

LEGAL NOTICE NO. 294

REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

THE REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMMISSION ACT, CHAP. 54:73

ORDER

MADE BY THE MINISTER UNDER SECTION 30(2) OF THE
REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMMISSION ACT

THE REGULATED INDUSTRIES COMMISSION
(APPROVAL OF CESS) ORDER, 2026

WHEREAS section 30(1) of the Regulated Industries Commission Act ^{Preamble} (hereinafter referred to as “the Act”) provides that the Regulated Industries Commission (hereinafter referred to as “the Commission”) may impose upon service providers, a cess on rates and charges collected by the service providers:

And whereas the Commission has imposed upon service providers, a cess on rates and charges collected by the service providers:

And whereas section 30(2) of the Act provides that no cess imposed shall be of any effect unless and until approved by the Minister, by Order:

And whereas section 30(3) of the Act provides, among other things, that the Minister shall satisfy himself that the cess is fair and reasonable having regard to the needs of the Commission:

And whereas the Minister has satisfied himself that the cess imposed is fair and reasonable having regard to the needs of the Commission:

Now, therefore, the Minister, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 30(2) of the Act, orders as follows:

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| Citation | 1. This Order may be cited as the Regulated Industries Commission (Approval of Cess) Order, 2026. |
| Cess approved | 2. The cess for fiscal year 2024 imposed on each of the service providers listed in the First Column of the Schedule, in the corresponding amount set out in the Second Column, is approved. |

SCHEDULE

FIRST COLUMN <i>Service Providers</i>	SECOND COLUMN <i>Amount</i> \$
1. The Power Generation Company of Trinidad and Tobago (PowerGen)	3,180,503
2. Trinity Power (formerly InnCogen Limited) ...	694,885
3. The Trinidad and Tobago Electricity Commission (T&TEC)	12,294,518
4. The Water and Sewerage Authority (WASA) ...	3,302,764

Dated this 14th day of May, 2026.

B. PADARATH
Minister of Public Utilities