TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 11—1959

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E. B. BEETHAM
Governor.

24th April, 1959.

AN ORDINANCE to amend the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Ordinance, Ch. 16. No. 3.

Commencement. [30*th April,* 1959]

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

Short title. **1.** This Ordinance may be cited as the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Ordinance, 1959, and shall be read as one with the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Ordinance, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Ordinance.

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2. The Principal Ordinance is hereby amended by inserting immediately after section 52 thereof the following section to be numbered 52A:— New section inserted in Principal Ordinance.

"Distribution of advertisements from vehicles prohibited.

52A (1) Any person who throws or distributes from any vehicle on any road any picture, print or any other article of whatsoever nature by way of advertisement, or any handbill, shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred dollars or to imprisonment for two months or to both such fine and imprisonment.

(2) Where an offence has been committed under subsection (1) of this section by any person other than the driver or person in charge of the vehicle used in connection with such offence, the driver or person in charge of such vehicle shall be deemed to be guilty of an offence under subsection (1) of this section unless he satisfies the Court before which he is tried that he could not reasonably have prevented or stopped the commission of such offence."

Passed in Council this third day of April in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine.

P. A. GRANNUM
Acting Clerk of the Council

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