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REPUBLIC OF TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Act No. 5 of 2024

[L.S.]

AN ACT to make provision for the efficient and effective
staging of the ICC Men's T20 Cricket World Cup
2024 and for related purposes

[Assented to 14th May, 2024]

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

PART I

PRELIMINARY

1. This Act may be cited as the ICC Men's T20 Short title
Cricket World Cup 2024 Act, 2024.

Interpretation

2. (1) In this Act—

“accredited person” means a person accredited in writing by ICC to access specified areas within an ICC venue;

“advertisement” means any written, illustrated, visual or other descriptive material or oral statement, communication, representation or reference distributed to members of the public or brought to their notice in any manner with the intention to—

- (a) promote the sale or leasing of goods;
- (b) encourage the use of any service; or
- (c) draw attention to the nature, properties, advantages or uses of goods or any service or to the manner in, conditions on or prices at which—
 - (i) goods may be purchased, leased or otherwise acquired; or
 - (ii) any service is rendered or provided;

“aircraft” includes—

- (a) any machine that is capable of deriving support in the atmosphere from reactions of the air, other than a machine designed to derive support in the atmosphere from reactions against the earth's surface of air expelled from the machine; and
- (b) a rocket or such machine to travel into outer space and refers to civilian aircraft, but does not include aircraft used for military or police services;

“authorised person” means a person authorised in writing by ICC or CWI to represent it;

“Commissioner” means the Commissioner of Police;

“Committee” means the Local Organising Committee chaired by the Trinidad and Tobago Cricket Board and appointed CWI personnel;

“Comptroller” means the Comptroller of Customs;

“customs officer” means an officer within the meaning of the Customs Act;

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“CWC 2024” means the ICC Men's T20 Cricket World Cup 2024 and includes a CWC 2024 activity;

“CWC 2024 activity” means a match, a CWC 2024 related function or other activity authorised by CWI;

“CWC 2024 logo” means any official logo of CWC 2024;

“CWC 2024 mark” means the CWC 2024 logo, CWC 2024 title, CWC 2024 mascot, and the image or likeness of the CWC 2024 trophy, the ICC mark, any mark belonging to WICB and any other marks, whether in the form of words, logos, devices, indicia, or anything else, developed for or used by or with the consent of IBC in connection with the CWC 2024, and includes all registrations or applications to register the same in Trinidad and Tobago but excludes any such marks to the extent that they are owned by an official sponsor, official supplier, official broadcaster or other media or commercial representative appointed and approved by CWI;

“CWC 2024 mascot” means the official mascot of CWC 2024;

“CWC 2024 official” means—

- (a) an employee of CWI; or
- (b) a person authorised by CWI to carry out functions on its behalf;

“CWC 2024 ticket” means a ticket issued by CWI permitting entry to a CWC 2024 activity and includes a CWI accreditation;

“CWC 2024 title” means ICC Men's T20 Cricket World Cup 2024 or such other name as may be determined by IBC;

“CWC 2024 venue” means a place declared as such under section 3 for the purposes of CWC 2024;

“CWI” means Cricket West Indies Inc., a company incorporated under the laws of the British Virgin Islands;

“dangerous weapon” means any—

- (a) explosive;
- (b) incendiary device;
- (c) firearm;
- (d) gas;
- (e) weapon;
- (f) glass of any description;
- (g) object that can be used as a missile; or
- (h) instrument, article or material which can be used to—
 - (i) maim, disfigure, disable or cause bodily harm or death to a person;

(ii) render a person temporarily paralysed or unconscious; or

(iii) cause damage to property;

“designated person” means—

(a) IBC, ICC, CWI and their respective employees, consultants, officials, agents and representatives;

(b) ICC members and their respective employees, consultants, officials, agents and representatives;

(c) members of the delegation of any participating team, including players, coaches, medical doctors and officials;

(d) IBC partners or CWI partners and their respective employees, consultants, officials, agents and representatives;

(e) media representatives who are accredited by IBC in respect of the CWC 2024; and

(f) any other person who is accredited by IBC in respect of CWC 2024;

“document” means recorded information regardless of form or medium;

“IBC” means ICC Business Corporation FZ LLC, a company incorporated under the regulations of the Dubai Development Authority;

“ICC” means the International Cricket Council, a company limited by guarantee and incorporated in the British Virgin Islands;

“licensed user” means a person in relation to whom a licence under section 31 is in force;

“match” means a match, including a warm-up match, that forms part of CWC 2024 and includes a performance or formalities held or conducted in conjunction with a match;

“match period” means a period declared as such by the Minister under section 3 for the purposes of CWC 2024;

“Minister” means the Minister with responsibility for sport;

“official broadcaster” means a broadcaster appointed and approved by IBC in relation to CWC 2024;

“official sponsor” means a sponsor appointed and approved by IBC in relation to CWC 2024;

“official supplier” means a supplier of products or services appointed as the official supplier of such products or services for CWC 2024 by IBC;

“participating team” means an ICC member country team competing in CWC 2024;

“permitted entrant” means—

(a) the holder of a CWC 2024 ticket that entitles the holder to be within specific areas of a CWC 2024 venue;

(b) any other person who is, under a general or specific authorisation or accreditation granted by or on behalf of CWI, entitled to be in the CWC 2024 venue;

“playing field” means the playing field at which a match is being played or is to be played and includes any area between the playing field and any structure intended to be a barrier between the players and the spectators;

