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I Assent,

Luise Lake-Tack,
Governor-General.

1st June, 2011.

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

THE VEHICLES AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2011

No. 4 of 2011

AN ACT to amend the Vehicles and Road Traffic Act Cap 460.

ENACTED by the Parliament of Antigua and Barbuda as follows:

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Vehicles and Road Traffic (Amendment) Act, 2011.

2. Interpretation

In this Act—

“notice” has the same meaning assigned to it by Section 2 of the Vehicles and Road Traffic (Enforcement and Administration) Act Cap 461;

“principal Act” means the Vehicles and Road Traffic Act, Cap 460.

3. Amendment of section 66 (1)-Offences

The principal Act is amended in section 66 (1) by repealing paragraph (o) and substituting the following—

“Tinted windows and windscreens



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ARRANGEMENT

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- (o) being the owner of a motor vehicle, drives or permits another person to drive the motor vehicle with a window or windscreen that has applied to it any tint, film, commercial sign or decal that is not in compliance with Regulation 21A or 21B of the Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations;”

4. Insertion of sub-section 66 (8) and (9)

The principal Act is amended in section 66 by inserting the following after sub-section (7)—

“(8) Where a police officer, upon inspecting a motor vehicle, determines that a window or windscreen of the motor vehicle has applied to it any tint, film, commercial sign or decal that is not in compliance with Regulation 21A or 21B of the Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations, he shall—

- (a) inform the driver of the motor vehicle that the window or windscreen of the motor vehicle has tint, film, commercial sign or decal applied that is not in compliance with Regulation 21A or 21B of the Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations;
- (b) serve on the driver of the motor vehicle, in the manner prescribed in the Vehicles and Road Traffic (Enforcement and Administration) Act, a notice that the vehicle has tint, film, commercial sign or decal applied to the window or windscreen that is not in compliance with Regulation 21A or 21B of the Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations;
- (c) in the absence of the driver, affix in the manner prescribed in the Vehicles and Road Traffic (Enforcement and Administration) Act, a notice that the vehicle has tint, film commercial sign or decal applied to the window or windscreen that is not in compliance with Regulation 21A or 21B of the Vehicles and Road Traffic Regulations.

(9) The Traffic Commissioner shall send to the General Manager of the Transport Board, a duplicate of the notice which shall contain the period of time, by which the owner of a vehicle shall be required to remedy the incorrect tint, film, commercial sign or decal and present his vehicle for inspection.

Passed by the House of Representatives on
the 31st day of March, 2011.

D. Gisele Isaac-Arrindell,
Speaker.

Romona Small,
Clerk to the House of Representatives.(Ag.)

Passed by the Senate on the 18th day
of April, 2011.

Hazlyn M. Francis,
President.

Romona Small,
Clerk to the Senate.(Ag.)