
**Fourth Session Third Parliament Republic of Trinidad
and Tobago**



REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 3 of 1990

[L.S.]

AN ACT for the Incorporation of "MIZPEH" Half Way
House and for matters incidental thereto.

[Assented to 19th April, 1990]

WHEREAS there has been established in Trinidad and Tobago Preamble
an organisation known as "MIZPEH" Half Way House.

And whereas it is expedient that the said "MIZPEH" Half Way House be incorporated for the purpose of exercising the powers hereinafter set forth:

- Enactment** ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as follows:—
- Short title** 1. This Act may be cited as the "MIZPEH" Half Way House (Incorporation) Act, 1990.
- Incorporation** 2. The "MIZPEH" Half Way House (hereinafter called "MIZPEH") is hereby created a body corporate.
- Aims and objectives** 3. The aims and objects of "MIZPEH" are to—
- (a) provide a programme of counselling, re-education and therapy for troubled young adults and women generally;
 - (b) utilise techniques and methodologies for the re-direction of such troubled young adults and older women as are based upon the Gospel of Jesus Christ;
 - (c) re-integrate the whole person into meaningful social relationships by effecting emotional, intellectual and spiritual adjustments;
 - (d) foster, feed, clothe or otherwise care and provide for poor, underprivileged, destitute, abandoned and abused young adults and women generally;
 - (e) provide volunteer training in and to create avenues for self-employment;
 - (f) commission, train and otherwise orient persons to assist in the implementation of "MIZPEH" general ministries;
 - (g) receive, request, collect monies, subscriptions and any real or personal property by way of gift or otherwise for carrying out the work of "MIZPEH";
 - (h) establish instruction houses as are necessary to operate effectively;
 - (i) organise and conduct seminars to educate young adult and women generally on what God intended they should be according to the Bible;
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(j) organise and take part in charitable activities to assist in the financial upkeep of "MIZPEH"; and

(k) do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

4. "MIZPEH" shall have power—

Powers of
"MIZPEH"

(a) to acquire by purchase, transfer, donation, exchange, demise, bequest, grant, gift, conveyance or howsoever otherwise, any real or personal property or any estate or interest therein;

(b) to accept surrenders or reconveyances and to enter into contracts; and

(c) to sell, exchange, demise, mortgage, or otherwise dispose of and deal with all property which may for the time being be vested in it, subject to any restraint, reservation or condition contained in the document under which it has acquired title.

5. All real and personal property now held by or vested in any person for the use and benefit of "MIZPEH" is hereby transferred to and vested in "MIZPEH".

Transfer and
Vesting of
Property

6. All documents requiring the seal of "MIZPEH" shall be sealed with its common seal in the presence of the General Director and Secretary for the time being in office (or in the event of incapacity, by some other person or persons authorised for that purpose by "MIZPEH") who shall both sign every such document and such signing shall be *prima facie* evidence that the said seal was duly affixed and that the same is the lawful seal of "MIZPEH".

Mode of execution
of documents

7. (1) "MIZPEH" shall at all times have a fixed address for the service of documents on it and that address and any change thereof shall be registered with the Registrar General within twenty-eight days of the date of incorporation or change of address as the case may be.

Service of
documents

(2) Every document to be served on "MIZPEH" may be served by leaving the same at, or by sending the same by registered post to, the registered address of "MIZPEH".

(3) Failure to register the address and any change thereof is a summary offence and renders "MIZPEH" liable to a fine of one hundred and twenty dollars and to a further fine of ten dollars for each day during which the offence continues after conviction thereof.

Power to make
rules

8. "MIZPEH" may from time to time make rules and regulations for the proper conduct of its proceedings and discharge of its duties, powers and functions with power to vary or revoke such rules and regulations.

Saving of State
and other rights

9. Nothing in this Act shall affect or be deemed to affect the rights of the State, or of any bodies politic or corporate or of any persons, except such as are mentioned or referred to in this Act and those claiming by, through, from or under them.

Passed in the House of Representatives this 26th day of January, 1990.

N. COX
Acting Clerk of the House

Passed in the Senate this 13th day of March, 1990.

R. CUMBERBATCH
Acting Clerk of the Senate