“police officer” means a member of the Trinidad and Tobago Police Service;

“promote” in relation to an activity, includes to organise, conduct or give publicity to that activity;

“reserved area” means an area within a CWC 2024 venue to which access is—

(a) limited to persons holding certain types of CWC 2024 tickets; or

(b) otherwise restricted;

“service mark” means a visible sign used or to be used in connection with or in relation to any services for the purpose of distinguishing, in the course of trade or business, the services provided by one person from those provided by another person;

“sign” includes a word, personal name, design, letter, numeral, a colour, a combination of colours, the shape of goods or their packaging;

“squad” means the members of a participating team comprising such number of players and officials as determined by ICC or IBC;

“stadium” means the whole premises of any stadium, ground or place at which any match, the opening ceremony or the closing ceremony of CWC 2024 is scheduled to take place;

“tax” includes any fee, levy or surcharge;

“trade mark” means a visible sign used or to be used upon, with or in relation to any goods for the purpose of distinguishing, in the course of trade or business, the goods of one person from those of another person;

“vehicle” means a conveyance that is designed to be propelled or drawn by any means, whether or not capable of being so propelled or drawn; and

“WICB” means the West Indies Cricket Board Inc., a company incorporated in the British Virgin Islands.

PART II

CWC 2024 SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS

Declaration of CWC
2024 venue and
match period

3. (1) The Minister, after consultation with the Committee, may by public notice published in the *Gazette* and in at least two newspapers in daily circulation in Trinidad and Tobago—

- (a) declare any area within the control of the Committee or CWI or both, that is reasonably required for the staging of a CWC 2024 activity, as a CWC 2024 venue;
- (b) stipulate within the public notice referred to in subsection (1) the date—
 - (i) with effect from which the area will be regarded as a CWC 2024 venue; and
 - (ii) on which the area ceases to be regarded as a CWC 2024 venue, which date shall not be later than the date of the expiration of this Act; and
- (c) declare a period as a match period.

(2) A public notice published under subsection (1) shall state the reason for the declaration.

(3) For the purposes of subsection (1)(a), areas reasonably required for the staging of a CWC 2024 activity—

- (a) may include areas that are to be used for a purpose ancillary to the holding of a CWC 2024 activity;
- (b) may comprise two or more non-contiguous areas; and
- (c) shall not include—
 - (i) an airport or a seaport;
 - (ii) any area which is protected or reserved under any other enactment; or
 - (iii) any private property, except with the consent of the owner.

4. (1) CWI shall, for the duration of a match period, have full and unrestricted control of a venue so declared pursuant to section 3(1). CWI to have unrestricted control of CWC 2024 venue

(2) The power given to CWI under subsection (1) shall be subject to the rights of any governmental or municipal authority responsible for public health, disaster management or national security.

5. (1) The Commissioner may, in relation to any match period, issue traffic directions under the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act to— Traffic control and deliveries within CWC 2024 venues Chap. 48:50

- (a) regulate or prohibit the making of deliveries within any CWC 2024 venue;
- (b) regulate or prohibit the loading or unloading of vehicles within any CWC 2024 venue; and
- (c) impose restrictions relating to the standing, stopping or parking of vehicles within a CWC 2024 venue.

(2) A direction by the Commissioner under subsection (1) may apply—

- (a) to an entire CWC 2024 venue or part of a venue;
- (b) to vehicles of a specific class or description;
- (c) on such days only as are specified in the direction;
- (d) during such periods on those days as are specified in the direction; and
- (e) subject to such conditions as are specified in the direction.

(3) Notwithstanding the provisions of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, a person who contravenes a direction under this section commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of thirty thousand dollars.

(4) Without prejudice to any other liability incurred by the commission of a traffic violation, vehicles found parked in contravention of a direction issued under this section may be removed by the police and impounded and dealt with in accordance with section 108(1)(b) of the Motor Vehicles and Road Traffic Act.

(5) Nothing in this section limits the power of the Commissioner to restrict access to or use of any road pursuant to any other law.

Sale and distribution
of CWC 2024 tickets

6. (1) CWI shall be responsible for the production and distribution of CWC 2024 tickets.

(2) No person shall, without the written authorisation of CWI, sell any CWC 2024 ticket or an article that is represented to be such a ticket for admission to a CWC 2024 activity.

(3) For the purposes of subsection (2), “sell” includes—

- (a) sell by wholesale, retail, auction or tender;

- (b) hire;
- (c) barter or exchange;
- (d) supply for profit;
- (e) offer for sale or hire, receive for sale or hire, have in possession for sale or hire, or expose or exhibit for sale or hire;
- (f) conduct negotiations for sale or hire;
- (g) consign or deliver for sale or hire;
- (h) solicit for sale or hire;
- (i) donate, transfer or in any way dispose of a ticket for gain or profit; and
- (j) cause or permit anything referred to in paragraphs (a) to (i).

(4) A person who contravenes subsection (2) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of sixty thousand dollars.

7. The Minister responsible for immigration may, pursuant to section 44 of the Immigration Act, make regulations for the recognition of a visa issued by a CARICOM Host Country listed in the First Schedule for entry into Trinidad and Tobago.

