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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 11 of 2011.

By His Excellency Professor GEORGE MAXWELL RICHARDS, T.C., C.M.T., PH.D., President and Commander-in-Chief of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago.

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GEORGE M. RICHARDS President

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS section 238(1) of the Defence Act, Chap. 14:01 provides, *inter alia*, that the President may call out the Volunteer Defence Force or any portion of it for actual military service with their arms and ammunition, in aid of the civil power in any case in which a riot, disturbance of the peace, or other emergency requiring such service occurs, or is, in the opinion of the President, anticipated as likely to occur, and in either case to be beyond the powers of the civil authorities to suppress, or to prevent, or deal with:

And whereas the President deems it necessary to call out to duty ten officers and two hundred and forty other ranks of the Trinidad and Tobago Volunteer Defence Force to serve as a reserve corps to assist the civil power in the maintenance of peace and security during the remaining period of the state of public emergency declared by the President by Proclamation dated 21st August, 2011 and extended by Resolution of the House of Representatives dated 4th September, 2011, as well as for the Christmas 2011 and Carnival 2012 periods: Now, therefore, I, GEORGE MAXWELL RICHARDS, President as aforesaid, hereby call out to duty ten officers and two hundred and forty other ranks of the Trinidad and Tobago Volunteer Defence Force for the period 26th October, 2011 to 31st March, 2012, to serve as a reserve corps to assist the civil authority in providing security support for law enforcement activities during the remaining period of the state of public emergency, as well as for the Christmas 2011 and Carnival 2012 periods.

> Given under my Hand and the Seal of the President of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, at the Office of the President, St. Ann's, this 25th day of October, 2011.

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