



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 16—1960

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I ASSENT,

W. J. BOOS

Governor's Deputy

24th August, 1960.

AN ORDINANCE for the incorporation of certain persons as Trustees of the Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly in the Territory.

[1st September, 1960]

Commence-
ment.

WHEREAS a representative body of the members of The Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly, commonly known as and designated "Spiritual Baptists" has been constituted, consisting of the members and Lay Elders elected by the Sessions of the several congregations of the said Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly in the Territory.

And Whereas Bury Oswald Taylor of Los Bajos, Palo Seco, Felix Alexander of Sobo, La Brea and Alexander Jerrell of Gowers Well Road, Fyzabad, have been elected and appointed Trustees of the said Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly :

And Whereas it is expedient that the Trustees for the time being of the said Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly should be incorporated and should have the power to hold lands and other property in trust for the said Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly :

Enactment.

Be it enacted by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows :—

Short title

1. This Ordinance may be cited as The Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly (Incorporation) Ordinance, 1960.

Incorporation of Trustees.

2. The said Bury Oswald Taylor, Felix Alexander and Alexander Jerrell and their Successors in Office as such Trustees as aforesaid shall be and are hereby created a body corporate by the name of "The Independent Spiritual Baptist Assembly" (hereinafter called "The Incorporated Trustees") and by that name shall have perpetual succession and shall and may sue and be sued in all Courts of Justice in the Territory and shall have and use a common seal which may from time to time be changed by The Incorporated Trustees.

Trustees may acquire property.

3. The Incorporated Trustees shall have full power to acquire for the Assembly by purchase, transfer, exchange, devise, demise, grant, gift, bequest or otherwise, all lands or other property of what nature or kind soever in perpetuity or for a life or lives or for any term of years, and also any money, securities for money, goods or chattels whatsoever; and to take, hold and enjoy the same and subject also to the performance of any trust upon which the said lands or other property money, securities for money, goods or chattels may have been acquired.

Trustees may dispose of property.

4. It shall be lawful for the Incorporated Trustees for the time being from time to time by deed under their seal to sell, demise, grant, convey, transfer, exchange, surrender or otherwise dispose of any lands or other property by this Ordinance vested or which may hereafter be vested in such Incorporated Trustees, upon such terms as the said Incorporated Trustees may deem fit.

Provided always that no lands or other property acquired with public money prior to the commencement of this Ordinance shall be disposed of except with the consent of the Governor.

5. It shall be lawful for the Trustees subject to the performance of any trust as aforesaid, to borrow money, and, for the repayment of the same, by deed under their seal to give and execute mortgages, charges, pledges or other securities of their real or personal property or to make any such arrangements as they may consider expedient, with such covenants, powers and provisions as they may think proper.

Trustees may borrow money and give mortgages.

6. All deeds, and other documents requiring the seal of the Trustees shall be sealed with the common seal of the Trustees in the presence of at least two of the Trustees who shall sign every such deed or other document to which the common seal is affixed and such signing shall be prima facie evidence that the said seal was duly and properly affixed and that the same is the lawful seal of the Trustees.

Execution of deeds, etc.

7. The Incorporated Trustees shall at all times have a fixed address in Trinidad and Tobago for the service of documents on them and such address shall be registered with the Registrar General. All documents to be served on the Incorporated Trustees may be served by leaving the same at, or sending the same by registered post to the address so registered.

Service of documents on the Trustees.

8. Nothing in this Ordinance shall affect or be deemed to affect the rights of Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors or of any bodies politic or corporate or of any other persons except such as are mentioned in this Ordinance and those claiming by, from or under them.

Saving of Crown or other rights

Passed in Council this seventeenth day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and sixty.

G. R. LATOUR
Clerk of the Council.