Recognition of visas
issued by a
CARICOM Host
Country
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8. (1) Any permit to work in Trinidad and Tobago in relation to CWC 2024, and any approval or documentation required for such purpose by any designated person shall be provided by the Chief Immigration Officer within seven days of being requested and shall remain valid and effective until the conclusion of CWC 2024.

Work permit

(2) The work permits referred to in subsection (1) shall be provided within the period so stated where the applicant complies with the requirements stipulated by the Chief Immigration Officer.

Import and export
duties

9. (1) Notwithstanding any provision of any law to the contrary—

- (a) personal effects;
- (b) food, food supplements and beverages;
- (c) medical supplies, medical instruments and pharmaceuticals;
- (d) sporting equipment;
- (e) promotional, signage and decorative materials;
- (f) photographic and audio-visual equipment and supplies, including broadcast equipment and supplies;
- (g) documents, printed matter, computers and other office equipment;
- (h) gifts, awards, trophies, medals and flags;
- (i) uniforms, costumes and other clothing; and
- (j) products that the licensee intends to distribute as promotional items and products of the licensee, including automobiles, which are supplied to CWI and IBC,

in connection with the organisation and staging of CWC 2024, shall be exempt from import duty, or other impost in accordance with the Customs Act or any other enactment relating to the imposition of duties.

(2) Notwithstanding any provision of any law to the contrary, a person who is participating in, organising or staging the CWC 2024, shall be permitted to export such goods without any duty, or other impost in accordance with the Customs Act or any other enactment relating to the imposition of duties.

(3) For the purposes of this section—

- (a) “duty” includes any tax chargeable on the importation of goods into Trinidad and Tobago; and

(b) “licensee” means an official sponsor, official supplier, official broadcaster or other media or commercial representative appointed and approved by ICC or IBC in connection with the hosting of CWC 2024.

10. (1) Income arising from CWC 2024 and earned by a designated person, who is not ordinarily resident of Trinidad and Tobago, shall be exempt from taxes and duties of every description. Exemption from taxes and duties

(2) CWC 2024 tickets shall be exempt from taxes and duties of every description.

(3) CWI, ICC and IBC, its subsidiaries and associates shall be exempt from taxes and duties of every description.

(4) For the purposes of subsection (1), “income” includes basic salary, appearance fees, endorsement fees, prize money, and man-of-the-match and man-of-the-series awards.

PART III

CONDUCT IN CWC 2024 VENUE

11. (1) No person shall enter a stadium during a match period unless he is a permitted entrant. Entry into and exit from a stadium in a CWC 2024 venue

(2) No person shall enter or leave a stadium during a match period except through an entrance or exit designated by CWI or as otherwise permitted by CWI.

(3) A person who contravenes this section commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of thirty thousand dollars.

12. (1) Unless authorised by CWI, no person shall, Unauthorised entry during a match period, enter or be present in or on—

- (a) any part of a playing field;
- (b) any other part of a stadium if it is indicated that entry into that part is not permitted; or

(c) any part of any other CWC 2024 venue if it is indicated that entry into that part is not permitted.

(2) For the purposes of subsection (1)(b) and (c), an indication that entry is not permitted may be given in the following manner:

- (a) an advertisement;
- (b) a pamphlet;
- (c) the conditions attached to a CWC 2024 ticket;
- (d) a direction of a police officer or an authorised person;
- (e) a fence, chain or barrier around the part or across an entrance into the part; or
- (f) a sign erected in, at or near an entrance.

(3) A person who contravenes subsection (1) may be—

- (a) ordered by a police officer or an authorised person to leave a CWC 2024 venue, or part thereof; or
- (b) removed from the CWC 2024 venue, or part thereof, by a police officer where that person refuses to comply with an order under paragraph (a).

(4) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of twelve thousand dollars.

Reserved areas and reserved seats

13. (1) CWI may, for the duration of a match period, set aside—

- (a) any area within a CWC 2024 venue as a reserved area; or
- (b) any seat within a CWC 2024 venue as a reserved seat.

(2) No person shall enter or remain in a reserved area or occupy a reserved seat unless that person is—

- (a) the holder of a CWC 2024 ticket conferring authorisation to do so; or

(b) otherwise authorised so to do by or on behalf of CWI.

(3) A police officer or an authorised person who has reasonable grounds to suspect that a person who is in a reserved area or reserved seat is not authorised to be in the area or seat, may request that person to produce evidence of his authorisation to enter or remain in the reserved area or to occupy the reserved seat.

(4) A person who fails to comply with a request under subsection (3) may be ordered by a police officer or an authorised person to leave the reserved area, reserved seat or the CWC 2024 venue.

(5) A person who refuses to comply with an order given under subsection (4)—

(a) may be removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer; and

(b) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of twelve thousand dollars.

14. (1) This section applies to the members of any organisation, association, club or similar body or any other person who may have certain privileges in relation to a stadium. Members' privileges during a match period

(2) During a match period, the privileges of a person referred to in subsection (1) may, with the consent of the owner of the stadium, be suspended in relation to the stadium, or any part of it.

(3) Where the privileges of a person referred to in subsection (1) are suspended under subsection (2), the person may be—

(a) ordered by a police officer or an authorised person to leave the stadium; or

(b) removed from the stadium by a police officer, where that person refuses to comply with an order given under paragraph (a).

