

SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS

STATUTORY RULES AND ORDERS

No. 3(A) of 2020

Proclamation dated the 25th day of February 2020, calling out the Defence Force for Service in aid of the civil powers for a period not exceeding three (3) months

**BY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL
OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER AND NEVIS**

A PROCLAMATION

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GOVERNOR-GENERAL

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WHEREAS by virtue of the provisions of section 7(1) of the Saint Christopher and Nevis Defence Force Act, Cap. 19.14 of the Laws of Saint Christopher and Nevis the Governor-General may, acting in accordance with the advice of Cabinet, call out the Defence Force for service in aid of the civil powers for a period not exceeding three (3) months, with their arms and ammunition, where it is deemed that the resources of the civil powers need to be augmented

AND WHEREAS it is further provided by section 7(5) that a member of the Defence Force called out for services under the provisions of section 7(1) shall have and enjoy all the powers, authorities and immunities which are vested in a police constable by law

AND WHEREAS the Cabinet at its meeting on the 24th day of February 2020 advised, that the provisions of section 7 of the Saint Christopher and Nevis Defence Force Act should be implemented

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sir Samuel Weymouth Tapley Seaton, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Commander of the Royal Victorian Order, Queen's Counsel, Justice of the Peace, Doctor of Laws, Governor-General of Saint Christopher and Nevis, **DO HEREBY** acting with the advice of the Cabinet, call out the Defence Force for service in aid of the civil powers, with their arms and ammunition, with effect from the 25th day of February, 2020 for a period not exceeding three (3) months

AND all our officers and loving subjects in Saint Christopher and Nevis and all others whom it may concern are hereby required to take due notice hereof and to give their ready obedience accordingly.



GIVEN under my hand and the Public Seal of Saint Christopher and Nevis, at Government House this 25th day of February 2020, in the Sixty-ninth year of Her Majesty's reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN!