# **OFFENCES UNDER THE FIREARMS** (PROHIBITION, RESTRICTION AND REGULATION) **ACT 2022**



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## INTRODUCTION

- [1] **The Firearms Act 1967** has been repealed. During its 55 years of existence, it has proven to be one of the more influential pieces of legislation especially with the growth of the use of firearms in the commission of a myriad of criminal offences e.g murder and the facilitation of the commission of applicable offences by a criminal organisation.
- [2] The Firearms Act 1967 has been replaced by the The Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act, 2022 (hereafter the FPRRA).
- [3] **The FPRRA 2022** became effective on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2022. Meaning all firearms offences committed on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November, 2022 and thereafter will be charged and prosecuted under this Act. As per the Appointed Day Notice ss 889, 89 and 103(6) have not yet been brought into effect.
- [4] However, Crown Counsel, we are not finished with the **Firearms Act 1967**. All criminal offences charged up to October 31,2022 are still prosecutable under that legislation though it has been repealed. We are able to do this as per the provisions of section 25(2) of the **Interpretation Act**. This means that when Crown Counsel appears in the High Court Division of the Gun Court they must be armed with both pieces of legislation.
- [5] Importantly, the Seventh (7<sup>th</sup>) schedule of the Act makes consequential amendments to other pieces of legislation. These must also be consulted as there are amended provisions that affect sentencing (Criminal Justice Administration Act and Parole Act), Plea Negotiations (Plea Negotiations and Agreements Act), Extradition offences (Extradition Act), the definition of firearm, firearm offence and imitation firearm (Gun Court Act and Larceny Act). Repealed the firearms provisions in the

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Town and Communities Act and extended the provisions of the FPRRA to the Proceeds of Crime Act (POCA).

- [6] The 7<sup>th</sup> Schedule of the **FPRRA** has also amended the penalties by increasing them in the following legislation: The Explosives (Control of Manufacture) Act, The Forgery Act, The Gunpowder and Explosives Act, The Offences Against the Person Act, the Pawnbrokers Act and the Public Order Act.
- [7] The **FPRRA** is divided into ten (10) parts and 7 schedules.
- [8] The Purpose of this document is to give prosecutors and police officers a one stop quick guide to the wording of the new offences (which tries as much as possible to cleave closely to the statutory provisions) and the penalties.

# Part II: Prohibitions in Respect of Firearms and Ammunition (sections 5-19)

Possession of a Prohibited Weapon

Stockpiling Prohibited Weapons

Trafficking in Prohibited Weapons

Possession of Prohibited Weapon With Intent to Traffic

Manufacture of Prohibited Weapon

Possession of Digital Blueprint of a Prohibited Weapon

Possession of Digital Blueprint of a Device With Intent to manufacture

Dealing in Prohibited Weapon

Taking Firearms in Pawn

Taking Ammunition in Pawn Diversion of Firearm from Person who is authorised

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Conversion Into a Firearm

Conversion Into a Prohibited Weapon

Possession of Assorted Part of Firearm

Possession Assorted Part of Prohibited Weapon

Using Firearm to Commit a Felony

Using Firearm to Prevent Lawful Apprehension/Detention

Using Firearm to Commit a Scheduled Offence

Possession of Firearm With Intent to Injure

Possession of Firearm With Intent to Cause Serious Damage to Property

Removal/Alteration of Mark on Firearm

Transfer of Firearm in Violation of UN Security Council Resolution

Seeking Benefit by professing to have Firearm/or to have access to Firearm,

Possession of a Prohibited Weapon<sup>1</sup>, contrary to s.5(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields had in his possession a prohibited weapon to wit a grenade

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PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Imprisonment for such term, of not less than
	fifteen (15) years nor more than twenty-five
	(25) years, as the Court considers appropriate.