(4) The Government, ICC, IBC, WICB or CWI shall not, in any suit, action or proceeding, be liable—

- (a) to pay compensation to any person for the suspension of any privilege under this section; or
- (b) to reimburse any person for the whole or a portion of any payment made by the person to obtain any privilege which was suspended under this section.

Conduct within CWC
2024 venue

15. (1) A person shall not in any CWC 2024 venue—

- (a) misuse, deface, damage or tamper with any building, vomitorium, seat, chair, table, structure, vehicle, craft, truck, pipe, tap, tap-fitting, conduit, electrical equipment, wiring or sign;
- (b) excavate or cause to be excavated any part of a CWC 2024 venue unless authorised by CWI;
- (c) erect any structure, erect or display any sign, banner or other thing, in contravention of this Act unless authorised by CWI;
- (d) block any stair, step, aisle, gangway, overpass, underpass, pontoon, bridge, entry, exit or other thoroughfare unless authorised by CWI;
- (e) throw or use any stone, bottle, missile or any other dangerous object;
- (f) disrupt, interrupt, or behave in a manner that may disrupt or interrupt any CWC 2024 activity or disrupt, or interfere with, the comfort of persons at a CWC 2024 activity;
- (g) interfere with the equipment of a person taking part in a CWC 2024 activity;

- (h) operate or use a loud hailer, public address system or other broadcast device or any other device that may interfere with electronic or radio communications unless authorised by CWI;
- (i) conduct public surveys or opinion polls, or solicit money, donations or subscriptions from members of the public unless authorised by CWI;
- (j) act or conduct himself in such a way as to—
 - (i) adversely affect the safety of the public within the stadium or other CWC 2024 venue;
 - (ii) interfere with any person taking part in a CWC 2024 activity;
 - (iii) interfere with the equipment of a person taking part in a CWC 2024 activity;
 - (iv) adversely affect the efficient operation and staging of a CWC 2024 activity; and
- (k) engage in the conduct described in section 18.

(2) A police officer may dismantle or remove any structure erected or any sign, banner or other thing displayed in contravention of this section.

- (3) A person who contravenes subsection (1)—
- (a) may be—
 - (i) ordered by an authorised person or a police officer to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
 - (ii) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer if that person refuses to comply with an order under subparagraph (i); and

(b) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

(4) A police officer may take possession of anything used or capable of being used to contravene this section.

(5) Where possession of an item is taken under subsection (4), the item shall be lodged with CWI.

(6) An item lodged with CWI shall, except where the person is charged, be available for collection, within forty-eight hours after possession of it was taken, at such place as is notified to the person from whom it was taken.

(7) For the purposes of subsection (1)(j)(ii) and section 16(2)(a)(vi), “a person taking part in a CWC 2024 activity” means—

- (a) a member of a squad;
- (b) a person, including an umpire or a match referee, engaged in the control or management of the CWC 2024 activity;
- (c) a member of a class of persons authorised to enter the playing field; or
- (d) any person involved in the production, transmission or broadcast of a CWC 2024 activity whether by television, radio, internet, or wireless service or otherwise.

Prohibited or
restricted items in
CWC 2024 venue

16. (1) No person shall, bring into or have in his possession at a CWC 2024 venue, during a match period—

- (a) any weapon or dangerous object or article capable of being used as a weapon;
- (b) any animal other than a guide dog if the person is blind; or
- (c) any article specified in Part I of the Second Schedule.

Second Schedule

(2) No person shall bring into or have in his possession at a CWC 2024 venue during a match period, any article—

(a) which may be used to—

- (i) erect a structure;
- (ii) deface or damage any structure within that venue;
- (iii) adversely affect the safety of the public within that venue;
- (iv) disrupt or interrupt a CWC 2024 activity;
- (v) interfere with the comfort of persons within the CWC 2024 venue or their enjoyment of a CWC 2024 activity;
- (vi) distract, hinder or interfere with a person taking part in a CWC 2024 activity or the equipment of that person;
- (vii) engage in conduct prohibited under section 18;
- (viii) otherwise affect the efficient operation and staging of a CWC 2024 activity; or

(b) specified in Part II of the Second Schedule, except where that article is sold at the venue.

(3) A person who contravenes subsection (1) may be—

- (a) ordered by an authorised person to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
- (b) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer, if that person refuses to comply with an order under paragraph (a).

(4) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

Surrender of
prohibited items

17. (1) An authorised person may request a person to surrender any item that—

- (a) is prohibited under section 16(1) or restricted under section 16(2) or that may be used in a manner to contravene section 16(2), which is in his possession at any security point or entrance of a CWC 2024 venue;
- (b) has been brought into a CWC 2024 venue—
 - (i) in contravention of section 16(1) or 16(2); or
 - (ii) that may be used to contravene section 16(2).

(2) A person who refuses to surrender an item when requested to do so under—

- (a) subsection (1)(a) may be refused entry to a CWC 2024 venue; or
- (b) subsection (1)(b) may be—
 - (i) ordered by an authorised person to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
 - (ii) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer, if that person refuses to comply with the order under subparagraph (i).

(3) An authorised person, on taking possession of an item under this section, shall give a receipt to the person from whom it was taken, indicating the nature of the item and the date and time when possession of it was taken by the authorised person.

(4) An item referred to in subsection (3) shall—

- (a) be lodged with CWI; and

(b) except where the person is charged, be available for collection, within forty-eight hours after possession of it was taken, at such place as is notified to the person from whom it was taken.

