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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

**Act No. 24 of 2000**

[L.S.]

AN ACT to amend the Trinidad and Tobago National  
Steel Orchestra Act, 1999 (No. 19 of 1999)

*[Assented to 14th July, 2000]*

ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as Enactment  
follows:—

**1.** This Act may be cited as the Trinidad and Tobago Short title and  
National Steel Orchestra (Amendment) Act, 2000 commencement  
and shall be deemed to have come into effect on  
1st January, 2000.

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- Interpretation  
Act No. 19 of 1999      **2.** In this Act, “the Act” means the Trinidad and Tobago National Steel Orchestra Act, 1999.
- Section 3 amended      **3.** The Act is amended in section 3 by inserting after the word “Board” in the definition of “Chairman” the words “appointed under section 10(1)”.
- Section 5 amended      **4.** The Act is amended in section 5(1)—  
    (a) by deleting the words “seven members” and substituting the words “eight members, seven of whom shall be”; and  
    (b) by deleting paragraph (d) and substituting the following new subsection:  
        “ (1A) The musical director shall be an *ex officio* member of the Board.”.
- Section 8 amended      **5.** The Act is amended in section 8 by deleting in paragraph (c) the words “music, literacy” and substituting the words “music literacy”.
- Section 10 amended      **6.** The Act is amended in section 10(1) by inserting after the word “President” the words “from among its members”.
- Section 13 amended      **7.** The Act is amended in section 13 by inserting after subsection (2) the following subsection:  
    “ (3) For the purposes of the Exchequer and Audit Act the Accounting Officer of the Ministry to which the responsibility of the subject of culture is assigned shall be the Accounting Officer for the purpose of the Fund.”.
- Chap. 69:01
- Section 15 amended      **8.** The Act is amended in section 15(4) by deleting all the words from the word “thereof” and substituting the words “of such statement”.
- Section 18 amended      **9.** The Act is amended in section 18(1) by deleting the words “four months prior to the beginning of the financial year” and substituting the words “the deadline date stipulated by the Minister of Finance”.

**10.** The Act is amended in section 22 by deleting the marginal note and substituting the following:

“Composition of the Orchestra”.

Passed in the Senate this 18th day of April, 2000.

N. COX  
*Clerk of the Senate*

Passed in the House of Representatives this 8th day of May, 2000.

J. SAMPSON-JACENT  
*Clerk of the House*