Take note that the prosecutor can charge possession of prohibited weapon in the alternative instead of Unauthorised Possession of Firearm (the charge that has replaced Illegal Possession of Firearm. We would suggest Crown Counsel consult before embarking on this charging venture.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "prohibited weapon" means – (a) any prohibited firearm; (b) any grenade, bomb or other like missile; (c) any missile or missile launcher; (d) any projectile or rocket manufactured to be discharged from any item referred to in any of paragraphs (b) to (c); (e) any imitation of any weapon or device referred to in any of paragraphs (a) to (d); (f) any ammunition stockpiled in the quantity referred to in section 6(2)(b) or in a person's possession in the quantity referred to in section 10(2)(b)(ii); (g) such other weapons or devices as may be prescribed by the Minister; or (h) any parts and components of an item referred to in any of paragraphs (b) to (g);

<sup>&</sup>quot;prohibited firearm" means – (a) any artillery; (b) any automatic firearm; (c) any rifle of a prescribed calibre; (d) any light machine gun or heavy machine gun; (e) any sub-machine gun; (f) any firearm in respect of which no firearm authorisation is granted under Part V; (g) any other type of firearm prescribed by the Minister; or (h) any parts and components of any item referred to in any of paragraphs (a) to (g);

Stockpiling<sup>2</sup> Prohibited Weapons, contrary to s.6(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Cornwall stockpiled prohibited weapons to wit he had in his possession over fifty rounds of ammunition.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 15
	years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> (2) For the purposes of this Act, a person in possession of, or who causes to be accumulated at any location – (a) three or more prohibited weapons; or (b) fifty rounds or more of ammunition, shall be treated as having stockpiled prohibited weapons.

Trafficking<sup>3</sup> in Prohibited Weapons, contrary to s.7(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Guanaboa trafficked in prohibited weapons to wit: he imported over a thousand rounds of ammunition.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility after
	20 years.

<sup>&</sup>quot;traffic" in relation to any firearm, ammunition, prohibited weapon, or other categories of conventional arms, means the import, export, transit, trans-shipment, brokering, acquisition, sale, delivery, movement or transfer of the firearm, ammunition, prohibited weapon or other categories of conventional arms, whether within Jamaica or across Jamaica's border.

Possession of Prohibited Weapon With Intent to Traffic, contrary to s.8(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Liguanea possessed prohibited weapons with intent to traffic in them.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility after
	20 years.

Manufacture of Prohibited Weapon, contrary to s.9(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe manufactured prohibited weapons.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility after
	20 years.

Possession of Digital Blueprint of a Prohibited Weapon, contrary to s.9(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Middlesex had in his possession a digital blueprint of a prohibited weapon.

## STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Possession of Digital Blueprint of a Device With Intent to manufacture, contrary to s.9(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Middlesex had in his possession a digital blueprint of a device with intent to manufacture a 3-D printed firearm which is a prohibited weapon.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 10
	years.

Dealing<sup>4</sup> in Prohibited Weapon, contrary to s.10(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Morant had in his possession a device for the manufacturing of prohibited weapons to wit: A 3-D printer.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility after
	20 years.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> (2) A person shall be treated as dealing in a prohibited weapon if the person – (a) buys or sells any prohibited weapon or conducts any brokering in respect of a prohibited weapon; or (b) is in possession of – (i) two or more prohibited weapons; or (ii) twenty rounds or more of ammunition.

Taking Firearms in Pawn, contrary to s.11(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Port Royal took in pawn from Zorr Arthur Richards<sup>5</sup> a firearm.

## STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Taking Ammunition in Pawn, contrary to s.11(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Port Royal took in pawn from a person unknown ammunition.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 15
	years.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Or a person unknown

Diversion of Firearm from Person who is authorised, contrary to s.11(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Port Royal in Jamaica in furtherance of a criminal purpose was directly involved in an activity that resulted in the movement of firearms from Paulston Bogle who was authorised under the Act to possess such a firearms to a person who was not so authorised under the Act to possess those firearms.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 15
	years.

Alteration of Ballistic Signature of Firearm, contrary to s.13(1)(a) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood did an act that altered the ballistic signature of the firearms.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 20
	years.

Conversion Into a Firearm, contrary to s.13(1)(b) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood converted an iron pipe into a firearm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 20
	years.

Conversion Into a Prohibited Weapon, contrary to s.13(1)(c) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood converted an iron pipe into a prohibited weapon.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 20
	years.

Possession Assorted Part<sup>6</sup> of Firearm, contrary to s.13(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields possessed an assorted part of a firearm without the appropriate firearm authorisation.