(5) The ICC or CWI shall be liable for compensation for any loss or damage occasioned by the surrender of an item under this section.

18. (1) No person shall, without the written Sale of goods or services authorisation of CWI—

- (a) hawk, sell, offer, display for sale or distribute to members of the public, any goods, services, flyers or pamphlets; and
- (b) collect money or orders from members of the public for goods or services,

in a CWC 2024 venue during a match period.

(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) may be—

- (a) ordered by an authorised person to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
- (b) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer where that person refuses to comply with an order under paragraph (a).

(3) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of twelve thousand dollars.

19. (1) An authorised person who suspects, on Authority to photograph certain persons reasonable grounds, that a person in a CWC 2024 venue has committed or has been involved in the commission of an offence in contravention of this Part may take a photograph or make another form of image, including a closed-circuit television recording of that person.

(2) A photograph or any other form of image referred to in subsection (1)—

- (a) may only be used for the purpose of identification; and

(b) shall be destroyed by ICC or CWI within seven days of the completion or termination of CWC 2024 unless the photograph or image is required to be used as evidence in any criminal proceedings.

Requirement to state name and address

20. (1) A police officer who suspects, on reasonable grounds, that a person in a CWC 2024 venue has committed, or has been involved in the commission of, a contravention of this Part may require the person to state his full name and address.

(2) A person who fails, without reasonable cause, to comply with a requirement under subsection (1) or who, in purported compliance with such a requirement, furnishes information that the person knows to be false or misleading in a material particular commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of six thousand dollars, and may be—

- (a) ordered by a police officer to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
- (b) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer where that person refuses to comply with an order under paragraph (a).

PART IV

CONTROL OF ADVERTISING

Prohibition of certain advertisements on buildings and structures

21. (1) Subject to existing contractual rights, a person who is the owner or occupier of, or the holder of a lease or licence relating to land, a building or structure on land within a CWC 2024 venue shall not cause or permit any advertisement or advertising material to be displayed or fixed to or placed on, or to remain on the land, building or structure except as authorised in writing by CWI.

(2) CWI or an authorised person may erase or remove any advertisement or advertising material fixed or placed on any land, building or structure in contravention of subsection (1).

(3) In exercising its powers under subsection (2), CWI shall take such steps as are necessary to ensure that as little damage as possible is caused.

22. (1) No person shall, during a match period, ^{Use of airspace} operate an aircraft over a CWC 2024 venue.

(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

(3) This section does not apply to the operation of—

- (a) a military aircraft or a police aircraft when operated for military, security or emergency purposes;
- (b) an aircraft when being operated exclusively for emergency purposes relating to human life, safety or the protection of property; or
- (c) a drone operated by CWI that has been approved by the Ministry with responsibility for national security.

23. (1) No person shall—

Prohibition of certain advertisements

- (a) publish or display; or
- (b) cause to be published or displayed,

any advertisement that relates to or is connected with CWI that is false or misleading.

(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction—

- (a) in the case of a first conviction, to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars; or
- (b) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction, to a fine of one hundred and eighty thousand dollars.

Commercial
broadcasting,
telecasting, recording
or filming

24. (1) No person shall, other than for personal use, broadcast, narrowcast, telecast, transmit, record, publish, disseminate, reproduce or circulate by any means, including, without limitation, utilising—

- (a) television;
- (b) radio;
- (c) satellite;
- (d) the internet; or
- (e) any wireless service,

any audio, video, photograph, text or data or any other information relating to a CWC 2024 activity or any part of such activity, without the approval of CWI.

(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

(3) An application for approval under this section shall be made to CWI in such form and manner as may be determined by CWI.

(4) Any approval granted under subsection (3) shall be subject to such conditions as CWI thinks fit.

(5) A police officer may take possession of any item that is used in contravention of this section if—

- (a) the police officer has directed the person concerned to stop the use of the article; and
- (b) the person continues to use the article in contravention of this section.

(6) A person who uses any article in contravention of this section may be—

- (a) ordered by an authorised person to leave the CWC 2024 venue; or
- (b) removed from the CWC 2024 venue by a police officer, if that person refuses to comply with an order under paragraph (a).

(7) The broadcasting, telecasting, recording or filming of any information relating to a CWC 2024 activity for the purpose of provision of information or for the purposes of criticism or review is not by itself sufficient to amount to a contravention of subsection (1).

(8) In subsection (7), a reference to—

- (a) “the provision of information” includes a reference to the reporting of news and the presentation of current affairs; and
- (b) “criticism” or “review” includes a reference to criticism or review—
 - (i) in a newspaper, magazine or similar periodical;
 - (ii) in a broadcast; or
 - (iii) in a cinematographic film.

(9) A police officer on taking possession of an item under this section shall give the item to an authorised person who shall give a receipt to the person from whom it was taken.

(10) The receipt referred to in subsection (9) shall indicate the nature of the item and the date and time when possession of it was taken by the authorised person.

(11) The item referred to in subsection (9) shall—

- (a) be lodged with CWI; and
- (b) except where the person is charged, be available for collection, within forty-eight hours after possession of it is taken, at such place as is notified to the person from whom it was taken.

