

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 529

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 DILLON PRINCE also known as DILLION PRINCE also known as DILLON BEVON PRINCE of 122, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 213, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 238, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 51, Caura Royal Road, Caura and also of Building No. 15, Apartment A, 4th Avenue, Oropune Gardens, Piarco, 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 DILLON PRINCE also known as DILLION PRINCE also known as DILLON BEVON PRINCE of 122, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 213, Eastern Main Road,

El Dorado and also of 238, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 51, Caura Royal Road, Caura and also of Building No. 15, Apartment A, 4th Avenue, Oropune Gardens, Piarco, shall be detained at the Remand Prison, Golden Grove, Arouca, or such other place as I may from time to time direct as the place where the said DILLON PRINCE also known as DILLION PRINCE also known as DILLON BEVON PRINCE of 122, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 213, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 238, Eastern Main Road, El Dorado and also of 51, Caura Royal Road, Caura and also of Building No. 15, Apartment A, 4th Avenue, Oropune Gardens, Piarco, shall be detained and so kept in lawful custody.

Made this 4th day of July, 2026.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security

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

The detainee, DILLON PRINCE also known as DILLION PRINCE also known as DILLON BEVON PRINCE has been credibly identified through confidential intelligence as a member of an Informal Crime Group ('ICG') operating in the Oropune Gardens area and environs. The ICG has confirmed access to firearms and ammunition and has confirmed links to larger Organised Crime Groups in the area. The ICG is engaged in trafficking of narcotics and firearms, shootings, assault and intimidation of witnesses. A firearm and ammunition was recently found at premises connected to the detainee and he has been identified through confidential intelligence to be a main actor in the supply and sale of illegal narcotics in the area. Confidential intelligence indicates that the detainee is the leader of the ICG and he and others are actively involved in plans to imminently escalate attacks on rival gangs using firearms in public spaces.

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

Made this 4th day of July, 2026.

R. ALEXANDER
Minister of Homeland Security