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PARISH COURT <sup>7</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years	000
imprisonment-	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> "assorted part", in relation to a firearm or prohibited weapon, means any item that can be attached to a firearm or prohibited weapon and that increases its usefulness or effectiveness but which is not essential for the ordinary use of that firearm or prohibited weapon;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Does not specify the mode of trial but take note of s.101(7) which states - Where an offence under this Act is triable in a Parish Court, the offence shall, unless otherwise specifically provided, be triable summarily.

Possession Assorted Part<sup>8</sup> of Prohibited Weapon, contrary to s.13(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields possessed an assorted part of a firearm without the appropriate firearm authorisation.

PARISH COURT 9	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years	000
imprisonment	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> "assorted part", in relation to a firearm or prohibited weapon, means any item that can be attached to a firearm or prohibited weapon and that increases its usefulness or effectiveness but which is not essential for the ordinary use of that firearm or prohibited weapon;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Does not specify the mode of trial but take note of s.101(7) which states - Where an offence under this Act is triable in a Parish Court, the offence shall, unless otherwise specifically provided, be triable summarily.

Using Firearm to Commit a Felony, contrary to s.14(2) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere used a firearm to commit a felony to wit: Murder.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Imprisonment for such term, of not less than
	twenty (20) years nor more than twenty-five
	(25) years

Using Firearm to Prevent Lawful Apprehension/Detention, contrary to s.14(2) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere used a firearm to prevent the lawful apprehension of Zorr Arthur Richards by the police.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Imprisonment for such term, of not less than
	twenty (20) years nor more than twenty-five
	(25) years

Using Firearm to Commit a Scheduled Offence, contrary to s.14(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere used a firearm to commit a scheduled offence to wit: rape.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Imprisonment for such term, of not less than twenty (20) years nor more than twenty-five
	(25) years

Crown Counsel is advised to consult the first schedule to the Act that contains the offences that can be charged under this section.

Possession of Firearm With Intent to Injure, contrary to s.15(1)(a) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe had in his possession a firearm with intent to injure.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility after
	twenty (20) years.

Possession of Firearm With Intent to Cause Serious Damage to Property, contrary to s.15(1)(b) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe had in his possession a firearm with intent to cause serious damage to property.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Imprisonment for such term of not less than
	fifteen (15) years nor more than twenty-five
	(25) years as the Court considers appropriate.

Removal/Alteration of Mark on Firearm contrary to s.16(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George altered a mark on a firearm that bore the serial number.

PARISH COURT <sup>10</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment	Fine or ten (10) years Imprisonment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Does not specify the mode of trial but take note of s.101(7) which states - Where an offence under this Act is triable in a Parish Court, the offence shall, unless otherwise specifically provided, be triable summarily.

Transfer of Firearm in Violation of UN Security Council Resolution contrary to s.17(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George transferred firearms to the Republic of Rutabaga in violation of United Nations Security Council 546/2022.

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PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Twenty (20) years Imprisonment.

Seeking Benefit by professing to have Firearm/or to have access to Firearm, contrary to s.18(1) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. John in order to gain an unlawful benefit professed to have a firearm on his person.

PARISH COURT <sup>11</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five (5) years Imprisonment	Fifteen (15) years Imprisonment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> Does not specify the mode of trial but take note of s.101(7) which states - Where an offence under this Act is triable in a Parish Court, the offence shall, unless otherwise specifically provided, be triable summarily.

# PART IV: Restrictions in Respect of Firearms and Ammunition (Sections 27-55)

Failure to Deliver Firearm to be Marked

Trafficking in Firearms/Ammunition

Possession of Firearms/Ammunition With Intent to Traffic

Failure to Declare Firearm/Ammunition

Making False Statement in Declaration

Failure by Traveller to Deliver Firearm/Ammunition to Customs Officer

Manufacture of Firearms/Ammunition.

