

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 35.—1915.

Repealed by Ord 64/1921

I ASSENT,

[L.S.]

S. W. KNAGGS,

Acting Governor.

28th December, 1915.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Licensing of Vehicles Ordinance, 1914.

[28th December, 1915.]

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

Short Title and interpretation.

1.—(1.) This Ordinance may be cited as the Licensing of Vehicles (Amendment) Ordinance, 1915.

(2.) In this Ordinance, "Principal Ordinance" means the Licensing of Vehicles Ordinance, 1914.

Amendment of Section 5 of the Principal Ordinance.

2. Sub-section (1) of Section 5 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following shall be inserted in lieu thereof:—

(1) Every licence granted under this Ordinance shall be in such form and shall be granted by such officer of a Licensing Authority as the Authority may direct, and every such licence shall commence on the day on which the same shall be granted and shall expire on the 31st day of December next following the date of its issue.

3. There shall be paid to the Licensing Authority in respect of licences granted under the Principal Ordinance the duties specified in the second column of the First Schedule to the Principal Ordinance. Licence duties.

Provided that where a licence is taken out after the 30th day of June in any year, the duty payable shall be one half of the sum in the second column of such schedule opposite the description of vehicle for which the licence is granted.

4. Section 9 of the Principal Ordinance is hereby repealed and the following shall be inserted in lieu thereof:— Change of ownership and transfer of licence.

9. Every licence shall be an authority only to the person named therein, but on a change of ownership of any vehicle, it shall be lawful for the Licensing Authority, on a requisition signed by the new owner, to transfer the licence to him for the unexpired period thereof.

The transfer may be made by endorsement on the licence, and for every such transfer there shall be paid to the Authority the sum of one shilling.

5.—(1.) The owner of every bicycle or tricycle shall, immediately upon the grant to him of a licence under this Ordinance, cause to be affixed to such part of his bicycle or tricycle as may be prescribed by regulation under this Ordinance, a badge bearing the number of his licence. Bicycle badge.

(2.) The badge to be so affixed shall be provided by the Licensing Authority without any charge, and shall be given to the owner at the time of the issue of the licence to him.

(3.) Every person who offends against the provisions of this section shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding £5 and in default of payment to imprisonment with or without hard labour for any term not exceeding one month.

6. The First Schedule to the Principal Ordinance is amended:— Amendment of First Schedule to Principal Ordinance.

- (a.) By striking out the third column thereof, and
- (b.) By striking out the words "Per Annum" at the head of the second column thereof.

Burden of
Proof.

7. Every vehicle kept in any premises shall in all proceedings under the Principal Ordinance or this Ordinance be deemed to be kept for use, until the contrary is proved by the owner of such vehicle.

Passed in Council this Seventeenth day of December in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

J. M. FARFAN,
Acting Clerk of the Council.
