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By His Excellency Sir Elliott  
Fitzroy Belgrave, Knight Grand Cross  
of the Most Distinguished Order of  
Saint Michael and Saint George,  
Knight of St. Andrew, Governor-  
General of Barbados.

ELLIOTT F. BELGRAVE

Governor-General

**A PROCLAMATION**

**WHEREAS** by section 16 of the *Magistrate's Courts (Amendment) Act, 2016* (Act 2016–15) it is provided that the said Act shall come into operation on a date to be fixed by Proclamation:

**AND WHEREAS** it is expedient that the said Act shall come into operation on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February, 2017:

**NOW THEREFORE** by virtue of the power and authority in me vested, I hereby appoint the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February, 2017 as the day on which the said Act shall come into operation.

Given under my hand and the  
Public Seal of Barbados this 31<sup>st</sup> day  
of January, 2017 and in the sixty-  
fifth year of Her Majesty's Reign.