Possession of Device With Intent to Manufacture of Firearms/Ammunition

Unauthorised deactivation/testing of Firearm/Ammunition

Illicit Dealing in Firearms/Ammunition

Unauthorised Use of Premises for manufacture/Storage/Trafficking of Firearms/Ammunition

Acquisition/Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition to Person Below the Age of Twenty-One

Unlawful Acquisition/Purchase of Firearm/Ammunition

Unlawful Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition

Unlawful Acceptance of Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition Pursuant to a Purchase

Unlawful Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition

Unlawful Acceptance of Firearm/Ammunition by a Gunsmith for the purpose of Effecting Modification,

Failure of Gunsmith to Record Particulars

Unlawful Sale/testing/modification/Proofing of Firearm/Ammunition by Gunsmith

**Unauthorised Possession of Firearm** 

**Unauthorised Possession of Ammunition** 

Unauthorised Possession of a Firearm That has not been Marked

Carrying Firearm/Ammunition in a Public Place Without Authorisation

Failure to Conceal Firearm In a Public Place

Carrying Firearm/Ammunition in a Security Restricted Area Without Authorisation

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Discharge of Firearm in any Place
Failure to Deliver up Firearm/Ammunition
Failure to Report Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition
Failure to Report Possession of Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition
Failure to Report Possession of Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition

THE PENALTIES FOR THESE OFFENCES ARE TO BE FOUND WITHIN THE SIXTH SCHEDULE OF THE ACT.

Failure to Deliver Firearm to be Marked, contrary to s.32(2) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside being the holder of a firearm authorisation authorising him to import a firearm failed to deliver the firearm to the Authority for the affixation of the appropriate mark.

PARISH COURT <sup>12</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or Five (5) years	000
Imprisonment	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Trafficking in Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.33(2) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside knowingly trafficked in conventional firearms within Jamaica without being the holder of a firearm authorisation to do so.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life imprisonment with parole eligibility in
	fifteen (15) years.

Possession of Firearms/Ammunition With Intent to Traffic, contrary to s.33(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside knowingly possessed conventional firearms within Jamaica with intent to traffic in them.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	Life imprisonment with parole eligibility in
	fifteen (15) years.

Possession of Firearms/Ammunition With Intent to Traffic, contrary to s.33(3) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside knowingly possessed conventional firearms within Jamaica with intent to traffic in them.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life imprisonment with parole eligibility in
	fifteen (15) years.

Failure to Declare Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.35(2)(a) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside being a traveller who disembarked in Xaymaca failed to declare that he had a firearm in his possession

PARISH COURT <sup>13</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Two million dollars (\$2m) or two years	000
imprisonment	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Making False Statement in Declaration, contrary to s.35(2)(a) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside being a traveller who disembarked in Xaymaca made a statement in a declaration which he knew to be false.

PARISH COURT <sup>14</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Two million dollars (\$2m) or two years	000
imprisonment	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure by Traveller to Deliver Firearm/Ammunition to Customs Officer, contrary to s.36(2) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside being a traveller who disembarked in Xaymaca failed to deliver the firearm in his possession to a customs officer.

PARISH COURT <sup>15</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Two million dollars (\$2m) or two years imprisonment	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Manufacture of Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.38(1)(a) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. Thomas In the Vale manufactured firearms/ammunition not under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a Firearms Manufacturers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment

Possession of Device With Intent to Manufacture of Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.38(1)(b) Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. Thomas In the Vale had in his possession a device with intent to manufacture firearms/ammunition not under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a Firearms Manufacturers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment

Unauthorised deactivation/testing of Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.39(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields tested firearms/ammunition without the appropriate authorisation.

PARISH COURT <sup>16</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five (5) years imprisonment	Fifteen (15) years Imprisonment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Illicit Dealing in Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.40(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Northside dealt in firearms/ammunition not under and in accordance with the terms and conditions of a Firearms Dealers Licence/Firearms brokers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment

Unauthorised Use of Premises for manufacture/Storage/Trafficking of Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.40(5) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe being the owner of premises at Sandokhan Close used those premises for the storage of firearms/ammunition without the appropriate authorisation.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment

Acquisition/Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition to Person Below the Age of Twenty-One, contrary to s.40(7) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George transferred firearms/ammunition to Jack Mansong who he reasonably had cause to believe was below the age of twenty-one.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	A fine or Life Imprisonment with parole
	eligibility of 15 years.

Unlawful Acquisition/Purchase of Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.40(12) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George purchased a firearm without being the holder of a Firearms Dealers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	A fine or Life Imprisonment with parole
	eligibility of 15 years.

Unlawful Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.40(12) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George transferred a firearm without being the holder of a Firearms Dealers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000000	A fine or Life Imprisonment with parole
	eligibility of 15 years.

