
Second Session Ninth Parliament Republic of
Trinidad and Tobago



REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 14 of 2009

[L.S.]

AN ACT to amend the Metrology Act, 2004

[Assented to November 13, 2009]

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Metrology Short title
(Amendment) Act, 2009.

Interpretation
Act No. 18 of 2004

2. In this Act, “the Act” means the Metrology Act, 2004.

Section 4
amended

3. The Act is amended in section 4, by repealing subsection (3) and substituting the following subsection:

“ (3) Without prejudice to the legality of the use of metric units of measurement—

(a) the barrel referred to in the Fifth Schedule shall be used only in connection with trade in petroleum and petroleum products;

(b) the standard cubic foot and the British thermal unit (Btu) referred to in the Fifth Schedule shall be used only in connection with trade in natural gas.”

4. The Fifth Schedule to the Act is amended by inserting the following items after the unit “barrel”:

Fifth Schedule
amended

Name of Unit	Abbreviation of symbol	Base SI unit from which derived	Value
*Standard cubic foot	scf	metre	.028316847 cubic metre
UNIT OF ENERGY *British thermal unit (ISO 31-4)	Btu	joule	1055.056 joules

Passed in the Senate this 7th day of July, 2009.

Clerk of the Senate

Passed in the House of Representatives this 6th day
of November, 2009.

Clerk of the House