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GRENADA

ACT NO. 16 OF 2018**I assent,**

CÉCILE E. F. LA GRENADE

*Governor-General.**14th December, 2018.*

AN ACT to amend the Road Traffic Act CAP. 289A.

[14th December, 2018].

BE IT ENACTED by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and the House of Representatives and by the authority of the same as follows—

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the—

ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2018.

Short title and
commencement.

and shall be read as one with the Road Traffic Act, Chapter 289A, hereinafter referred to as the “principal Act”.

(2) This Act shall come into force on the 1st day of January, 2019.

2. Section 2 of the principal Act is amended as follows—

Amendment
to section 2 of
principal Act.

(a) in the definition of “parking” in paragraph (c) by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”; and

(b) by inserting in the appropriate alphabetical order the following new definition—

“traffic warden” means a traffic warden appointed under section 3B;”.

Amendment to section 3 of principal Act.

3. Section 3 of the principal Act is amended by inserting after subsection (4) the following new subsections—

“(4A)The Grenada Transport Board may, with the approval of the Minister, appoint such staff as is considered necessary for the efficient performance of its functions.

(4B)The funds of the Grenada Transport Board shall consist of—

(a) money appropriated by Parliament for the purpose of running the Grenada Transport Board; and

(b) any other funds as may lawfully accrue to the Grenada Transport Board.”.

Insertion of new section 3B to principal Act.

4. The principal Act is amended by inserting after section 3A the following new section—

“Appointment of traffic wardens. 3B (1) The Grenada Transport Board, with the approval of the Minister and on the recommendation of the Commissioner of Police, may appoint traffic wardens in accordance with

this section for the purposes of controlling and regulating traffic in accordance with this Act.

(2) A traffic warden shall—

- (a) be not less than 19 years old and not more than 45 years old;
- (b) be of good character;
- (c) be physically fit;
- (d) have attained secondary school education;
- (e) have an aptitude for hard work; and
- (f) have passed a written examination set by the Commissioner of Police.

(3) The uniform to be worn by a traffic warden in execution of his or her duty shall be—

- (a) blue baseball cap with white reflective stripe around it and the words “RGPF Traffic Warden” on the front;
- (b) white shirt with epaulets, whether with short sleeves or long sleeves;
- (c) black trousers with cargo pockets;
- (d) black shoes; and
- (e) blue reflective bib with white reflective vertical and horizontal stripes on the front and rear, and with patches with—

- (i) the words “Royal Grenada Police Force” on the right breast pocket;
- (ii) the words “Ministry of Transportation” on the left breast pocket; and
- (iii) the words “Traffic Warden” at the rear.

(4) The Grenada Transport Board shall pay to traffic wardens a salary at a rate as determined by the Minister.

(5) The Minister may, by Order, amend subsection (2) or (3).”.

Amendment to section 6 of principal Act.

5. Section 6 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (6) as follows—

- (a) by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”; and
- (b) by inserting the words “and place under the control of the Police Force” after the words “may detain”.

Amendment to section 28 of principal Act.

6. Section 28 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”.

Amendment to section 30A of principal Act.

7. Section 30A of the principal Act is amended as follows—

- (a) in subsection (1) by inserting the words “a traffic warden” and a “comma” before the words “a police officer or”;

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- (b) in subsection (3) by inserting the words “a traffic warden” and a “comma” after the word “Neither,”; and
- (c) in subsection (4) by inserting the words “a traffic warden or” and a “comma” after the word “except”.

8. Section 44 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (1) by inserting the words “a traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”.

Amendment to section 44 of principal Act.

9. Section 67 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (3) by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”.

Amendment to section 67 of principal Act.

10. Section 73 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force”.

Amendment to section 73 of principal Act.

11. Section 83 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force” wherever they appear.

Amendment to section 83 of principal Act.

12. The principal Act is amended in Part VIII by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force” wherever they appear.

Amendment to Part VIII of principal Act.

13. Section 112 of the principal Act is amended by inserting the words “traffic warden or” before the words “member of the Police Force” wherever they appear.

Amendment to section 112 of principal Act.

Amendment to
Fifth Schedule
of principal Act.

14. The principal Act is amended in the Fifth Schedule by inserting before the words “Police Officer” the words “Traffic Warden or” wherever they appear.

Passed by the House of Representatives this 23rd day of November, 2018.

ADRIAN FRANCIS
Clerk to the House of Representatives (Ag.).

Passed by the Senate this 6th day of December, 2018.

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