

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 358

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

No. 43 of 2023.

By Her Excellency **CHRISTINE CARLA KANGALOO**, O.R.T.T.,
President of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago
and Commander-in-Chief of the Armed Forces.

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CHRISTINE CARLA KANGALOO
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, one hundred members of the Trinidad and Tobago Volunteer Defence Force to strengthen the Trinidad and Tobago Defence Force capability towards the fulfilment of operational support to the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service in the provision of a safe and secure environment during the pre-Christmas season to the 2024 Carnival period:

Now, therefore, I, **CHRISTINE CARLA KANGALOO**, President as aforesaid, hereby call out to duty, one hundred members of the Trinidad and Tobago Volunteer Defence Force for a period of one hundred and twenty-three days with effect from October 30, 2023 to February 29, 2024, to strengthen the Trinidad and Tobago Defence Force capability

towards the fulfilment of operational support to the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service in the provision of a safe and secure environment during the pre-Christmas season to the 2024 Carnival period.

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 30th day of October, 2023.