governor in Council may by order prescribe and regulate the separation of diseased poultry from poultry not affected with disease and the notification of disease in, or illness of, poultry.

4. The power to make regulations conferred on the Governor ^{Power to make regulations} in Council by sections 13 and 14 of the Principal Ordinance shall include power to make for the purposes of preventing the introduction or spreading of disease, regulations—

- (a) for prohibiting or regulating the importation or bringing into the Colony of poultry; and
- (b) for prohibiting or regulating the importation or bringing into the Colony of poultry eggs intended for hatching, or the use for hatching of poultry eggs imported or brought into the Colony.

Passed in Council this fourth day of April in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

T. F. FARRELL
Clerk of the Council.