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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

**Act No. 9 of 2003**

[L.S.]

AN ACT to amend the Adoption of Children Act, 2000

*[Assented to 19th March, 2003]*

ENACTED by the Parliament of Trinidad and Tobago as Enactment  
follows:—

**1.** This Act may be cited as the Adoption of Children Short title  
(Amendment) Act, 2003.

Section amended  
Act No. 67 of 2000

**2. Section 2 of the Adoption of Children Act is amended by deleting the definition of the word “Court” therein and substituting the following:**

“ ‘Court’ means Court with jurisdiction for family matters.”.

Section amended  
Act No. 67 of 2000

**3. Section 27 of the Adoption of Children Act is amended by deleting subsection (1).**

Passed in the Senate this 19th day of November, 2002.

**D. DOLLY**  
*Clerk of the Senate*

Passed in the House of Representatives this 7th day of March, 2003.

**J. SAMPSON-JACENT**  
*Clerk of the House*