Unlawful Acceptance of Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition Pursuant to a Purchase, contrary to s.40(12) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George accepted a transfer of firearm pursuant to a purchase without being the holder of a Firearms Dealers Licence.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	A fine or Life Imprisonment with parole
	eligibility of 15 years.

Unlawful Transfer of Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.41(2<sup>17</sup>) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George not being the holder of a firearms dealers licence a transfer of firearm in contravention of the terms and conditions imposed by the Board of the Authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>18</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One million dollars (\$1m( or one year imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>17</sup> Where the transfer of a firearm or ammunition is effected in contravention of any terms or conditions imposed by the Board pursuant to subsection (1), the purchaser or, as the case may be, the vendor of such firearm or ammunition, commits an offence.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Unlawful Acceptance of Firearm/Ammunition by a Gunsmith for the purpose of Effecting Modification, contrary to s.42 (3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George being the holder of a Gunsmith's licence accepted delivery of a firearm for the purpose of Effecting Modification from a person who did not produce the appropriate firearm authorisation.

PARISH COURT <sup>19</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years imprisonment.	Imprisonment for 10 years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure of Gunsmith to Record Particulars, contrary to s.42 (3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George being the holder of a Gunsmith's licence accepted delivery of a firearm for the purpose of Effecting Modification failed to make an entry in the record of the holder.

PARISH COURT <sup>20</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years	Imprisonment for 10 years
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Unlawful Sale/testing/modification/Proofing of Firearm/Ammunition by Gunsmith, contrary to s.43 (2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. George being the holder of a Gunsmith's licence sold a firearm to a person who he knew was not the holder of a firearm authorisation authorising that person to be in possession of the firearm.

PARISH COURT <sup>21</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment.	Imprisonment for seven (7) years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Unauthorised Possession of Firearm, contrary to s.45 (2)(a) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere was in possession of a firearm without the appropriate firearms authorisation.

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Unauthorised Possession of Ammunition, contrary to s.45 (2)(a) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere was in possession of ammunition without the appropriate firearms authorisation.

PARISH COURT <sup>22</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment.	Life Imprisonment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Unauthorised Possession of a Firearm That has not been Marked, contrary to s.45 (2)(b) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Vere was in possession of a firearm that had not been marked by the Authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>23</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment.	Life Imprisonment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Carrying Firearm/Ammunition in a Public Place Without Authorisation, contrary to s.47(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. John carried a firearm in a public place without authorisation.

PARISH COURT <sup>24</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Conceal Firearm In a Public Place, contrary to s.47(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. John being the holder of an authorisation that allowed him to carry a firearm in a public intentionally exposed the firearm.

PARISH COURT <sup>25</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT000000
imprisonment.	000000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Carrying Firearm/Ammunition in a Security Restricted Area<sup>26</sup> Without Authorisation, contrary to s.49(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. John without being the holder of the appropriate firearm authorisation carried a firearm in a security restricted area.

PARISH COURT <sup>27</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment.	Ten (10) years Imprisonment

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>26</sup> **50. - (1)** The Minister may make an order under subsection (2), if satisfied that any public place is of a sensitive nature or that a medium or high priority security risk would occur if any firearm or ammunition were to be present in that public place. **(2)** If satisfied as mentioned in subsection (1), the Minister **– (a)** may by order published in the *Gazette* declare the public place to be a security restricted area where no person shall carry any firearm or ammunition unless authorised to do so under a Firearm User's (Special) Permit; and **(b)** shall specify the conditions applicable in relation to that security restricted area. **(3)** Every order under subsection **(2)** shall remain in force for such period as shall be specified in the order.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Discharge of Firearm in any Place, contrary to s.51(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. John discharged a firearm along Maxley Road.

PARISH COURT <sup>28</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Deliver up Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.52(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood being a person without the appropriate firearm authorisation came into possession of a firearm and failed to deliver it forthwith to the sub-officer in charge at the nearest police station.

PARISH COURT <sup>29</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or three (3) years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Report Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition, contrary to s.53(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood being the holder of a firearm authorisation without reasonable excuse failed to report the loss of his firearm to the police.

PARISH COURT <sup>30</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m).	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>30</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Report Possession of Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition, contrary to s.54(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood having come into possession of a firearm which he believed to be stolen failed to report it forthwith to the police.

