
First Session First Parliament Republic of Trinidad
and Tobago



REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 4 of 1977

[L.S.]

AN ACT to amend the Births and Deaths Registration
Ordinance, Ch. 29. No. 1.

[Assented to 24th February, 1977]

ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as Enactment
follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the Births and Deaths Short title
Registration (Amendment) Act, 1977,

Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance amended. Ch. 29. No. 1

2. The Births and Deaths Registration Ordinance is amended—

(a) by inserting the following section immediately after section 12—

“Allowances for use of premises

Fourth Schedule

12A. Every Registrar shall be paid an allowance for the use of his premises at the rate set out in the Fourth Schedule hereto or at such other rate as may from time to time be prescribed by the President and published in the *Gazette*.”;

(b)(i) by renumbering section 42 as 42(1);

(ii) by adding thereto the following subsection:—

“ (2) The Comptroller of Accounts shall pay to a Registrar for each copy of an entry of birth or death made under subsection (1) an allowance at the rate of eight cents each or at such other rate as may from time to time be prescribed by the President and published in the *Gazette*.”;

(c) by adding the following Schedule:—

“FOURTH SCHEDULE

(Section 12A)

Allowances payable for use of premises

<i>District</i>	<i>Allowance per month</i>
	\$
North-east, Port-of-Spain	30
South-east, Port-of-Spain	30
Central Port-of-Spain	30
North-west and South-west Port of-Spain ...	30
St. James, Port-of-Spain	30
St. Joseph Road, Laventille East	30
St. Ann's	30
St. Joseph Town and Ward	30
Tunapuna	30
St. Mary's and Paradise	30
Arima Town and Arima East	30
Chaguanas North	30

	\$
Sangre Grande and Manzanilla West ...	30
Tamana North	30
San Fernando South	30
Pointe-a-Pierre South	30
Union Naparima North	30
Princes Town	30
Point Fortin	30
Tobago Windward	30
Tobago Middle	30
All other districts	18."

3. Notwithstanding any rule of law to the contrary ^{Validation} all acts and things done or omitted to be done before the commencement of this Act by any person with respect to the payment of fees and allowances to Registrars which would have been lawful if this Act had then been in force shall be deemed to have been lawfully done or omitted and no action, suit or other proceeding whatsoever whether now pending or not, shall lie or be maintained, pursued or continued in respect of such acts or things.

4. This Act shall be deemed to have come into ^{Commencement} operation on the 1st January, 1975.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 14th day of January, 1977.

J. E. CARTER
Clerk of the House

Passed in the Senate this 1st day of February, 1977.

R. L. GRIFFITH
Clerk of the Senate