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Police Act

CAP. 167

TRAFFIC CONTROL (FORE DAY MORNING JAM) 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 (Fore Day Morning Jam) 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 Road, Broad Street, Charles Duncan O'neal Bridge, Fairchild Street, River Road and Martindale's Road to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital in the parish of 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 and Martindale's Road to the Queen 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 23:30 hours on Friday, 29th July, 2016 to 07:00 hours on Saturday 30th July, 2016;
- "route" means a route which commences at and proceeds along Constitution Road St. Michael's Row, Bridge Street, Fairfield Street, Charles Duncan O'Neal Bridge, Wharf Road, Hincks Street, Princess Alice Highway, Harbour Road, turns left at Holborn Circle and proceeds onto Spring Garden Highway and Frank Worrell Roundabout in the parish of Saint Michael;
- "vehicle" has the meaning assigned to it by section 2 of the *Road Traffic Act*, Cap. 295.
- 3. During the relevant period, the Fore Day Morning Jam will commence at Queen's Park, the Barbados Investment Inc. Car Park and the Barbados Investment and Development Corporation Car Park in the parish of Saint Michael and will proceed along the route.
- 4. During the relevant period, Spring Garden Highway, from its junction with Holborn Circle to its junction with Frank Worrell Roundabout in the parish of Saint Michael shall be closed to all vehicular traffic except vehicles used by members of the Festival Committee.
- 5. During the relevant period, no person shall park or allow a vehicle to remain stationary on the following roads except for the purpose of picking up or setting down passengers:
 - (a) Brighton Road, from its junction with Black Rock Road to its junction with Spring Garden Highway;
 - (b) Black Rock 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.

- 6. During the relevant period, Brighton Road from its junction with Spring Garden Highway to its junction with Black Rock Road in the parish of Saint Michael shall be a one-way street with traffic travelling in the direction of Black Rock Road.
- 7. During the relevant period, no person shall park or allow a vehicle to remain stationary along the emergency route or the alternate emergency route except for the purpose of picking up or setting down passengers.
- 8. All drivers and riders of vehicles, pedestrians and riders or leaders of animals using any of the roads specified in paragraphs 4, 5 and 6 or any of the routes specified in paragraph 7 shall exercise caution and shall comply with any order given by a member of the Police Force in uniform.
- 9. 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.

10. These Rules do not apply to vehicles used by the Police Force, the Barbados Defence Force, or 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 BRATHRAITE

Minister responsible for Police Administration and the Preservation of Public Order

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