

LEGAL NOTICE No. 77

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE EDUCATION ACT, 1966

(No. 1 of 1966)

REGULATIONS

MADE BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER SECTION 84(11) OF THE
EDUCATION ACT, 1966THE TEACHING SERVICE (CERTIFICATION OF RECOGNITION)
REGULATIONS, 1981

- Citation** 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Teaching Service (Certification of Recognition) Regulations, 1981.
- Definition** 2. In these Regulations "ballot" means a ballot conducted under Part II of the Act.
- Application for certification to be made to Board Form I Schedule Requirements for ballot** 3. Every association desiring to obtain certification of recognition in respect of a bargaining unit shall make application to the Board in the form set out as Form I in the Schedule.
4. (1) An employer of persons in respect of whom certification of recognition is being applied for by an association shall, in every case where a ballot in connection therewith is to be conducted, provide adequate accommodation on premises under his control for the conduct of the ballot.
- (2) On the day or days on which the ballot is conducted, the employer shall permit every person eligible to take part in the ballot to be absent from work during the conduct of the ballot for one hour or such longer period as the Board may specify. The period of absence permitted for the ballot shall be in addition to the normal mid-day meal period.
- (3) An employer shall make no deduction from the pay of any person or impose any other penalty on him in respect of any period for which the person is permitted to be absent from work during the conduct of the ballot.
- (4) No person who—
- (a) is an officer in the Personnel Department or is responsible for the management of the Personnel Department;
- (b) is an officer in the Ministry of Education, other than an officer who is eligible to vote; or
- (c) holds office in an association,
- shall, unless he is nominated by the employer or the association to be an official agent as approved by the Board under its Rules, be within the immediate vicinity of the place where any balloting is being conducted.

5. (1) During the hours that a ballot is being conducted—

- (a) no person shall, on any premises on which the ballot is being conducted, or upon any road or in any place within one hundred yards of the premises, seek by any means whatever to influence a person to vote or to refrain from voting for an association;
- (b) no person, other than those waiting to vote or persons authorised or permitted by the Rules of the Board or these Regulations to be present at the conduct of the ballot, shall assemble or congregate on any premises in which a ballot is being conducted or within one hundred yards of the premises.

Certain acts prohibited in or near premises where ballot conducted

(2) No person shall seek to ascertain how any individual intends to vote or has voted.

(3) Any person who contravenes paragraph (1) or (2) is guilty of an offence.

6. (1) A person is guilty of an offence who directly or indirectly, by himself or by any other person on his behalf—

- (a) gives any money or procures any office to or for any person or to or for any other person on behalf of any person or to or for any other person in order to induce any person to vote or refrain from voting or to reward any person for having voted or for having refrained from voting;
- (b) makes any gift or procurement within the meaning of sub-paragraph (a) to or for any person in order to induce that person to procure, or endeavour to procure, the selection of any association or the vote of any person in respect of any matter for which the ballot is being conducted or if upon or in consequence of any such gift or procurement, he procures or engages, promises or endeavours to procure, the selection of any association making the claim as aforesaid or the vote of any person.

Bribery

(2) A person is guilty of an offence who before or during the conduct of a ballot directly or indirectly by himself or by any other person on his behalf, receives, agrees to receive or contracts for any money, gift, loan or valuable consideration, office, place of employment for himself or for any other person for voting or agreeing to vote or for refraining or agreeing to refrain from voting.

(3) A person is guilty of an offence, who, after the conduct of a ballot directly or indirectly by himself or by any other person on his behalf, receives any money or valuable consideration on account of any person having voted or refrained from voting or having induced any other person to vote or refrain from voting.

(4) A person guilty of an offence against this regulation is liable on summary conviction to a fine of two hundred and fifty dollars but this penalty shall be without prejudice to any other penalty imposed under any other law.

7. A person is guilty of an offence who corruptly by himself or any other person on his behalf, either before, during or after the conduct of a ballot, directly or indirectly gives or provides or pays wholly or in part the expenses of giving or providing any food, drink, entertainment or provision to or for any person—

Treating

- (a) for the purpose of corruptly influencing that person or any other person to vote or refrain from voting at the conduct of the ballot; or
- (b) on account of that person or any other person having voted or refrained from voting.

Board to
issue
certificate to
recognised
majority
association
Form 2
Schedule

8. Where the Board determines an application for certification of recognition and is satisfied that the applicant association should be certified as the appropriate recognised majority association it shall issue to that association a certificate in the Form set out as Form 2 in the Schedule.

Record of
certification
Form 3
Schedule

9. The record of certification required to be kept by the Board under section 74K of the Act shall be in the form set out as Form 3 in the Schedule.

