

Passed in Council this first day of November, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight.

CHARLES F. CADIZ,  
*Acting Clerk of Council.*

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No. 1.—1859.

*1st February.*

AN ORDINANCE to authorise the granting of Leave of Absence to Town Clerks and Treasurers of Boroughs.

ROB. W. KEATE.

**B**E it enacted by His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Council of Government:

1. That whenever it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Council of any Borough that the state of health or the private affairs of the Town Clerk and Treasurer of the Boroughs respectively require that leave of absence should be granted to such Town Clerk and Treasurer, it shall be lawful for the Council of such Borough upon the accounts of such Town Clerk and Treasurer being audited and found correct, to grant such leave of absence to such Town Clerk and Treasurer of the Borough for such period of time not exceeding nine months as to the said Council may seem meet, and in every such case the Council of such Borough shall appoint some fit person to act in the place and during the absence of the Town Clerk and Treasurer obtaining such leave of absence, and the person so appointed shall give the like security and shall perform and discharge the same duties as are required of the Town Clerk and Treasurer of Boroughs by the Ordinance passed in Council on the nineteenth day of August in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, entitled "An Ordinance for the Regulation of Municipal Corporations in this Island."

2. That whenever leave of absence shall be granted to any Town Clerk and Treasurer the Council of the Borough shall make order as to the proportion of salary to be paid to the Town Clerk and Treasurer obtaining such leave of absence during such absence.

Passed in Council this first day of February, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine.

RICHARD D. CADIZ,  
*Clerk of Council.*

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No. 4.—1859.

*1st February.*

AN ORDINANCE regarding the place of Imprisonment of Female Prisoners.

ROB. W. KEATE.

**W**HEREAS an Ordinance was passed in Council on the twenty-second day of September one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, entitled "An Ordinance regarding offenders sentenced on summary conviction to short terms of imprisonment:" And whereas it is not expedient that any female should be imprisoned at any station to which there shall not be a Matron: Be it enacted by His Excellency the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Council of Government as follows:

1. Where any female shall be sentenced to imprisonment for any term, and there shall be no matron at the station nearest to the Police Office at which such female shall have been convicted such female shall be imprisoned in the Royal Gaol.

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RICHARD D. CADIZ,  
*Clerk of Council.*