Legal Notice No. 268

# REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE CUSTOMS ACT, CHAP. 78:01

#### REGULATIONS

Made by the President under section 263(1) of the Customs Act

### THE CUSTOMS (FEES) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2014

- 1. These Regulations may be cited as the Customs (Fees) Citation (Amendment) Regulations, 2014.
- 2. In these Regulations, "the Regulations" means the Customs  $_{\mbox{\scriptsize Interpretation}}$  (Fees) Regulations, 1957.
- 3. Regulation 4 of the Regulations is amended in subregula-  $_{\rm Regulation\,\,4}$  tion (1)—

(a) by deleting paragraph (a) and substituting the following:

"(a) on ordinary weekdays—

Coxswain \$55.22 for each hour or part thereof;

Engineer

Senior \$61.31 for each hour or part thereof;

Coxswain Engineer

Customs \$64.20 for each hour or part thereof;

and Excise

Guard

Customs \$75.44 for each hour or part thereof;

and Excise

Officer

Customs \$96.70 for each hour or part thereof;

and Excise

Supervisor

# on Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays-

Coxswain Engineer	\$55.22 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$73.62 for each hour or part thereof;
Senior	\$61.31 for each hour or part thereof
Coxswain	for the first eight hours and thereafter
Engineer	\$81.75 for each hour or part thereof;
Customs	\$64.20 for each hour or part thereof
and Excise	for the first eight hours and thereafter
Guard	\$85.60 for each hour or part thereof;
Customs	\$75.44 for each hour or part thereof
and Excise	for the first eight hours and thereafter
Officer	\$100.58 for each hour or part thereof;
Customs	\$96.70 for each hour or part thereof
and Excise	for the first eight hours and thereafter
Supervisor	\$128.94 for each hour or part thereof;";

- (b) in paragraph (b), by deleting the words "\$174.50" and "\$87.28" and substituting the words "\$193.40" and "\$96.70", respectively;
- (c) in paragraph (c), by deleting the words "\$33.91" and substituting the words "\$37.72";
- (d) in paragraph (d), by deleting the words "\$174.50" and substituting the words "\$193.40";
- (e) in paragraph (e), by deleting the words "\$174.50" and substituting the words "\$193.40";
- (f) in paragraph (f), by deleting the words "\$203.51" and substituting the words "\$226.32";

- (g) in paragraph (g), by deleting the words "\$203.51" and substituting the words "\$226.32"; and
- (h) in paragraph (h), by deleting the words "\$203.51" and "\$101.76" and substituting the words "\$226.32" and "\$113.16", respectively.
- 4. Regulation 4A of the Regulations is revoked and the following Regulation 4A regulation is substituted:

  revoked and substituted

"Overtime fees 4A. (1) The overtime fees for duties performed by the officers specified in the Schedule, for any period of time in excess of the hours set out in these Regulations, are payable to the Comptroller at the rates and for the years indicated in the Schedule.

Schedule

- (2) The fees specified in the Schedule in respect of—
  - (a) the year 2008, are deemed to have come into effect on 1st January, 2008;
  - (b) the year 2009, are deemed to have come into effect on 1st January, 2009;
  - (c) the year 2010, are deemed to have come into effect on 1st January, 2010; and
  - (*d*) the year 2011, are deemed to have come into effect on 1st January, 2011.
- (3) Notwithstanding subregulation (1), any person who utilized any of the services mentioned in the Schedule shall be exempt from the payment of any sums of monies representing the difference between the rates which were payable, in respect of those services, before 1st January, 2008 and the rates set out in the Schedule."

Regulation repealed and substituted

# 5. The Schedule to the Regulations is repealed and the following Schedule is substituted:

### "SCHEDULE

(Regulation 4A)

 $$\operatorname{Part}$$  A Customs and Excise Supervisor

	2008	2009	2010	2011
On ordinary weekdays	\$90.26 for each hour or part thereof.	\$91.17 for each hour or part thereof.	\$92.98 for each hour or part thereof.	\$96.70 for each hour or part thereof.
On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	\$90.26 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$120.34 for each hour or part thereof.	\$91.17 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$121.55 for each hour or part thereof.	\$92.98 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$123.97 for each hour or part thereof.	

 $${\rm Part}$\;\;B$$  Customs and Excise Officer—Grades I, II, III

	2008	2009	2010	2011
On ordinary weekdays	\$70.41 for each hour or part thereof.	\$71.12 for each hour or part thereof.	\$72.53 for each hour or part thereof.	\$75.44 for each hour or part thereof.
On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	\$70.41 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$93.87 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$94.82 for	\$72.53 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$96.71 for each hour or part thereof.	

 $$\operatorname{Part}$$  C 
 Customs and Excise Guard Supervisor and Customs and Excise Guard—Grades I, II, III

	2008	2009	2010	2011
On ordinary weekdays	\$59.93 for each hour or part thereof.	\$60.52 for each hour or part thereof.	\$61.73 for each hour or part thereof.	\$64.20 for each hour or part thereof.
On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	\$59.93 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$79.90 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$80.70 for	\$61.73 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$82.30 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the

 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm PART\ D} \\ \\ {\bf Senior\ Coxswain\ Engineer} \end{array}$ 

	2008	2009	2010	2011
On ordinary weekdays	\$57.22 for each hour or part thereof.	\$57.81 for each hour or part thereof.	\$58.96 for each hour or part thereof.	\$61.31 for each hour or part thereof.
On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	\$57.22 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$76.30 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$77.07 for	\$58.96 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$78.61 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the

 $$\operatorname{Part}$\;\; E$$  Coxswain Engineer, other than Senior Coxswain Engineer

	2008	2009	2010	2011
On ordinary weekdays	\$51.55 for each hour or part thereof.	\$52.06 for each hour or part thereof.	\$53.10 for each hour or part thereof.	\$55.22 for each hour or part thereof.
On Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	\$51.55 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$68.73 for each hour or part thereof.	thereof for the first eight	\$53.10 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and thereafter \$70.80 for each hour or part thereof.	\$55.22 for each hour or part thereof for the first eight hours and there after \$73.62 for each hour or part thereof.

 $$\operatorname{Part}$\ F$$  Customs and Excise Officer

Service	2008	2009	2010	2011
Entering or clearing of vessels other than a coasting vessel—				
(a) each entrance or clearance	\$180.51	\$182.34	\$185.97	\$193.40
(b) each additional clearance, where two or more applications are made at the same time by the same person	\$90.26	\$91.17	\$92.98	\$96.70
2. Granting of an application to load ship's stores of any kind excluding bunkers.	\$180.51	\$182.34	\$185.97	\$193.40
3. Granting of a supplementary application extending the duration of a service or requiring the employment of additional officers.	\$180.51	\$182.34	\$185.97	\$193.40

PART F—Continued

Customs and Excise Officer

Service	2008	2009	2010	2011
4. Entering or clearing of a coasting vessel.	\$35.20	\$35.56	\$36.27	\$37.72
5. Boarding of a ship other than coasting vessels or aircraft.	\$211.23	\$213.35	\$217.60	\$226.32
6. Issuing of a Loading Licence or a Permit to discharge coastwise.	\$211.23	\$213.35	\$217.60	\$226.32
7. Search of a content—				
(a) each search of a content	\$211.23	\$213.35	\$217.60	\$226.32
(b) each additional search of a content, where two or more applications are made at the same time by the same person	\$105.60	\$106.69	\$108.80	\$113.16".

Dated this 11th day of September, 2014.

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Secretary to Cabinet