

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 146

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE IMMIGRATION ACT, CHAP. 18:01

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER UNDER REGULATION 10(14) OF THE  
IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS, 1974

THE IMMIGRATION (EXEMPTION FROM WORK PERMIT)  
(VENEZUELAN NATIONALS) ORDER, 2021

1. This Order may be cited as the Immigration (Exemption From Citation  
Work Permit) (Venezuelan Nationals) Order, 2021.

2. In this Order—

Interpretation

“designated period” means the period from 31st May, 2019 to  
14th June, 2019, inclusive;

“permit” means the written permit referred to in section 10 of  
the Act;

“registrant card” means the card issued pursuant to clause 4;

“the Regulations” means the Immigration Regulations, 1974; G.N. No. 178  
of 1974

“Venezuelan national” means a national of the Bolivarian  
Republic of Venezuela; and

“Venezuelan registrant” means a venezuelan national who  
applied for a permit during the designated period and was  
issued a permit.

3. A Venezuelan registrant who is issued a permit is exempt from Work permit  
exemption  
the requirement for a work permit to engage in employment in Trinidad  
and Tobago as prescribed by regulation 10 of the Regulations.

4. (1) The Minister shall cause to be issued to a Venezuelan Registrant  
card  
registrant, who is the holder of a permit, a registrant card displaying,  
*inter alia*, the following particulars of the registrant—

- (a) his name;
- (b) his date of birth;
- (c) a photograph of himself; and
- (d) the expiration date of his permit.

(2) Where a registrant card is lost, stolen or mutilated, the  
Venezuelan registrant may request the issuance of a duplicate  
registrant card.

(3) The request for a duplicate registrant card shall be accompanied by—

Schedule

- (a) a fee of five hundred dollars; and  
(b) a signed declaration in the form set out in the Schedule.

(4) Where a registrant card is mutilated, a duplicate registrant card shall not be issued until the mutilated registrant card has been delivered for destruction.

Duration

5. This Order expires on 31st December, 2021.

Schedule

[Clause 4]

**Statutory Declaration – Duplicate Registrant Card**

I, ..... of ..... in  
the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago do solemnly and sincerely  
declare as follows:

1. I was issued a registrant card on .....
2. The said registrant card was lost/stolen/mutilated, on or  
about the ..... day of ....., 20 .....
3. A report of the loss or theft of the registrant card was made  
to the ..... Police Station on .....
4. I wish to be issued a duplicate registrant card.

And I make this declaration conscientiously believing the same to  
be true and according to the Statutory Declarations Act, Ch. 7:04  
and I am aware that if there is any statement in this declaration which  
is false in fact, which I know or believe to be false or do not believe  
to be true I am liable to fine and imprisonment.

Declared at .....  
this ..... day of ..... 20.....

Before me. ....  
Commissioner of Affidavits

Dated this 12th day of May, 2021.

F. E. HINDS  
*Minister of National Security*