

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 4.—1916.

I ASSENT,

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S. W. KNAGGS,
Acting Governor.

22nd March, 1916.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the extension of the restrictions relating to Trading with the Enemy to persons to whom, though not resident or carrying on business in Enemy territory, it is by reason of their Enemy nationality or Enemy associations expedient to extend such restrictions.

[22nd March, 1916.]

BE it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows :—

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Trading with the Enemy (Extension of Powers) Ordinance, 1916.

Short Title.

2.—(1.) The Governor in Executive Council may by proclamation in the *Royal Gazette* prohibit all persons or bodies of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, resident, carrying on business, or being in this Colony from trading with any persons or bodies of persons not resident or carrying on business in enemy territory or in territory in the occupation of the enemy (other than persons or bodies

Power to prohibit trading with persons of enemy nationality, etc.

of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, residing or carrying on business solely within His Majesty's Dominions) wherever by reason of the enemy nationality or enemy association of such persons or bodies of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, it appears to the Governor in Executive Council expedient so to do, and if any person acts in contravention of any such proclamation he shall be guilty of a misdemeanour triable and punishable in like manner as the offence of Trading with the Enemy.

(2.) Any list of persons and bodies of persons, incorporated or unincorporated, with whom such trading is prohibited by a proclamation under this Ordinance may be varied or added to by the Governor in Executive Council by proclamation in the *Royal Gazette*.

(3.) The provisions of the Trading with the Enemy (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1915, (No. 3—1915), and of the Customs (War powers) Ordinances 1915 and 1916, and all other enactments relating to trading with the enemy, shall, subject to such exceptions and adaptations as may be prescribed by the Governor in Executive Council by proclamation in the *Royal Gazette*, apply in respect of such persons and bodies of persons as aforesaid as if for references therein to trading with the enemy there were substituted references to trading with such persons and bodies of persons as aforesaid, and for references to enemies there were substituted references to such persons and bodies of persons as aforesaid, and for references to offences under the Trading with the Enemy (Consolidation) Ordinance, 1915, there were substituted references to offences under this Ordinance.

(4.) The production of a copy of the *Royal Gazette* containing any such proclamation as is mentioned in the three last preceding sub-sections shall be *prima facie* evidence in all Courts and for all purposes whatsoever of the due making and tenor of any such proclamation.

(5.) For the purposes of this Ordinance, a person shall be deemed to have traded with a person or body of persons to whom a proclamation issued under this Ordinance applies, if he enters into any transaction or does any act with, to, or on behalf of, or for the benefit of, such a person

or body of persons, which, if entered into or done with, to, or on behalf of, or for the benefit of, an enemy, would be trading with the enemy.

Passed in Council this Seventeenth day of March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

J. M. FARFAN,
Acting Clerk of the Council.
