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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 OF ELECTORAL REGISTRATION) ORDER, 2020

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, 2020 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, PAULA-MAE WEEKES, O.R.T.T., 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, 2020, as updated and existing as at 16th December, 2020, on the records of the Election and Boundaries Commission, be deemed to be the preliminary list of electors for the purposes of the electoral registration for the five electoral districts of Arima Central, Cunupia, Morne Coco/Alyce Glen, Hollywood and Hindustan/St. Mary's that commences on 17th December, 2020, in relation to five bye-elections in the said electoral districts.

Dated this 11th day of December, 2020.

PAULA-MAE WEEKES

President

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