25. (1) Except with the written authorisation of CWI, ^{Prohibition of ambush marketing} a person shall not wilfully broadcast, display, make, publish or televise any advertisement, communication, statement, mark or image or cause or authorise any

advertisement, communication, statement, mark or image to be broadcast, displayed, made, published, televised or carried on, cause or authorise any other activity which—

- (a) relates to or is connected with CWC 2024;
- (b) implies or suggests a contractual or other connection or association of that person with CWC 2024 or a person officially associated or involved in CWC 2024; and
- (c) is intended to—
 - (i) associate that person with CWC 2024 or exploit the publicity or goodwill of CWC 2024, in order for that person to gain a benefit of any kind;
 - (ii) diminish the status of an official sponsor, official supplier, official broadcaster or other licensee with regard to CWC 2024; or
 - (iii) imply that the person is an official sponsor, official supplier, official broadcaster or other licensee with regard to CWC 2024.

(2) No person shall, in relation to CWC 2024, use or cause to be used, a mark, image, statement or brand in a manner calculated to achieve publicity for that mark, image, statement or brand with which that mark, image, statement or brand is associated and thereby deriving any special promotional benefit from CWC 2024 without the prior authority of CWI.

(3) For the purpose of subsection (2), the use of a mark, image or statement includes—

- (a) any visual representation of the mark, image or statement upon or in relation to goods or in relation to the rendering of services;

- (b) any audible representation of the mark, image or statement in relation to goods or the rendering of services; or
- (c) the use of the mark, image or statement in promotional activities,

which in any way directly or indirectly, is or is intended to be brought into association with, imply a connection with or allude to CWC 2024.

(4) A person who contravenes this section commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

26. (1) No person shall use a CWC 2024 ticket in relation to any form of commercial activity or as a prize in any lottery, competition, game or promotion without the prior written approval of CWI. Promotional use of CWC 2024 tickets

(2) A person who contravenes subsection (1) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of sixty thousand dollars.

PART V

PROTECTION OF CWC 2024 MARKS, INDICIA AND IMAGES

27. (1) No person shall use a CWC 2024 mark without the written authorisation of the owner of that mark. Prohibition of unauthorised use of CWC 2024 mark

(2) Registration by IBC of a CWC 2024 mark under the Trade Marks Act shall vest in IBC, from the date of registration until 31st December, 2025— Chap. 82:81

- (a) the right to its exclusive use in connection with the goods or services for which they are registered; and
- (b) the exclusive right to prevent any other person from using any such mark without the authority of ICC.

(3) Subsection (2)(b) extends to the use of an identical or confusingly similar mark in connection with goods or services where the use—

- (a) has caused or is likely to cause confusion; or
- (b) takes unfair advantage of or is detrimental to, the distinctive character or the repute of a CWC 2024 mark.

Infringement of mark of IBC, ICC, WICB or CWI

28. (1) This section applies to goods, material and articles described in section 28 of the Trade Marks Act that infringe a CWC 2024 mark or any other mark of IBC, ICC, WICB or CWI.

(2) A person who, with intent to gain for himself or another, or with intent to cause loss to another, and without the consent of the proprietor of the mark in question, buys, sells, imports or exports any goods to which this section applies commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to—

- (a) in the case of a first conviction, to a fine of sixty thousand dollars; and
- (b) in the case of a second or subsequent conviction, to a fine of one hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

(3) The Trade Marks Act shall apply in the determination of whether or not a mark has been infringed.

CWC 2024 indicia and images

29. (1) For the purposes of this Part—

“CWC 2024 indicia” means—

- (a) any item set out in Part I of the Third Schedule; or
- (b) a combination of any of the items listed in Part II of the Third Schedule, and where appropriate, includes a CWC 2024 mark;

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“CWC 2024 images” means any visual or aural representations or a combination of both that, to a reasonable person, in the circumstances of the presentation, would suggest a connection with CWC 2024 including the picture, whether photographic or otherwise, likeness or image of any squad member, squad or part of a squad and where appropriate, includes a CWC 2024 mark;

“covering” includes packaging, frame, wrapper, container, stopper, lid or cap; and

“label” includes a band or ticket.

(2) CWC 2024 indicia that are represented in a language other than English are to be taken to be CWC 2024 indicia.

(3) Indicia and images so closely resembling CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images as are likely to be mistaken, by a reasonable person, shall be regarded as CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images.

30. (1) For the purposes of this Part, CWC 2024 Application of CWC 2024 indicia and images indicia or CWC 2024 images are applied to goods or services if such indicia or images are—

(a) in the case of goods—

- (i) woven in, impressed on, worked into, affixed or annexed to the goods; or
- (ii) applied to any covering, document, label, reel or thing in or with which the goods are, or are intended to be dealt with or provided in the course of trade or the promotion of trade; or

(b) in the case of goods or services—

(i) used on a signboard or in an advertisement, including a television or radio advertisement, that promotes the goods or services; or

(ii) used in an invoice, price list, catalogue, brochure, business letter, business paper or any other commercial document or any promotional material that relates to the goods or services.

(2) For the purposes of subsection (1), an advertisement promotes goods or services where—

(a) it promotes a particular person who provides goods or services; and

(b) a reasonable person would conclude, that it was designed to enhance the commercial image of the person referred to in paragraph (a).

(3) Where—

(a) goods are imported into Trinidad and Tobago for the purpose of sale or distribution by a person; and

(b) when imported, the goods have applied to them any CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images,

that person shall be taken to have applied the indicia or images to the goods.

