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I Assent,

James B. Carlisle,
Governor-General.

29th January, 1997.

ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

No. 8 of 1996

AN ACT to provide for the incorporation of the Zion Church of God and to provide for matters incidental thereto.

[*13th February, 1997*]

ENACTED by the Parliament of Antigua and Barbuda as follows—

1. This Act may be cited as the Zion Church of God (Incorporation) Act 1996. short title.

2. The Zion Church of God is hereby constituted a body corporate under the name title of "Zion Church of God with perpetual succession and a common seal and with power and authority by that name to sue and be sued, to acquire and to hold Incorporation of
Zion Church of
God

real and personal property for all purposes connected with the administration of the affairs of the Zion Church of **God** in Antigua and Barbuda and with power to sell, mortgage, alienate, lease, exchange or otherwise dispose of the said property.

Execution of documents by Church.

3. All deeds of conveyance or reconveyance, mortgages, charges, leases, transfers, contracts, assignments or other deeds and documents whatsoever and all powers of attorney and all notarial instruments required to be executed by the Zion Church of God shall be deemed sufficiently executed if sealed with its common seal and subscribed by the Executive Director or Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Church for the time being and such execution shall be valid and effectual at law.

Vesting of property in Church.

4. All real and personal property in **Antigua and Barbuda** now held by or vested in any person on behalf of the Zion Church of God in Antigua and Barbuda are hereby transferred to and vested in the Zion Church of **God** and its successors for the same estates and interests and to the extent to which the same were respectively at the time of the passing of this Act held or vested as aforesaid, subject to the rights reservations and charges if any, now affecting the same and the trusts upon which the same are now held, without conveyance, transfer or assignment.

Saving.

5. Nothing in this Act contained shall affect or be deemed to affect the rights of Her Majesty, her heirs and successors or any body politic or corporate or of any other person except such as are mentioned in this Act and those claiming by, from or under them.

Passed the House of Representatives
this 19th day of November, 1996.

Passed the Senate this 19th day of
December, 1996.

B. Harris,
Speaker.

M. Percival,
President.

S. Walker,
Clerk to the House of Representatives.

S. Walker,
Clerk to the Senate.

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