PARISH COURT <sup>31</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or Three (3) years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Report Possession of Lost/Stolen Firearm/ammunition, contrary to s.54(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood having come into possession of a firearm which he believed to be stolen failed to report it forthwith to the police.

PARISH COURT <sup>32</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or Three (3) years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>32</sup> Special Statutory Summary

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# **PART V: Firearm Authorisations. (Sections 56-85)**

Making False Declaration in Firearm Authorisation Application

Failure to Surrender Firearm/Ammunition/Authorisation to Authority,

Failure to Comply With Notice to Deliver Licence/Certificate/Permit to Authority

Failure to Submit Firearm for Registration

Breach of Duty to Securely Store Firearm/Ammunition

Manufacturing Firearms/Ammunition at a Place other than that specified in a Firearms Manufacturers Licence

Dealing in Firearms/Ammunition at a Place other than that specified in a Firearms Dealers Licence

Failure of Licensee to Keep Records

Knowingly Making False Entry in Record

Failure to Display Licence as Required

Breach of Terms and Conditions of Firearms Authorisation

Failure to Properly Store Firearms/Ammunition

Failure to Comply with Notice to Deliver Firearm/Ammunition to the Authority

Failure to Comply With Revocation Notice

THE PENALTIES FOR THESE OFFENCES ARE TO BE FOUND WITHIN THE SIXTH SCHEDULE OF THE ACT.

Making False Declaration in Firearm Authorisation Application, contrary to s.57(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields knowingly made a false declaration in his firearm authorisation application.

PARISH COURT <sup>33</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One Million dollars (\$1m) or one years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>33</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Surrender Firearm/Ammunition/Authorisation to Authority, contrary to s.71(5) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields failed to surrender his firearm to the Authority upon being required by the Authority to do so.

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PARISH COURT <sup>34</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years	000
imprisonment.	

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Failure to Surrender Firearm/Ammunition/Authorisation to Authority, contrary to s.71(5) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields failed to surrender his firearm to the Authority upon being required by the Authority to do so.

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PARISH COURT <sup>35</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>34</sup> Special Statutory Summary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Comply With Notice to Deliver Licence/Certificate/Permit to Authority, contrary to s.72(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields failed to comply with a notice from the Authority to deliver Licence/Certificate/Permit to the Authority to be amended.

PARISH COURT <sup>36</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One Million dollars (\$1m) or one years	000
imprisonment .	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>36</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Submit Firearm for Registration, contrary to s.73(5) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields being the holder of a firearms users licence without reasonable excuse failed to submit his firearm for registration by the Authority upon being required to do so.

PARISH COURT <sup>37</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or three years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>37</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Breach of Duty to Securely Store Firearm/Ammunition, contrary to s.74(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields being the holder of a firearms users licence failed to ensure that his firearm/ammunition was safely stored so that no other person could gain access to the firearm/ammunition.

PARISH COURT <sup>38</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Manufacturing Firearms/Ammunition at a Place other than that specified in a Firearms Manufacturers Licence, contrary to s.75(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields being the holder of a firearms manufacturers licence manufactured firearms at a place other than that specified his Firearms Manufacturers Licence.

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Dealing in Firearms/Ammunition at a Place other than that specified in a Firearms Dealers Licence, contrary to s.75(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields being the holder of a firearms dealers licence dealt in firearms at a place other than that specified his Firearms Dealers Licence.

PARISH COURT <sup>39</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or Three years imprisonment.	Imprisonment for 10 years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>39</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure of Licensee to Keep Records, contrary to s.76(8) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms dealers licence failed to keep records of all transactions relating to business as a licensee.

PARISH COURT <sup>40</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or Three years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Knowingly Making False Entry in Record, contrary to s.76(8) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms dealers licence knowingly made a false entry in a record he was required to keep.

PARISH COURT <sup>41</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
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	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or Three years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>41</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Display Licence as Required, contrary to s.77(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms dealers licence failed to display his licence in the manner as required by the Act.

PARISH COURT <sup>42</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) or Six (6) months imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>42</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Breach of Terms and Conditions of Firearms Authorisation, contrary to s.78 of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms authorisation breached the terms and conditions of the said firearms authorisation to wit:.....

