

No. 18. *Customs and Excise Departments (Amalgamation)*. 1930.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO.

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A. C. HOLLIS,
Governor.

23rd October, 1930.

AN ORDINANCE to provide for the amalgamation of the
Customs and Excise Departments.

[1st November, 1930.]

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 Customs and Excise Departments (Amalgamation) Ordinance, 1930. Short title
2. This Ordinance shall commence on the first day of November, 1930. Commence-
ment.
3. On and after the commencement of this Ordinance :— Amalgamation
of the Customs
and Excise
Departments.
 - (a) The officer charged with the administration of the Customs Department under the title of Collector of Customs shall be known as the Collector of Customs and Excise, and any reference to the Collector or to the Collector of Customs

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in any Ordinance and in any rules, regulations, instructions and forms scheduled to or made or prescribed thereunder shall be read as a reference to the Collector of Customs and Excise ;

(b) The Collector of Customs and Excise shall be charged with the administration of the Departments of Customs and Excise, which shall be amalgamated and known as the Department of Customs and Excise ;

(c) Any reference to the Department of Customs or to the Department of Excise in any Ordinance and in any rules, regulations, instructions and forms scheduled to or made or prescribed thereunder shall be read as a reference to the Department of Customs and Excise ;

(d) All officers of the Department of Customs and of the Department of Excise shall be known as officers of Customs and Excise.

(e) Any reference to Customs officers or officers of Customs or to Excise officers or officers of Excise in any Ordinance and in any rules, regulations, instructions and forms scheduled to or made or prescribed thereunder shall be read as a reference to officers of Customs and Excise.

References to
Treasurer
to be read as
references to
Collector of
Customs and
Excise.

4. In the Ordinances mentioned in the schedule to this Ordinance, and in all rules, regulations, instructions and forms scheduled to or made or prescribed thereunder, references to the Treasurer or to a Sub-Treasurer shall be read as references to the Collector of Customs and Excise or to a Sub-Collector, as the case may require, save and except in the instances where in the schedule it is indicated that the Treasurer and Sub-Treasurer shall remain.

Saving legal
proceedings,
&c.

5. The amalgamation effected by this Ordinance shall not affect any legal proceeding pending at, or any liability, penalty, forfeiture or punishment incurred before the commencement of this Ordinance, under any Ordinance or any rules, regulations, instructions and forms scheduled to or made or prescribed thereunder, and any such proceeding may be continued and any such penalty, forfeiture or punishment may be imposed and enforced by the Collector of Customs and Excise or Sub-Collector as the case may be, in all cases where the functions of the Treasurer or Sub-Treasurer or the Collector of Customs are by this Ordinance transferred to the Collector of Customs and Excise or a Sub-Collector.

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6. Permits, licences and bonds issued or given under any Ordinance and in force at the commencement of this Ordinance shall not be affected by the passing of this Ordinance. Saving of permits, licences, &c.

7. Section 2 of the Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198, is hereby amended by deleting the definitions of "Officer of Customs," "Officer of Excise," and "Supervisor." Amendment of s. 2, Cap. 198.

8. Section 4 of the Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198, is hereby amended by deleting the words "Supervisors or other." Amendment of s. 4, Cap. 198.

9. Section 37 of the Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198, is hereby amended by deleting the words "Supervisor of the district" in the fourth line thereof, and substituting therefor the words "proper Officer," and by deleting the word "Supervisor" in the sixteenth line thereof and substituting therefor the word "Officer." Amendment of s. 37, Cap. 198.

10. Section 128 of the Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198, is hereby amended:— Amendment of s. 128, Cap. 198.

- (a) by deleting the words "Supervisor of the district or any other Officer of Excise" in the first and second lines thereof, and substituting therefor the words "proper Officer";
- (b) by deleting the words "Supervisor or Officer of Excise" in the seventeenth line thereof, and substituting therefor the word "Officer";
- (c) by deleting the words "Supervisor or Officer of Excise" in the thirty-fourth and thirty-fifth lines thereof, and substituting therefor the word "Officer";
- (d) by deleting the words "Supervisor or Officer of Excise" in the fortieth line thereof, and substituting therefor the word "Officer."

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Amendment
of s. 134,
Cap. 198.

11. Section 134 of the Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198, is hereby amended by deleting the words "Supervisor of the circuit or district" and substituting therefor the words "proper Officer."

Amendment
of s. 2,
Cap. 199.

12. Section 2 of the Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199, is hereby amended :—

- (a) by deleting the words "by the Treasurer or Sub-Treasurer" in the definition of "Excise licence," and substituting therefor the words "under this Ordinance";
- (b) by deleting the words "the Supervisors" in the definition of "Excise officer";
- (c) by deleting the word "Supervisor" and substituting therefor the words "proper Officer" in the definition of "Licensing Authority";
- (d) by deleting the words "Supervisor of Excise" in the definition of "Magistrate's licence";
- (e) by deleting the definition of "Supervisor".

Amendment
of s. 8 (1),
Cap. 199.

13. Section 8 (1) of the Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199, is hereby amended by deleting the words "or Warden," and substituting therefor the words "Warden or other duly authorised Officer".

Amendment
of s. 40,
Cap. 199.

14. Section 40 of the Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199, is hereby amended by deleting the word "Supervisor" and substituting therefor the words "Officer duly authorised by him".

Amendment
of s. 51,
Cap. 199.

15. Section 51 of the Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199, is hereby amended by deleting the word "Supervisor" and substituting therefor the words "Officer of Customs and Excise".

Amendment
of s. 54,
Cap. 199.

16. Section 54 of the Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199, is hereby amended by deleting the word "Supervisor" and substituting therefor the words "duly authorised officer of Customs and Excise".

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Treasurer and Sub-Treasurer to remain.

The Spirits and Spirit Compounds Ordinance, Cap. 198. Section 155, as amended by the Spirits and Spirit Compounds (Amendment) Ordinance, 1928 (No. 14 of 1928).

The Liquor Licences Ordinance, Cap. 199. Section 2, in the definition of "Magistrate's licence."
Section 8 (1) and (2) so far as relates to Magistrates' licences.

Section 55.

Section 62 (1) and (2) so far as relates to Magistrates' licences.

Section 91 so far as relates to Magistrates' licences.

The Brewery Ordinance, Cap. 200

The Petroleum (Excise) Ordinance, Cap. 201

The Registration of Clubs Ordinance, Cap. 202. Section 5 (4).

The Petroleum (Refund of duty) Ordinance, 1929 (No. 16 of 1929).

Passed in Council this seventeenth day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and thirty.

J. W. DAY,
Acting Clerk of the Council.