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Extract from the Minutes of the meeting of the Honourable House of Representatives held on Wednesday, April 11, 2018.

PUBLIC BUSINESS

The Prime Minister, Minister of Defence and Minister of Economic Growth and Job Creation, having obtained suspension of the Standing Orders, moved:

THE LAW REFORM (ZONES OF SPECIAL OPERATIONS) (SPECIAL SECURITY AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MEASURES) ACT

THE LAW REFORM (ZONES OF SPECIAL OPERATIONS) (SPECIAL SECURITY AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MEASURES) (MOUNT SALEM COMMUNITY AND ENVIRONS IN THE PARISH OF SAINT JAMES ZONE) EXTENSION OF PERIOD OF OPERATION (NO. 2)
ORDER RESOLUTION, 2018

WHEREAS Section 4 of the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) Act, 2017 (hereinafter referred to as the Act), provides that

the Prime Minister in Council may, by order, declare any geographically defined area within a single continuous boundary in Jamaica, as a zone of special operations for a period not exceeding sixty days if there are reasonable grounds to believe that due to rampant criminality, gang warfare, escalating violence and murder and the threat to the rule of law and public order, it is necessary so to do:

AND WHEREAS, in accordance with that section, the Prime Minister in Council made the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish Saint James Zone) Order, 2017:

AND WHEREAS that Order provides that the said zone shall operate for a period of sixty days:

AND WHEREAS section 5 of the Act provides that the Prime Minister in Council, after consultation with the Joint Command, may by order subject to affirmative resolution of the House of Representatives extend the said period for such further periods, each not exceeding sixty days:

AND WHEREAS on the 10th day of April, 2018, the Prime Minister in Council made the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation (No. 2) Order, 2018:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by this Honourable House of Representatives as follows:—

1. This Resolution may be cited as the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation (No. 2) Order Resolution 2018.

2. The Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation (No. 2) Order, 2018, is hereby affirmed.

The Prime Minister and Minister of Defence and Minister of Economic Growth and Job Creation, Most Hon. Andrew Holness, ON; Mr. Fitz Jackson; Mr. Peter Bunting; Attorney General, Hon. Marlene Malahoo Forte, QC; Dr. Angela Brown Burke; Mr. Mark Golding; and Dr. Peter Phillips also spoke on the motion.

Seconded by: Mr. Dave Brown.

Agreed to.

I certify that the above is a true extract from the Minutes.

HEATHER E. COOKE, CD, JP
Clerk to the Houses

**THE LAW REFORM (ZONES OF SPECIAL OPERATIONS) (SPECIAL
SECURITY AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MEASURES)
ACT**

THE LAW REFORM (ZONES OF SPECIAL OPERATIONS) (SPECIAL SECURITY
AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MEASURES) (MT. SALEM COMMUNITY
AND ENVIRONS IN THE PARISH OF ST. JAMES ZONE) EXTENSION OF
PERIOD OF OPERATION) (NO. 2) ORDER, 2017

In exercise of the powers conferred upon the Prime Minister in Council by section 5 of the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) Act, the following Order is hereby made after consultation with the Joint Command:—

1. This Order may be cited as the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation) (No. 2) Order, 2017.

2. The period of operation of the Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone—

- (a) referred to in the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Order, 2017, declared by the Prime Minister in Council on the 1st day of September, 2017; and
- (b) extended for a period of sixty days by virtue of the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the Parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation Order, 2017,

is hereby extended for a further period of sixty days from the end of the further period referred to in paragraph 2 of the Law Reform (Zones of Special Operations) (Special Security and Community Development Measures) (The Mount Salem Community and Environs in the parish of Saint James Zone) Extension of Period of Operation Order, 2017.

Dated this 6th day of December, 2017.

ANDREW HOLNESS
Prime Minister in Council.

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