PARISH COURT <sup>43</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One Million dollars (\$1m) or one year	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Properly Store Firearms/Ammunition, contrary to s.79(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms authorisation permitting him to be in possession of a firearm made arrangements for the storage of the firearm in circumstances where it resulted in the firearm being out of his possession.

PARISH COURT <sup>44</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One Million dollars (\$1m) or one year	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>44</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Comply with Notice to Deliver Firearm/Ammunition to the Authority, contrary to s. 82(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms authorisation without lawful excuse failed to comply with a notice requiring him to deliver his firearm to the Authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>45</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years imprisonment.	000

Although there is a penalty provision for Failure to Comply With Suspension Notice in the sixth schedule to the Act, there is no s. 83(5) in the body of the Act

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Comply With Revocation Notice, contrary to s. 84(4) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

# **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the holder of a firearms authorisation upon being served with a revocation notice by the Authority without reasonable excuse failed to surrender his authorisation to the Authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>46</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> Special Statutory Summary

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## PART VIII. Power of Search, Seizure and to Obtain Information. (Sections 90-96)

Failure to Comply With a Request by a Constable to Stop and Search a Conveyance Intimidating/Preventing the Driver of a Conveyance from Stopping at the request of a Constable Escaping/Attempting to Escape From a Conveyance

Failure to Produce Firearm

Failure to Produce Firearm Authorisation

Failure to Comply With Requirement to Produce Concealed Firearm,

Failure to Comply With Requirement to Produce Concealed Firearm,

Failure to give true name and Address to Constable

THE PENALTIES FOR THESE OFFENCES ARE TO BE FOUND WITHIN THE SIXTH SCHEDULE OF THE ACT.

Failure to Comply With a Request by a Constable to Stop and Search a Conveyance, contrary to s. 90(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being the operator of a conveyance failed to stop the conveyance on being requested to do so by a Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>47</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years imprisonment.	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT000000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>47</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Intimidating/Preventing the Driver of a Conveyance from Stopping at the request of a Constable, contrary to s. 90(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David Intimidated/Prevented Nelson Pickay the driver of a Conveyance from stopping at the request of a Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>48</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Escaping/Attempting to Escape From a Conveyance, contrary to s. 90(2) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David attempted to escape from a conveyance upon being requested to stop by a Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>49</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five Million dollars (\$5m) or five years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>49</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Produce Firearm, contrary to s. 93(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David who upon carrying a firearm in a public place failed to comply with a request to produce the firearm upon being required to do so by a Constable.

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Failure to Produce Firearm Authorisation, contrary to s. 93(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David who upon carrying a firearm in a public place failed to comply with a request to produce the firearm authorisation upon being required to do so by a Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>50</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or three years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>50</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to Comply With Requirement to Produce Concealed Firearm, contrary to s. 93(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David who upon being suspected by Constable Babbie Lonn of carrying a concealed firearm in a public place failed to comply with a request to produce the firearm authorisation upon being required to do so by the Constable.

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Failure to Comply With Requirement to Produce Concealed Firearm, contrary to s. 93(3) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David who upon being suspected by Constable Babbie Lonn of carrying a concealed firearm in a public place failed to comply with a request to produce the firearm upon being required to do so by the Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>51</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or three years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>51</sup> Special Statutory Summary

Failure to give true name and Address to Constable, contrary to s. 94(4) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David who upon being suspected by Constable Babbie Lonn of carrying a concealed firearm in a public place failed to give his true name and address upon being required to do so by the Constable.

PARISH COURT <sup>52</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three Million dollars (\$3m) or three years imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>52</sup> Special Statutory Summary

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## PART X—Miscellaneous. (Sections 103-117)

Breach of Duty of Confidentiality

THE PENALTIES FOR THESE OFFENCES ARE TO BE FOUND WITHIN THE SIXTH SCHEDULE OF THE ACT.

Breach of Duty of Confidentiality, contrary to s. 105(4) of the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David being employed by the Authority failed to regard and deal with as secret and confidential the information communicated to him

PARISH COURT <sup>53</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One Million dollars (\$1m) or one year imprisonment.	000

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup> Special Statutory Summary

## OTHER FIREARMS RELATED OFFENCES



THE SEVENTH SCHEDULE OF THE ACT ENUMERATES THE CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENT TO FIREARMS RELATED PROVISIONS IN OTHER LEGISLATION.

