

**S.I. 2016 No. 43**

Police Act

CAP. 167

**TRAFFIC CONTROL (BRIDGETOWN MARKET) RULES, 2016**

The Commissioner, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 23(2) of the *Police Act*, with the approval of the Minister, makes the following Rules:

1. These Rules may be cited as the *Traffic Control (Bridgetown Market) Rules, 2016*.

2. In these Rules,

“alternate emergency route” means an alternate route which commences at Exmouth Gap and proceeds along Westbury Road, President Kennedy Drive, Fontabelle Road, Cheapside, Broad Street, Charles Duncan O’Neal Bridge, Fairchild Street, River Road and Martindale’s Road to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital in the parish Saint Michael;

“emergency route” means a route which commences at Spring Garden Highway and proceeds along Exmouth Gap, Westbury Road, Passage Road, Country Road, Roebuck Street, Halls Road Road and Martindale’s Road to the Queen’s Elizabeth Hospital in the parish of Saint Michael;

“emergency vehicle” means a vehicle used by

- (a) the Barbados Red Cross;
- (b) the Department of Emergency Management; or
- (c) an ambulance Service;

“Festival Committee” means the Crop Over Festival Committee of the Ministry responsible for Culture, Sports and Youth;

“relevant period” means from 08:00 hours to 23:59 hours on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2016 and Sunday, 31<sup>st</sup> July, 2016;

“vehicle” has the meaning assigned to it by section 2 of the *Road Traffic Act*, Cap. 295.

3. During the relevant period, Spring Garden Highway, from its junction with Holborn Circle to its junction with Brighton Road in the parish of Saint Michael shall be closed to all vehicular traffic except vehicles used by members of the Festival Committee.

4. During the relevant period, no person shall park or allow a vehicle to remain stationary on any of the following roads, except for the purpose of picking up or setting down passengers:

(a) Brighton Road, from its junction with Black Rock Main Road to its junction with Spring Garden Highway;

(b) Black Rock Main Road, from its junction with University Drive to its junction with Eagle Hall Road;

(c) Deacons Farm Road, from its junction with Deacons Road to its junction with Brighton Road;

(d) Deacons Road; and

(e) Westbury Road,

in the parish of Saint Michael.

5. During the relevant period, no person shall park or allow a vehicle to remain stationary along the emergency route or the emergency alternate route except for the purpose of picking up or setting down passengers.

6. All drivers and riders of vehicles, pedestrians and riders or leaders of animals using any of the roads specified in paragraphs 3 and 4 or any of the routes specified in paragraph 5 shall exercise caution and shall comply with any order given by a member of the Police Force in uniform.

7. Any person who contravenes these Rules or fails to comply with any order given by a member of the Police Force in uniform is guilty of an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of \$500 or to imprisonment for a term of 3 months.

8. These Rules do not apply to vehicles used by the Police Force, the Defence Force, the Barbados Fire Service or any emergency vehicle.

Made by the Commissioner of Police this 30th day of May, 2016.

TYRONE GRIFFITH  
Commissioner of Police (Ag.)

Approved by the Minister this 1st day of June, 2016.

ADRIEL BRATHWAITE  
Minister responsible for Police Administration and the Preservation of Public  
Order