

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 503

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 her from acting in any manner prejudicial to public safety and that it is necessary to provide for her preventive detention, make an order that she 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 GENEVIEVE HADEED also called GENEVIERVE HADEED of No. 2 Orange Grove Estate, Trincity and also of No. 47 Western Circle, Westmoorings, that it is necessary to provide for her preventive detention with a view to preventing her 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 GENEVIEVE HADEED also called GENEVIERVE HADEED of No. 2 Orange Grove Estate, Trincity and

also of No. 47 Western Circle, Westmoorings, shall be detained at the Women's Prison, Golden Grove, or such other place as I may from time to time direct as the place where the said GENEVIEVE HADEED also called GENEVIERVE HADEED of No. 2 Orange Grove Estate, Trincity and also of No. 47 Western Circle, Westmoorings, shall be detained and so kept in lawful custody.

Made this 27th day of June, 2026.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security

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

The detainee, GENEVIEVE HADEED also called GENEVIERVE HADEED has been credibly identified as participating in an ongoing conspiracy directed at the assassination of members of the Government of Trinidad and Tobago. Intelligence indicates that the detainee made statements to the effect that the death of the Prime Minister, members of Government and members of Parliament were required following public statements made during the parliamentary debate on the extension of the State of Emergency. The intelligence further demonstrates that the detainee is associated with other persons involved in the conspiracy and that her continued liberty creates a substantial risk that plans to carry out acts of violence against members of the Government may proceed. These threats, viewed in the context of the ongoing State of Emergency and the surrounding intelligence, constitute a direct threat to public safety and national security.

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

Made this 27th day of June, 2026.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security