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W. J. BOOS

*Governor's Deputy.*

30th December, 1957.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Marketing Board Ordinance,  
Ch. 23. No. 8.

[On Proclamation] No. 1/1958: G.N. 5/1958

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

1. (1) This Ordinance may be cited as the Marketing Board  
(Amendment) Ordinance, 1957, and shall be read as one with  
the Marketing Board Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the  
Principal Ordinance.

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(2) This Ordinance shall come into operation on a day to be appointed by the Governor by proclamation in the *Royal Gazette*.

New section 1A  
inserted in  
Principal  
Ordinance

2. The following section to be numbered 1A shall be inserted immediately before section 2 of the Principal Ordinance:—

"Interpretation

1A. In this Ordinance—

"the Board" means the Marketing Board as established by this Ordinance;

"Chairman" includes any person appointed or elected under this Ordinance to act as Chairman;

"member" includes Chairman;

"Minister" means the member of the Executive Council for the time being charged with the administration of matters pertaining to agriculture."

Section 2 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
repealed and  
replaced.

3. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced by the following:—

"Establishment  
and composi-  
tion of the  
Board.

2. (1) There shall be established for the purposes of this Ordinance a Board to be called the Marketing Board.

(2) The Board shall consist of nine members. Six of such members shall be appointed by the Governor in Council, and the remaining three shall be as follows—

(a) the Director of Agriculture or any other senior officer of the Department of Agriculture acting for him at his request;

(b) the Accountant General; and

(c) the Marketing Officer.

(3) The Board shall be a body corporate under the name of the Marketing Board with perpetual succession and a common seal which shall be officially and judicially noticed and shall be authenticated by the signatures of the Chairman or of any two members of the Board authorised by the Board to act in that behalf.

(4) The Governor in Council shall appoint one of the members of the Board who appears to him to have the appropriate commercial qualifications to be Chairman of the Board:

Provided that the members of the Board referred to in paragraphs (a), (b) and (c) of subsection (2) of this section shall not be eligible for appointment as Chairman of the Board."

4. Section 13 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended— Section 13 of Principal Ordinance amended.
- (a) in subsection (1), by substituting for the words "Colonial Secretary" occurring in the last line thereof the word "Minister";
- (b) in subsection (2), by substituting for the word "Governor" occurring in the first line thereof the word "Minister".
5. Section 14 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended— Section 14 of Principal Ordinance amended.
- (a) in subsection (6), by substituting for the word "appoint" occurring in the second line thereof the word "elect";
- (b) in subsection (7), by substituting for the words "Colonial Secretary" occurring in the last line thereof the word "Minister".

6. Section 16 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and replaced as follows :— Section 16 of Principal Ordinance repealed and replaced.

"Appointment of officers, agents and servants.

16. (1) The Board may appoint and employ at such remuneration and on such terms as they think fit a General Manager, a Secretary, and such officers, agents and servants as they consider necessary for the proper carrying out of the provisions of this Ordinance and may require any officer and servant so appointed to give such security as may be deemed proper for the due execution of his duties.

(2) The person appointed to be General Manager of the Board shall be a person who appears to the Board to have the appropriate technical, commercial and administrative qualifications.

(3) The appointment of the General Manager, who shall be the chief executive officer of the Board, shall be subject to the approval of the Governor in Council."

Passed in Council this twentieth day of December, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven.

G. E. L. LAFOREST  
Clerk of the Council.