

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 267

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 8 of 2004.

By His Excellency Professor GEORGE MAXWELL RICHARDS,
T.C., C.M.T., PH. D., President and Commander-in-
Chief of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago.

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GEORGE M. RICHARDS
President

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS section 238(1) of the Defence Act, Chap. 14:01 provides, among other things, that the President may call out the Volunteer Defence Force or any portion of it for actual military service with their arms and ammunition, in aid of the civil power in any case in which a riot, disturbance of the peace, or other emergency requiring such service occurs, or is, in the opinion of the President, anticipated as likely to occur, and in either case to be beyond the powers of the civil authorities to suppress, or to prevent, or deal with:

And whereas members of the Defence Force are being deployed to Grenada to provide disaster relief and humanitarian assistance to the citizens of Grenada in the aftermath of Hurricane Ivan, and in order to ensure that the day-to-day operations of the Defence Force are not disrupted:

And whereas the Defence Force is currently conducting Joint Patrols with the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service, and in the opinion of the President, a disturbance at this time is likely to be beyond the powers of the civil authorities to suppress, or to prevent, or deal with:

Now, therefore, I, GEORGE MAXWELL RICHARDS, President as aforesaid, hereby call out for a period of ninety days commencing 17th September, 2004, two officers and fifty-eight men of the Trinidad and Tobago Volunteer Defence Force for actual military service with their arms and ammunition, in aid of the civil power in the maintenance of peace and public order in Trinidad and Tobago.

Given under my Hand and the Seal
of the President of the Republic
of Trinidad and Tobago, at the Office
of the President, St. Ann's, this
17th day of September, 2004.