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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT, CHAP. 2:01

ORDER

MADE BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER SECTION 29(5) OF THE REPRESENTATION OF THE PEOPLE ACT

DECLARATION OF EXISTING LIST OF ELECTORS (PRELIMINARY LIST FOR ELECTORAL REGISTRATION) ORDER, 2016

WHEREAS section 29(1) of the Representation of the People Act (hereinafter referred to as "the Act") provides, *inter alia*, that the Elections and Boundaries Commission shall, in respect of each electoral district, publish on 1st July of every year a list (hereinafter referred to as "the annual list") of all persons qualified to be, and duly registered as, electors in that electoral district:

And whereas section 29(2) of the Act provides that the annual list shall continue in force until 30th June of the following year and on the commencement of the electoral registration shall be deemed to be the preliminary list of electors for that electoral district:

And whereas the annual list of electors published on 1st July, 2016 has been continuously updated:

And whereas section 29(5) of the Act provides that the President may by Order declare any existing list of electors for an electoral district to be the preliminary list for that electoral district for the purposes of an electoral registration:

Now, therefore, I, ANTHONY THOMAS AQUINAS CARMONA, O.R.T.T., S.C., President and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago, do hereby order that the annual list of electors of 1st July, 2016, as updated and existing as at 13th October, 2016, on the records of the Elections and Boundaries Commission, be deemed to be the preliminary list of electors for the purposes of the electoral registration for the one hundred and thirty-seven electoral districts in Trinidad that commences on 18th October, 2016, in relation to a local government election in the said electoral districts.

Dated this 11th day of October, 2016.

ANTHONY T. A. CARMONA

President

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