Revocation

10. (1) Upon an association being certified by the Board as the appropriate recognised association thereby replacing another association that immediately before the certification was the recognised association, the Board shall revoke the certification of the previously recognised association and cause appropriate amendments to be made in the record of certification referred to in regulation 9.

(2) Every revocation shall be published in the *Gazette* and where the association whose certification has been revoked is a party to a subsisting agreement the Board shall immediately inform the Minister of Finance of the revocation.

Defacement
of notices
prohibited

11. Any person who alters, defaces or removes any notice posted by the Board in accordance with its Rules is guilty of an offence.

Offences and
penalties

12. A person who contravenes these Regulations is guilty of an offence and, save in the case of an offence against regulation 6, is liable on summary conviction to a fine of two hundred and fifty dollars and in the case of a continuing offence to a further fine of twenty-five dollars for each day the offence continues.

FORM 2

(Regulation 8)

THE TEACHING SERVICE (CERTIFICATION OF RECOGNITION) REGULATIONS, 1981
CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO APPROPRIATE RECOGNISED MAJORITY
ASSOCIATION

Issued this.....day of.....19.....
by virtue of and pursuant to the authority vested in it by section 74H of the Act, the
Registration Recognition and Certification Board hereby certifies.....

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(Name of Association)

as the appropriate recognised majority Association in respect of

employed by
(Name of Employer)

and comprised in a bargaining unit as hereunder described:

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The number of persons in the bargaining unit aforesaid as at the relevant date, that
is to say the.....day of.....19.....
was.....

The Certificate is effective from the.....day
of.....19.....

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Chairman

.....
Secretary

FORM 3

(Regulation 9)

THE TEACHING SERVICE (CERTIFICATION OF RECOGNITION) REGULATIONS, 1981—RECORD OF CERTIFICATION

Certificate Number	File Number	Date of Application	PARTIES		Description of appropriate bargaining unit as determined by the Board	Number of persons in determined bargaining unit and relevant date	Date of Certification as Appropriate Recognised Association and relevant date	Variation of bargaining unit	Date of variation of bargaining unit	Remarks
			Claimant Association	Employer						

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Dated this 17th day of June, 1981.

K. BOSWELL INNISS
Secretary to Cabinet

Teaching Service (Certification of Recognition) Regulations, 1981

LEGAL NOTICE No. 78 - 80

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE, CH. 16. No. 3

ORDER

MADE BY THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE UNDER SECTION 44F(1) OF THE
MOTOR VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE

THE SUMMER RACE MEETING (TEMPORARY PROVISIONS)
ORDER, 1981

1. This Order may be cited as the Summer Race Meeting Citation
(Temporary Provisions) Order, 1981.

2. This Order shall have effect between the hours of 10.30 a.m. Commence-
and 7.00 p.m. on each of the following dates:— ment and
cessation

- Saturday, 27th June, 1981;
- Saturday, 4th July, 1981;
- Saturday, 11th July, 1981;
- Saturday, 18th July, 1981;
- Saturday, 25th July, 1981;
- Saturday, 1st August, 1981;
- Monday, 3rd August, 1981;
- Saturday, 8th August, 1981; and
- Saturday, 15th August, 1981.

3. No person may park or cause or permit any vehicle to be parked or to remain on any of the following roads:— Parking
prohibited
on certain
roads

- (a) Queen's Park West between Cipriani Boulevard and Queen's Park East (except for the Taxi Stand);
- (b) Chancery Lane;
- (c) Dundonald Street between Queen's Park West and Albion Street;
- (d) Dere Street (except for the Taxi Stand);
- (e) Cummins Lane;
- (f) Albion Street between Dundonald Street and Chancery Lane; and
- (g) Melville Lane.

4. Motorists using the parking facilities on the Queen's Park Savannah, shall enter the Savannah through the gate opposite:— Entry into
Queen's
Park
Savannah

- (a) Frederick Street;
- (b) the Princes Building;
- (c) Chancery Lane; and
- (d) Dundonald Street.

Parking in
Queen's
Park
Savannah

5. Motorists using car parks "A" and "B" in the Queen's Park Savannah, shall park their vehicles as follows:—

(a) Car Park "A"—facing West;

(b) Car Park "B"—facing East.

Removal and
impounding
of vehicles
unlawfully
parked
Ch. 16. No. 3

6. Without prejudice to any other liability incurred by the commission of a summary offence, vehicles found parked in contravention of this Order may be removed by the police and impounded and dealt with in accordance with sections 78B and 78C of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Ordinance.

Made by the Commissioner of Police this 17th day of June, 1981.

R. U. BURROUGHS
Commissioner of Police