Licence to use CWC
2024 indicia or CWC
2024 images for
commercial purposes

31. (1) CWI or IBC may license a person to use all or any one or more of CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images for commercial purposes in such circumstances as may be determined by CWI or IBC.

(2) A licensed user may only use for commercial purposes the CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images that he is licensed to use and may only use such indicia or images in accordance with the licence.

32. (1) No person, other than CWI, IBC or a licensed user, shall use—

Prohibition of unlicensed use of CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images

- (a) any CWC 2024 indicia listed in Part I of the Third Schedule; or
- (b) any other CWC 2024 indicia or any CWC 2024 images,

for commercial purposes.

(2) CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images are used by a person for commercial purposes if that person causes such indicia or images—

- (a) to be applied to his goods or services—
 - (i) for advertising or promotional purposes; or
 - (ii) in a manner that is likely to enhance the demand for the goods or services; and
- (b) to a reasonable person, the application would suggest that, that person is or was a sponsor of a CWC 2024 activity, or is or was associated or connected with CWC 2024 or a CWC 2024 activity.

(3) Where goods or services which have applied to them CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images are used for commercial purposes by a person other than CWI, IBC or a licensed user, or any person who—

- (a) supplies, or offers to supply, such goods or services;
- (b) exposes such goods for supply; or
- (c) keeps such goods for supply, whether or not by him,

shall be taken to have used the CWC 2024 indicia or images for commercial purposes.

33. (1) The use of a CWC 2024 mark, CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 image for the purposes of, or in

Provision of information

connection with, the provision of information or for the purposes of criticism or review is not by itself sufficient to—

- (a) amount to a contravention of section 28; or
- (b) suggest a sponsorship, or the provision of other support, for the purposes of section 32(2)(b).

(2) In subsection (1), a reference to—

- (a) “the provision of information” includes a reference to the reporting of news and the presentation of current affairs; and
- (b) “criticism” or “review” includes a reference to criticism or review—
 - (i) in a newspaper, magazine or similar periodical;
 - (ii) in a broadcast; or
 - (iii) in a cinematograph film.

Power of customs officers in relation to certain imports

34. (1) Where goods have applied to them any CWC 2024 mark, CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images which the importer is not authorised or licensed under this Act to use for commercial purposes, a customs officer may detain the goods for further investigation.

(2) Goods detained under this section shall be kept in such secure place as the Comptroller directs.

Notice of detention

35. (1) Where goods have been detained under section 34, the Comptroller shall notify CWI or IBC of the detention.

(2) CWI, IBC or a licensed user may, within twenty-one days of the receipt of the notice, make an application for an injunction under section 39 and shall give the Comptroller written notice of such application.

36. (1) The Comptroller shall release goods detained under section 34— Release of goods - no application for injunction

- (a) unless within the period mentioned in section 35(2), CWI, IBC or a licensed user has—
 - (i) made an application for an injunction under section 39 in relation to the goods; and
 - (ii) given to the Comptroller written notice of the application; or
- (b) where CWI, IBC or if applicable the licensed user, has by written notice to the Comptroller consented to the release of the goods.

(2) Except, where the Comptroller has been notified in accordance with subsection (1) that an application has been made in relation to the goods, the Comptroller may, in his own determination, release the seized goods before the expiration of the period mentioned in section 35(2) if the Comptroller, having regard to information that has come to his knowledge after the goods were detained, does not have reasonable grounds for believing that section 28 or 34 would be contravened by the importation of the goods.

37. Nothing in this Part authorises the Comptroller to dispose of any detained goods where the Comptroller is required or allowed to retain control of the goods under any other law. Power of Comptroller to retain control of goods

38. (1) The provisions of this Act relating to CWC 2024 indicia or CWC 2024 images, shall not affect rights conferred by law on a person in relation to— Preservation of existing rights

- (a) a trademark that is registered under the Trade Marks Act; or
- (b) an industrial design that is registered under the Industrial Designs Act,

which was so registered before the commencement of this Act in relation to the indicia or image.

(2) Nothing in this Act affects the use of the indicia or image by a person who, before the commencement of this Act, was entitled to prevent another person from using the indicia or image or similar indicia or image, for the purpose of passing off.

(3) This Act does not apply to the use of a business name in connection with a business where—

- (a) the name is registered in relation to the business under the Registration of Business Names Act; and
- (b) the name was so registered immediately before the commencement of this Act in relation to the business.

(4) This Act does not apply in relation to the use of the name of an incorporated company where the company—

- (a) was in existence immediately before the date of commencement of this Act;
- (b) uses the name in connection with a business carried on by the company; and
- (c) used the name in connection with the business immediately before the commencement of this Act.

PART VI

REMEDIES

39. (1) Where a person has engaged, is engaging or is proposing to engage in conduct in contravention of sections 6, 22, Part IV and Part V, the Court may, on application by CWI, IBC or a licensed user, grant an injunction—

- (a) restraining the person from engaging in the conduct; and

(b) where, in the Court's opinion, it is desirable to do so, requiring the person to take such action as the Court sees fit, including, in the case of a sign, the erasure or removal of the sign.

(2) The Court may grant an interim injunction pending the determination of an application under subsection (1).

(3) Nothing in this Part limits or shall be construed as limiting any rights or remedies available under the Trade Marks Act.

(4) For the purpose of this Part, "Court" means the High Court.

