

S.I. 2017 No. 3

Police Act

CAP. 167

TRAFFIC CONTROL (HOLETOWN FESTIVAL) RULES, 2017

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 (Holetown Festival) Rules, 2017*.

2. In these Rules,

“alternate emergency route” means an alternate route which commences at Holetown and proceeds along Highway 1 to Spring Garden Highway, Fontabelle Road, Cheapside Road, Broad Street, Charles Duncan O’Neal Bridge, River Road and Martindale’s Road to Queen Elizabeth Hospital in the parish of Saint Michael;

“emergency route” means a route which commences at Sea View Road in the parish of Saint James and proceeds along Highway 2A, Warrens Road, Lodge Hill Road, Green Hill Road, Codrington Road, Waterford Road, Station Hill Road, Halls Road and Martindale’s Road to 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;

“relevant date” means Saturday, 18th February, 2017;

“relevant period” means from 10:00 hours to 22:00 hours;

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

3. On the relevant date and on Sunday, 19th February, 2017 between 11:00 hours and 21:00 hours, the Holetown Festival will be held at Holetown in the parish of Saint James.

4. On the relevant date, during the relevant period, Highway 1 from its junctions with Lascelles Road and First Street to its junction with Mayhoe Avenue in the parish of Saint James shall be closed to all vehicular traffic.

5. On the relevant date, during the relevant period, vehicles travelling along Highway 1 in the direction of Bridgetown shall

- (a) turn left onto Lascelles Road;
- (b) turn right onto Hibiscus Avenue;
- (c) turn left onto Cherry Avenue;
- (d) turn right onto Cemetery Lane Road;
- (e) turn left onto Mayhoe Avenue or Cordia Avenue; and
- (f) turn left onto Highway 1.

6. On the relevant date, during the relevant period, vehicles travelling along Highway 1 in a northerly direction shall

- (a) turn right onto Cemetery Lane Road;
- (b) turn left onto Hibiscus Avenue;
- (c) turn left onto Lascelles Road; and
- (d) turn right onto Highway 1.

7. Paragraphs 4, 5 and 6 do not apply to public service vehicles or vehicles used by persons who are proceeding to residences, business places, restaurants or hotels situated along Highway 1.

8. On the relevant date, 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) Trents Road;
- (b) Lascelles Road;
- (c) Holetown Road;
- (d) Vauxhall Road;
- (e) Hibiscus Avenue;
- (f) Cherry Avenue;
- (g) Cemetery Lane Road;
- (h) Mayhoe Avenue;
- (i) Cordia Avenue; and
- (j) Sandy Lane Road,

in the parish of Saint James.

9. 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.

10. All drivers and riders of vehicles, pedestrians and riders or leaders of animals using any of the roads specified in these Rules shall exercise caution and shall comply with any order given by a member of the Police Force in uniform.

11. 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.

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

Made by the Commissioner of Police this 10th day of February, 2017.

TYRONE GRIFFITH
Commissioner of Police (Ag.)

Approved by the Minister this 10th day of February, 2017.

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