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Police Act

CAP. 167

TRAFFIC CONTROL (FORE DAY MORNING JAM) RULES, 2017

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 (Fore Day Morning Jam) Rules, 2017.*

- 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 date" Friday, 4th August, 2017 and Saturday, 5th August, 2017;

- "relevant period" means from 22:00 hours on Friday, 4th August, 2017 to 08:00 hours on Saturday, 5th August, 2017;
- "route" means a route which commences at Constitution Road and proceeds along St. Michaels Row, Bridge Street, Fairchild Street, Charles Duncan O'Neal Bridge, Wharf Road, Hincks Street, Princess Alice Highway, Harbour Road, turns left at Holborn Circle and proceeds on to the Spring Garden Highway and to the Frank Worrell Roundabout, in the parish of Saint Michael; and

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

3. On the relevant date, 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, and will proceed along the route, in the parish of Saint Michael.

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

- (a) Black Rock Road, from its junction with University Drive to its junction with Eagle Hall Road;
- (b) Brighton Road, from its junction with Black Rock Road to its junction with Spring Garden Highway;

- (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. On the relevant date, 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. On the relevant date, 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, the Barbados Fire Service or any emergency vehicle.

Made by the Commissioner of Police this 20th day of June, 2017.

ORAL WILLIAMS

Commissioner of Police (Ag.)

Approved by the Minister this 22nd day of June, 2017.

ADRIEL BRATHWAITE

Minister responsible for Police Administration and the Preservation of Public Order