40. (1) Where, on an application under section 39, ^{Corrective advertisements} the Court is satisfied that a person has engaged in conduct constituting a contravention of section 28 or 32, the Court may make an order requiring the person—

- (a) by such means, including a broadcast or Internet publication, as the Court thinks fit;
- (b) at the person's own expense; and
- (c) at the times specified in the order,

to publish advertisements, in accordance with the order.

41. Where CWI, IBC or a licensed user suffers ^{Damages} loss or damage as a result of anything done in contravention of section 28 or 32, the amount of the loss or damage may be recovered by action in the Court.

42. Where, on the application of CWI, IBC or a ^{Account of profits} licensed user, the Court is satisfied that a person has engaged in conduct in contravention of section 28 or 32, the Court may make an order granting relief by way of an account of profits.

Limitation

43. CWI, IBC or a licensed user is not entitled, in respect of the same contravention of section 28 or 32, to both—

- (a) the recovery of loss or damages under section 41; and
- (b) damages based on an account of profits under section 42.

Destruction or delivery of goods

44. (1) Where, on the application of CWI, IBC or a licensed user, the Court is satisfied that a person has contravened section 28 or 32 in relation to goods, the Court may order that the goods be—

- (a) destroyed;
- (b) delivered up to CWI, IBC or to the licensed user; or
- (c) otherwise dealt with in such manner as the Court thinks fit.

(2) A Court may make an order under this section whether or not an injunction is granted under section 39.

(3) Where the Court makes an order under this section, the person against whom the order is granted shall bear the costs or expenses occasioned by the order.

Other remedies

45. (1) The remedies provided under this Part are in addition to any remedy provided by any law—

- (a) that confers any rights or powers on CWI, IBC or a licensed user in relation to conduct of a kind that constitutes a contravention of section 28 or 32;
- (b) relating to engaging in conduct that is misleading or deceptive and, in particular, in relation to representations—
 - (i) that goods or services have sponsorship or approval that they do not have; or

- (ii) that a corporation has a sponsorship, approval or affiliation that it does not have.

(2) The reference in subsection (1) to particular representations does not preclude the application of any law to conduct of a kind that constitutes a contravention of section 28 or 32.

(3) The Court may make any order, the effect of which would be to deprive an offender of any economic gain from the goods in relation to which the contravention occurred.

46. (1) The Minister may by Order amend the Schedules to this Act. Orders and regulations

(2) The Minister may make regulations subject to negative resolution of Parliament prescribing matters—

- (a) required or permitted by this Act to be prescribed; or
- (b) for carrying out or giving effect to this Act.

(3) Without limiting the generality of subsection (2), the regulations may provide for—

- (a) the organisation, management and control of a CWC 2024 activity and the carrying out of works or activities, or providing services for the safe and orderly conduct of such CWC 2024 activity;
- (b) the control, management and use of a CWC 2024 venue and the carrying out of works or activities or providing services in, on or near a CWC 2024 venue for the safe and orderly management and use of the CWC 2024 venue;
- (c) the prohibition or regulation of entry into a CWC 2024 venue or part of such venue; or

(d) the prohibition or regulation of the conduct or activities of persons for the purpose of the safe and orderly conduct of CWC 2024 activities or the safe and orderly use of a CWC 2024 venue.

Act to bind the State **47. This Act binds the State.**

Expiry of Act **48. This Act expires on 30th June, 2024.**

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Section 7)

CARICOM HOST COUNTRIES

Antigua and Barbuda
Barbados
Co-operative Republic of Guyana
Saint Lucia
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

SECOND SCHEDULE

(Section 16(1)(c))

PART I

PROHIBITED ITEMS

The following items shall be prohibited at all CWC 2024 venues:

1. Dangerous items or weapons including firearms, explosives, knives, flares, fireworks and laser pointers
2. Narcotics, except for prescribed narcotics
3. Commercial video, photographic or audio equipment
4. Animals, except for service animals
5. Glass bottles or metal cans
6. Promotional or commercial material
7. Offensive or political signage

8. Drones or unmanned aerial vehicles
9. Bicycles
10. Compressed gas cannisters and other flammable items

PART II

(Section 16(2)(b))

RESTRICTED ITEMS

The following items shall be restricted at all CWC 2024 venues:

1. Large banners and flags, and flag sticks above 1.6m in length
2. Musical instruments that cannot fit under the venue's seat or on a person's lap or is louder than 70 dB
3. Coolers or lunch boxes larger than 30cm x 30cm x 30cm
4. Folding chairs not intended for mounds
5. Tents or umbrellas not intended for mounds

THIRD SCHEDULE

(Section 29(1), 32(1))

PART I

Cricket World Cup
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CWC West Indies
World Cup Cricket

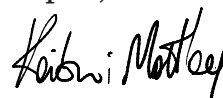
PART II

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Barbados	CWC

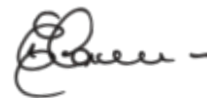
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Guyana	2024
Jamaica	World Cup
Nevis	World Cup Cricket
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St. Kitts and Nevis	
St. Lucia	
St. Vincent	
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	
The Grenadines	
Trinidad	
Trinidad and Tobago	
Tobago	
West Indies	
Windies	

Passed in the Senate this 30th day of April, 2024.



Clerk of the Senate (Acting)

Passed in the House of Representatives this 13th day of May, 2024.



Clerk of the House