

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

No. 32.—1912.

2nd July.

AN ORDINANCE relating to Wheeled Vehicles in San Fernando.

Repealed by 40 of 1914

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GEORGE R. LE HUNTE,

GOVERNOR.

*16th July, 1912.*TEMPORARY MAGISTRATE
JULY 16 1912

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

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the San Fernando Short Title.
Wheels Ordinance, 1912.

2. This Ordinance shall apply to the Borough of San Application of Ordinance.
Fernando as defined in the Municipal Corporations Ordinance, No. 210, or any Ordinance amending or repealing the same.

3. In this Ordinance the term Interpretation.
“Mayor and Burgesses” means the Mayor and Burgesses of San Fernando.

“Carriage” means and includes all vehicles on springs drawn by a horse or other animal.

“Motor-Car” means and includes all mechanically propelled vehicles.

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"Motor-Van" means and includes all mechanically propelled vehicles and machines used for the conveyance or portorage of goods, wares, merchandise or other burden, and traction engines.

"Motor-Omnibus" means and includes all mechanically propelled vehicles used for the conveyance of passengers standing or plying for hire.

"Motor-Bicycle" means and includes all mechanically propelled bicycles.

Licenses.

4. Unless the license from the Mayor and Burgesses under the hand of the Town Clerk and Treasurer shall have first been obtained, it shall not be lawful for any person

- (1.) Being the owner of any carriage, motor-car, or motor-bicycle to keep or allow to be kept any such carriage, motor-car, or motor-bicycle within the limits of the said Borough.
- (2.) Being the owner of any motor-omnibus to keep or allow to be kept or to ply or cause to ply any such motor-omnibus for hire within the limits of the said Borough.
- (3.) Being the owner of any motor-van to keep or allow to be kept any such motor-van within the limits of the said Borough or to use or allow to be used such motor-van for the conveyance of goods, wares, merchandise or other burden from or to any place within the limits of the said Borough.

Any person acting in contravention of this section shall be guilty of an offence and on summary conviction shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Ten Pounds, and in default of immediate payment shall be imprisoned with or without hard labour for any term not exceeding three months.

Term of and fees for licenses.

5. All such licenses shall be granted either for one year or for three, six or nine months and there shall be paid to the Town Clerk and Treasurer of the Borough in respect of such licenses such sums of money as are specified in the Schedule to this Ordinance.

6. The Town Clerk and Treasurer shall in a proper book ^{Register of licenses.} to be kept by him for the purpose enter the name of every person taking out such license, the number of every such license, the date whereon and the time for which such license shall have been granted and the sum paid for the same.

7. Before any license under this Ordinance is granted a ^{Requisition for a license.} requisition for the same shall be made and signed

- (1.) By the owner or one of the owners of any carriage, motor-car, motor-van, motor-omnibus, or motor-bicycle in respect of which such license is applied for; or
- (2.) In the case of a body corporate or public company by an officer or by the secretary thereof.

In every such requisition shall be set forth the Christian name and surname of every owner of such carriage, motor-car, motor-van, motor-omnibus, or motor-bicycle or in the case of a body corporate or public company the title or name thereof, and in every case of a partnership the name of the firm, and in every case the place of residence or office of business of every such owner, body corporate, company or firm. Every requisition for a license for a motor-car shall specify the seating capacity of every such motor-car. Every such requisition shall be left at the office of the Town Clerk and Treasurer.

8. Every such requisition shall be received as evidence ^{Evidence.} and be deemed proof of all matters therein contained as against the party applying for such license.

Every person who on applying for a license wilfully ^{False particulars.} omits to set forth fully and correctly in such requisition any of the particulars hereby required to be set forth shall be guilty of an offence and on summary conviction shall be liable for each offence to a penalty not exceeding Forty Shillings, and in default of payment thereof shall be imprisoned with or without hard labour for any term not exceeding one month.

9. Every license shall bear date the day on which it is ^{Form of License.} given and shall have and contain

- (1.) A distinguishing number.

- (2.) The full name of the owner of the carriage, motor-car, motor-van, motor-omnibus, or motor-bicycle in respect of which such license is granted.
- (3.) The place of residence or office of business of such owner.
- (4.) The term for which such license is granted.

Procedure.

10. The form and manner of procedure in all cases arising under this Ordinance shall be that prescribed by the Summary Conviction Offences (Procedure) Ordinance, No. 1.

Government vehicles.

11. Nothing in this Ordinance contained shall be construed so as to prevent any person in the service of His Majesty keeping or allowing to be kept any carriage, motor-car, motor-van, motor-omnibus, or motor-bicycle used and employed exclusively in His Majesty's service, and no license shall be required in respect thereof.

Commencement.

12. This Ordinance shall come into force on a day to be proclaimed by the Governor.

Passed in Council this Second day of July, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

HARRY L. KNAGGS,
Clerk of the Council.

SCHEDULE.

Motor Omnibus kept or plying for hire in the Borough.	£10 0 0 per annum or £2 10 0 for each quarter of a year.
Motor Vans kept or used in the Borough.	£5 0 0 per annum or £1 5 0 for each quarter of a year.
Motor Cars (private) kept in the Borough.	Cars intended to seat one person other than the driver, £2 0 0 per annum or 10/- for each quarter of a year.
	All other Cars, £3 10 0 per annum or 17/6 for each quarter of a year.
Motor Bicycles kept within the Borough.	£2 0 0 per annum or 10/- for each quarter of a year.
Buggies, Victorias, Dogcarts kept within the Borough	Five shillings per wheel per annum.

Licenses for a year are to terminate on the 31st day of December. Quarterly licenses are to terminate on the 31st March, 30th June, 30th September and 31st December.