
Third Session First Parliament Republic of Trinidad
and Tobago



REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 45 of 1978

[L.S.]

AN ACT to provide for the validation of all acts and things purported to be done under or in pursuance of the West Indies Shipping Corporation Act, 1977 and for the bringing into force of that Act.

[Assented to 13th December, 1978]

WHEREAS it is provided by section 10 of the West Indies Shipping Corporation Act, 1977 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") that the Act should come into operation

on such date as the President may appoint by Proclamation published in the *Gazette* :

And whereas no Proclamation has been made appointing a commencement date :

And whereas in purported exercise of the powers conferred under the Act various acts have been done or omitted to be done :

And whereas it is now necessary and expedient to validate all acts and things purported to be done under or in pursuance of the Act :

Enactment

ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as follows :—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as the West Indies Shipping Corporation (Validation and Commencement) Act, 1978.

Validation of acts done in pursuance of Act No. 17 of 1977

2. Notwithstanding any rule of law to the contrary including in particular section 10 of the Act, it is declared that all acts and things purported to be done or omitted to be done by any person or authority under or in pursuance of the powers conferred by the Act are deemed to have been lawfully and validly done or omitted to be done and no legal proceedings or other action of any kind shall be entertained in respect of or in consequence of such acts or things.

Commencement of the Act

3. The Act shall come into operation contemporaneously with the commencement of this Act.

Repeal of section 10 of the Act

4. Section 10 of the Act is repealed.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 10th day of November, 1978.

J. E. CARTER
Clerk of the House

Passed in the Senate this 28th day of November, 1978.

R. GRIFFITH
Clerk of the Senate