

LAWS OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

TOWNS AND VILLAGES (DEFINITION) ACT

CHAPTER 26:02

**Act
21 of 1919**

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Note
on
Subsidiary Legislation

For areas declared under section 2 of this Act for the purposes of section 76 of the Summary Offences Act Chapter 11:02, see Subsidiary Legislation in the latter Chapter.

No other subsidiary legislation has been made under this Act.

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An Act relating to the definition of the expressions "Town" and "Village" as used in Acts.

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Commencement.

1. This Act may be cited as the Towns and Villages (Definition) Act. Short title.

2. Where an Act contains any enactment referring to a town or village, or to any town or any village, but does not define or give power to define the expressions "town" or "village" for the purposes of that enactment, the President may, by Order, declare any area to be a town or village, as the case may be, for the purposes of that enactment. Power to define expressions "town" and "village".

3. Where an Act contains any enactment referring to a named town or a named village, but does not fix or give power to fix the limits of that town or village for the purposes of that enactment, the President may, by Order, fix the limits of that town or village, as the case may be, for the purposes of that enactment. Power to fix limits of named towns and villages.

4. In default of or subject to the terms of any Order made under this Act, any enactment referring to a town or village or any town or any village or to a named town or a named village shall be construed and have effect in the same manner in all respects as if this Act had not been passed. Construction of "town" and "village" in default of Order.

Commencement
of Order.

5. An Order made under this Act shall not come into operation until the end of one month from the date of the *Gazette* in which it is published.

Order subject
to negative
resolution.

6. An Order made under this Act shall be subject to negative resolution of Parliament.
