The Passenger Facility Charge (Amendment) Act, 2003.

1 ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA



[L.S.]

I Assent,

James B. Carlisle, *Governor-General*.

14th November, 2003.

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

No. 13 of 2003

AN ACT to amend the Passenger Facilty Charge Act, 2002.

[4th December, 2003]

ENACTED by the Parliament of Antigua and Barbuda as follows:

1. This Act may be cited as the Passenger Facility Charge Short title. (Amendment) Act, 2003.

2. The Passenger Facility Charge Act, 2002, in this Act referred to as "the principal Act", is amended in section **2** by the addition of the following definition:

Amendment of section 2
Act No. 21 of 2002.

"weekly" means within the period of seven days commencing on a Monday and ending on the Sunday of that period.

3. Section 4 of the principal Act is amended —

Amendment of section 4.

(a) by the deletion of paragraph (a) and the substitution of the following:

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- "(a) passenger transiting Antigua and Barbuda, whether or not on the same flight, if the period of transit does not exceed twenty-four hours:"
- (b) by the insertion of the following paragraph immediately after paragraph (h):
 - "(i) passenger departing from, and returning to, Antigua and Barbuda on the same date:" and
- (c) by re-lettering paragraph (i) as paragraph (j).

Amendment of section 10.

4. Section 10 of the principal Act is amended in subsection (3) by the deletion of the words "no later than seven (7) days" and the substitution of the words "not later than fourteen days".

Repeal and substitution of section 11.

5. The principal Act is amended by the repeal of section 11 and the substitution of the following section:

"Time when remittance of charge is due.

11. Every operating carrier shall remit all moneys collected as passenger facility charges to the Comptroller within thirty days from the date on which a report under subsection (3) of section 10 is due".

Amendment of section 13.

6. Section 13 of the principal Act is amended by the deletion from paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of the word "invoiced".

Amendment of section 14.

- 7. Section 14 of the principal Act is amended
 - (a) in subsection (1) by the deletion of the words "invoice" and "a penalty of 2% of the passenger facility charge" and, in respect of the latter, the substitution of the words "a penalty of 20% of the passenger facility charge";
 - (b) by the deletion of subsection (2) and the substitution of the following:
 - (2) An air carrier that fails to make a report within the period specified in subsection (3) of section 10 is liable to pay a penalty of One hundred (\$100) US Dollars per month or part thereof in respect of the report.

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Passed the House of Representatives this 8th day of September, 2003.

Passed the Senate this 18th day of September, 2003.

B. Harris, Speaker.

M. Percival, President.

S. Walker, Clerk to the House of Representatives. S. Walker, *Clerk to the Senate.*