



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 32—1954

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I ASSENT,

M. H. DORMAN,  
*Acting Governor.*

4th June, 1954.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Marketing Board Ordinance,  
Ch. 23. No. 8.

Commencement

[10th June, 1954]

Enactment

ENACTED by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof.

Short title

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Marketing Board (Amendment) Ordinance, 1954, and shall be read as one with the Marketing Board Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

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2. Subsection (3) of section 4 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by substituting for the words "Gros Michel bananas" occurring in line two thereof the words "bananas and plantains".

Section 4 (3) of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended

3. Section 7 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

Section 7 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended

(a) by substituting for the marginal note thereto the words "Restriction on export of bananas and plantains to certain places"; and

(b) by substituting for subsection (1) thereof the following:—

"(1) No person shall export or cause to be exported any bananas or plantains from the Colony to any place other than a British West Indian Colony, British Guiana or British Honduras, except by or with the written permission of the Board."

4. Section 8 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

Section 8 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended

(a) by substituting for the marginal note thereto the words "Persons delivering bananas and plantains to the Board to comply with directions"; and

(b) by substituting for the words "Gros Michel bananas" occurring therein the words "bananas or plantains".

5. Section 9 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended—

Section 9 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
amended

(a) by substituting for the marginal note thereto the words "Bananas and plantains accepted by the Board to be deemed the property of the Board";

(b) by substituting for the words "Gros Michel bananas" occurring in line one thereof the words "bananas or plantains"; and

(c) by inserting immediately after the word "bananas" where it occurs in line four and in line eight respectively the words "or plantains".

6. Section 10 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

Section 10 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
repealed and  
replaced

"Powers of  
Board with  
regard to  
bananas and  
plantains

10. The Board may establish depots and agencies for the purchase, delivery and grading of bananas and plantains, and may enter into contracts for the sale, purchase, delivery, stowage on board ship and transport thereof upon such terms and conditions as the Board may think fit, and generally may take such other steps with regard thereto as the Board may deem to be expedient, and, without prejudice to the

generality of the foregoing powers, may with regard to bananas and plantains to be delivered to the Board, regulate and control—

- (a) the giving of cutting notices to growers;
- (b) the grading, selection and rejection of bananas and plantains;
- (c) the disposal of rejected bananas and plantains;
- (d) the handling, export and marketing of bananas and plantains;
- (e) the transport of bananas and plantains to the port of shipment; and
- (f) the prices to be paid for bananas and plantains delivered at depots or agencies in Port-of-Spain and the charges for transport of bananas and plantains to Port-of-Spain.”

Section 11 of  
Principal  
Ordinance  
repealed and  
replaced

7. Section 11 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following substituted therefor:—

“Power of  
entry into  
banana  
plantation

11. The Board or any officer or servant of the Board or any other person authorised in writing by the Board for the purpose shall at all reasonable hours have the right to enter into any banana or plantain plantation for the purpose of determining the variety or quantity of bananas or plantains grown thereupon or the condition or method of cultivation, cutting or reaping, or for any other purpose of the Board.”

Section 23 (1)  
of Principal  
Ordinance  
amended

8. Subsection (1) of section 23 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by substituting for the words “Gros Michel bananas” occurring in line five thereof the words “bananas and plantains”.

Passed in Council this twenty-first day of May, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four.

T. F. FARRELL  
*Clerk of the Council*