

**S.I. 2012 No. 47**

**Police Act**  
**Cap. 167**

**TRAFFIC CONTROL (CROP OVER GALA)**  
**RULES, 2012**

The Commissioner of Police, 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 (Crop Over Gala) Rules, 2012*.

2. In these Rules,

“emergency vehicle” means a vehicle used by

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

“relevant date” means Saturday, 30th June, 2012;

“route” means Cheapside Road, Chapel Street, Broad Street and St. Michael’s Row, in the parish of Saint Michael;

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

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3. On the relevant date, between 14:00 hours and 17:00 hours, the Crop Over Gala Parade takes place commencing at the General Post Office, Cheapside Road and proceeding along the route and ending at Queen’s Park in the parish of Saint Michael.

4. On the relevant date, from 14:00 hours to 17:00 hours, the route shall be closed to all vehicular traffic except in respect of vehicles used in the Crop Over Gala Parade and vehicles used by the Crop Over Festival Committee of the Ministry responsible for Family, Culture, Sports and Youth.

5. On the relevant date, from 13:00 hours to 21:00 hours, no person shall drive, 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) Halls Road;
- (b) John Beckles Drive;
- (c) Crumpton Street;
- (d) Constitution Road;
- (e) Belmont Road;
- (f) Martindales Road,

in the parish of Saint Michael.

6. All drivers and riders of vehicles, pedestrians and riders or leaders of animals using any of the roads specified in paragraphs 3, 4 and 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 Barbados Defence Force, the Barbados Fire Service or to any other emergency vehicles.

Made by the Commissioner of Police this 28th day of June, 2012.

DARWIN DOTTIN  
Commissioner of Police.

Approved by the Minister this 29th day of June, 2012.

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