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SENATE

BILL

AN ACT to amend the Quarantine Act, Chap. 28:05

THE QUARANTINE (AMENDMENT) BILL, 2021

Explanatory Note

(These notes form no part of the Bill but are intended only to indicate its general purport)

This Bill seeks to amend the Quarantine Act, Chap. 28:05.

Clause 1 provides for the short title of the Act.

Clause 2 of the Bill seeks to amend the sections 4 and 7 of the Quarantine Act, Chap. 28:05 (“the Act”). Clause 2(a) would amend section 4 of the Act by inserting a new subsection (3) to impose a penalty of a fine two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) and to imprisonment for six (6) months for any contravention of the Regulations. Clause 2(b) would amend section 7 in subsections (1) and (2) respectively, to amend the penalties from a fine of six thousand dollars and imprisonment for six months to a fine of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) and to imprisonment for one year (1 year).

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[, 2021]

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

1. This Act may be cited as the Quarantine Short title
(Amendment) Act, 2021.

2. The Quarantine Act is amended—
(a) in section 4, by inserting after subsection (3), Chap. 28:05
amended

the following subsection:

“(4) Regulations may provide that any contravention thereof shall constitute an offence punishable on summary conviction by a fine of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars and to imprisonment for six months.”;

(b) in section 7—

(i) in subsection (1), by deleting the words “a fine of six thousand dollars and to imprisonment for six months” and substituting the words “ a fine of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars and to imprisonment for one year”; and

(ii) in subsection (2), by deleting the words “a fine of six thousand dollars and to imprisonment for six months” and substituting the words “a fine of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars and to imprisonment for one year ”.

Passed in the Senate this day of , 2021.

Clerk of the Senate

I confirm the above.

President of the Senate

Passed in the House of Representatives this day
of , 2021.

Clerk of the House

I confirm the above.

Speaker

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Received and read the

First time

Second time

Third time