

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 23.—1909.

6th December.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Criminal Procedure Ordinance, No. 13.

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GEORGE R. LE HUNTE,

GOVERNOR.

17th December, 1909.

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**B**E 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 Criminal Procedure Ordinance 1909.

Person under 16 not to be sentenced to death. Alternative sentence. 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of the Criminal Procedure Ordinance No. 13 or of any other Ordinance or law, sentence of death shall not be pronounced or recorded against a person under the age of sixteen years, but in lieu thereof the Court shall sentence such person to be detained during His Majesty's pleasure, and if so sentenced, he shall be liable to be detained in such place and under such conditions as the Governor may direct, and whilst so detained shall be deemed to be in legal custody.

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

HARRY L. KNAGGS,  
*Clerk of the Council.*

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