



TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

Published as a Supplement to the Royal Gazette,
issued on the 16th day of September, 1943.

No. 29—1943.

[L.S.]

I ASSENT,

A. B. WRIGHT,
Acting Governor.

15th September, 1943.

AN ORDINANCE to incorporate the Colonial Secretary.

[16th September, 1943.]

Commencement.

ENACTED by the Governor of Trinidad and Tobago
with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council
thereof.

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Colonial Secretary Short title.
Incorporation Ordinance.

Constitution
of body Cor-
porate.

2. The officer for the time being discharging the duties of Colonial Secretary in the Colony, and his successors in office, shall be and is hereby created a body corporate by the name of "Colonial Secretary, Trinidad and Tobago" (hereinafter called "the corporation") and by that name shall have perpetual succession and shall and may sue and may be sued in all Courts of Justice in the Colony and shall have and use a common seal which shall be judicially noticed, and which may from time to time be broken, changed, altered and made anew as to the corporation seems fit.

Powers.

3. The corporation may, with the permission of the Governor in Council, acquire, purchase, take, hold and enjoy movable and immovable property of every description, and may convey, assign, surrender and yield up, mortgage, demise, reassign, transfer or otherwise dispose of, or deal with, any movable and immovable property vested in the corporation upon such terms as to the corporation seems fit.

Execution of
Documents.

4. (1) All deeds, documents or other instruments requiring the seal of the corporation shall be sealed with the seal of the corporation in the presence of the officer for the time being discharging the duties of the office of Colonial Secretary, who shall sign every such deed, document or other instrument to which the corporate seal is affixed, and such signing shall be sufficient evidence that the said seal was duly and properly affixed and that the same is the lawful seal of the corporation.

Ch. 22. No. 2.
Ch. 27. No. 11.

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of the Registration of Deeds Ordinance and the Real Property Ordinance relating to the matters thereunder required to be performed and to the mode of their performance prior to the registration of a deed, document or other instrument, the affixing of the seal of the corporation and the signing by the Colonial Secretary in the manner set out in the preceding subsection shall be, and shall be taken as, sufficient evidence, for the purposes of the said Ordinances, of the due execution by the corporation of any deed, document or other instrument.

5. Nothing in this Ordinance shall affect or be deemed to affect the rights of His Majesty or of any bodies politic or corporate or of any other persons except such as are mentioned or are referred to in this Ordinance and those claiming by, through, from or under them. Saving of rights of Crown.

Passed in Council this tenth day of September, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

W. J. BOOS,
Clerk of the Council.

1943.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

PRINTED AND PUBLISHED BY A. L. RHODES, M.B.E.,
GOVERNMENT PRINTER.

(Price 4c.)