



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO  
**Act No. 26 of 1965**

[L.S.]

AN ACT to provide for the incorporation of a body to be known as The Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies.

*[Assented to 6th November, 1965]*

WHEREAS a representative body of the members of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada in Trinidad and Tobago (hereinafter called the Church Council) has been constituted, consisting of a chairman, being for the time being the local Superintendent of the Assembly in the Caribbean or in his absence his nominee and representatives of the various churches of The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada in the area. Preamble

And whereas William Patrick Ryan of 85, Tunapuna Road, Tunapuna, by virtue of his office of Superintendent in the area and St. Clair Knights of 38, Second Street, San Juan, Assistant Superintendent, Lawrence Ulseth of San Fernando, Secretary-Treasurer, Timothy Browne of Eastern Main Road, El Dorado, Field Presbyter and Cyril Daniel of Point Fortin, Field Presbyter, have been appointed Trustees of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies in the area by the said Church Council.

And whereas the said Trustees so appointed have been requested and they have agreed to accept office as such Trustees to represent the said Pentecostal Assemblies in the area and to hold property for any of the uses or purposes of The Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies in the area.

And whereas it is expedient that the Trustees for the time being of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies should be incorporated and should have powers to hold lands and other property in trust for the said body.

Enactment

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Representatives of Trinidad and Tobago, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

Short title

1. This Act may be cited as The Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies Incorporation Act, 1965.

Incorporation

2. The Reverend William Patrick Ryan and his successors in office as Superintendent of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada in Trinidad and Tobago, and St. Clair Knights as Assistant Superintendent, Lawrence Ulseth as Secretary-Treasurer, Timothy Browne as Field Presbyter and Cyril Daniel as Field Presbyter and their successors in office as Trustees of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies in the said Territory shall be and are hereby created a body corporate by the name of "The St. Clair Knights as Assistant Superintendent, Lawrence Ulseth as Secretary-Treasurer, Timothy Browne as Field Presbyter and Cyril Daniel as Field Presbyter and their successors in office as Trustees of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the West Indies in the said Territory" (hereinafter called "the Corporation") and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and shall and may sue and be sued in all Courts of Justice in Trinidad and Tobago, and shall have and use a Common Seal, which may from time to time be changed. Such seal shall be used only in the presence of at least two members, and shall not be changed

except by resolution of the Church Council at a meeting held for the purpose, such resolution to be published in the *Trinidad and Tobago Gazette* as soon after such meeting as possible.

3. All property real and personal of what nature soever <sup>Vesting property</sup> in Trinidad and Tobago now vested in The Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada shall be and the same is hereby vested in the Corporation.

4. The Corporation shall, subject to the rules, regula- <sup>Powers of</sup> tions and control of the Church Council, have full power <sup>corporation</sup> from time to time :—

- (a) to acquire by purchase, exchange, demise, gift, bequest or otherwise real and personal property or any estate or interest therein and also any money, securities for money, goods or chattels whatsoever;
- (b) by deed under their seal to sell, demise, grant, convey, exchange, surrender or otherwise dispose of any property vested or which may hereafter be vested in them;
- (c) 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 or assurances of their real and personal property or to make such arrangements as they may consider expedient with such covenants, powers and provisions as they may think proper.

5. (a) The Corporation shall at all times have a fixed address for the service of documents on the Corporation and such address and any change thereof shall be registered with the Registrar General; such covenants, powers and provisions as they may think proper.

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(b) Any document may be served on the Corporation by leaving the same at, or by sending the same by registered post to, the address as registered under subsection (a) of this section.

6. Nothing in this Act shall affect or be deemed to affect the rights of Her Majesty or of any bodies politic or corporate or of any other 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 8th day of October, 1965.

G. R. LATOUR  
*Clerk of the House of Representatives*

Passed in the Senate this 19th day of October, 1965.

J. E. CARTER  
*Clerk of the Senate*