



## TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

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I ASSENT,

HUBERT YOUNG,

*Governor.*

16th May, 1940.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Weights and Measures  
Ordinance, 1939.

[25th May, 1940.]

Commencement.

**E**NACTED by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago  
with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council  
thereof.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Weights and Measures (Amendment) Ordinance 1940, and shall be construed as one with the Weights and Measures Ordinance 1939, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

Short title.  
Construction.  
No. 7 of 1939.

Section 2 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended.

2. Section 2 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by deleting the definitions of "gallon", "pound avoirdupois", and "yard" and substituting therefor the following :

"gallon" means a measure of capacity equal to the capacity of the Imperial gallon as defined by the Weights and Measures Act, 1878 ;

"pound avoirdupois" means a measure of weight equal to the weight of the Imperial Standard Pound as defined by the Weights and Measures Act, 1878 ;

"yard" means a measure of length equal to the length of the Imperial Standard Yard as defined by the Weights and Measures Act, 1878 ;

and by inserting therein the following definitions :

"purchaser" includes any person acting on behalf of the purchaser ;

"pre-packed article" means any article which is packed or made up in advance ready for retail sale in a wrapper or container, and where any article packed or made up in a wrapper or container is found on any premises where such articles are packed, kept or stored for sale, the articles shall be deemed to be packed or made up in advance ready for retail sale unless the contrary is proved.

Section 13 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended.

3. Section 13 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the words "or apothecaries weight".

Section 14 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended.

4. Section 14 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the words "except the things permitted to be measured by apothecaries measure".

Section 16 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended.

5. Section 16 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by inserting the words "or apothecaries weight," between the words "weight" and "shall" in the fifth line of the said section and also between the words "weight" and "and" in the sixth line of the said section.

6. Section 52 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by deleting the words occurring after the word "dealings" in the said section.

Section 52 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended.

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

W. E. BOARDMAN,  
*Clerk of the Council.*