

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO,

No. 5—1928.

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H. A. BYATT,
Governor.

18th April, 1928.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Public Health Ordinance.

[18th April, 1928.]

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 Public Health Short title. (Amendment) Ordinance, 1928, and shall be read as one Construction. with the Public Health Ordinance, hereinafter referred to Cap. 98. as the Principal Ordinance.

2. Sub-section (1) of section 107 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by striking out the words "unless such Amendment of s. 107 (1) of Cap. 98. premises are a hospital in which only persons suffering from infectious disease are received."

Amendment
of s. 109 of
Cap. 98.

3. Section 109 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by the addition of the following words at the end thereof :

“ whether the case occurs in his private practice or
“ in his practice as a government medical
“ officer.”

Non-
disqualifica-
tion of medical
officer by
receipt of fees.

4. The following shall be inserted as section 109A of the Principal Ordinance :—

109A. A payment made to any medical practitioner in pursuance of this Ordinance shall not disqualify that practitioner for serving as a member of a local authority or municipal council.

Where a medical practitioner attending on a patient is himself the medical officer of health of the district, he shall be entitled to the fee to which he would be entitled if he were not such medical officer.

Registration
of shops where
food is sold
and of persons
selling food.

5. Section 156 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding thereto the following paragraphs :—

(7) The registration of retail shops and places where any article of food, whether solid or liquid, cooked or uncooked, intended for human consumption, is sold, exposed or offered for sale, or deposited for the purpose of sale or of preparation for sale.

(8) The registration of all persons conveying or delivering from house to house, for purposes of sale, selling or offering for sale outside of any building or in any street, square or other public place, any foodstuffs, bread, cakes, pastry or other confectionery, cooked food, sweet drinks, ices or other solid or liquid refreshments ; and the issue of badges denoting registration to such persons.

(9) The cancellation of registration for breaches of bye-laws.

- (10) The providing that any person registered under any bye-laws made under this section shall carry and exhibit his badge of registration when lawfully required.
- (11) The charging of fees for the badges mentioned in this section.
- (12) The securing of the cleanliness of all persons registered under this section, or employed in retail shops registered under this section.
- (13) The securing of the cleanliness of all appliances, utensils, instruments, vessels and accessories used in connection with the businesses described in paragraph (8) hereof.
- (14) The prohibition of the sale within the district of any local authority of any article of food whether solid or liquid, cooked or uncooked, intended for human consumption, supplied from any retail shops or places outside the district of such local authority with respect to which any bye-laws made under this section are not observed.

6. The following shall be inserted as section 156A of the Duration of registration.
Principal Ordinance :—

156A. Every registration under section 156 of this Ordinance shall, unless cancelled, be and continue in force from the date of its issue until the 31st day of December next thereafter.

Passed in Council this thirteenth day of April, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight.

E. F. AANENSEN,
Acting Clerk of the Council.