# **EXPLOSIVES (CONTROL OF MANUFACTURE) ACT**



**Manufacture of Explosives Without a Licence,** contrary to s.3 of the Explosives (Control of Manufacture) Act

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of St. David carried on the manufacture of explosives without a licence from the Minister

PARISH COURT <sup>54</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or five (5) years imprisonment.	Fine or Imprisonment for 5 years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>54</sup> Mode of trial not specified





Forgery of Firearms Authorisation, contrary to s.5(1) of the Forgery Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields forged a firearms authorisation with intent to deceive/defraud

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

**Possession of Document Intended to resemble and Pass Off as a Firearms Authorisation**, contrary to s.9A (1) of the Forgery Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields had in his possession a document intended to resemble and pass off as a firearms authorisation granted under the Firearms (Prohibition, Restriction and Regulation) Act.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Twenty-Five (25) years imprisonment

Possession of instrument for producing Firearms Authorisation, contrary to s.9A(1) of the Forgery Act

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields knowingly had in his custody an instrument used for the production of firearms authorisations.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Twenty-Five (25) years imprisonment

## THE GUNPOWDER & EXPLOSIVES ACT



Landing gunpowder/Explosives Without a Licence, contrary to s.3 of The Gunpowder & Explosives Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Bluefields being the master of the ship the MV Barca Bateau arrived in the port of Bluefields having dangerous explosives on board landed the dangerous explosives without first having obtained a licence under the hand of an officer of Customs.

PARISH COURT <sup>55</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or Five (5) years imprisonment000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 15 years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>55</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

**Packing gunpowder/explosives for Conveyance**, contrary to s.13(4) of The Gunpowder & Explosives Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Withywood packed explosives for conveyance in a package that had been constructed or iron and steel.

PARISH COURT <sup>56</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
One million dollars (\$1m) or one (1) year	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

Possession of Gunpowder/Explosive/Firearm, contrary to s.18 of The Gunpowder & Explosives Act

## **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe unlawfully had explosives in his possession.

PARISH COURT <sup>57</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or Five (5) years	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of 15
imprisonment.	years
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

**Use of Gunpowder to Maim Disfigure or Disable or Endanger Life**, contrary to s.18A of The Gunpowder & Explosives Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe used a dangerous explosive to maim Vickie Timm.

#### STATEMENT OF OFFENCE

Use of Gunpowder to Endanger Property, contrary to s.18A of The Gunpowder & Explosives Act

#### **PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE**

Edward John Eyre on the 24<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2300 in the parish of Metcalfe used a dangerous explosive to to endanger the property of Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT <sup>58</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

## THE OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON ACT



Wounding With Intent to Murder contrary to s. 13 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Annie Palmer on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Northside with the use of a firearm wounded Vickie Timm with intent to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

#### **Statement of Offence**

Causing Grievous Bodily Harm With Intent to Murder contrary to s. 13 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Baxendale with the use of a firearm caused grievous bodily harm to Vickie Timm with intent to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen years

Shooting With Intent to Murder contrary to s. 16 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Annie Palmer on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Vere with the use of a firearm shot at Vickie Timm with intent to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

#### **Statement of Offence**

Attempting to Discharge Loaded Arms<sup>59</sup> With Intent to Murder contrary to s. 16 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Rossminster attempted to discharge loaded arms at Vickie Timm with intent to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen years

Any gun, pistol, or other arms which shall be loaded in the barrel with gun powder, or any other explosive substance, and ball, shot, slug, or other destructive material, shall be deemed to be loaded arms within the meaning of this Act, although the attempt to discharge the same may fail from want of proper priming, or from any other cause.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> Section 21 of the **Offences Against the Person Act** states what shall be deemed loaded arms

Attempting to Discharge Loaded Arms<sup>60</sup> With Intent to Murder contrary to s. 16 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Rossminster attempted to discharge loaded arms at Vickie Timm with intent to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen years

#### **Statement of Offence**

Any gun, pistol, or other arms which shall be loaded in the barrel with gun powder, or any other explosive substance, and ball, shot, slug, or other destructive material, shall be deemed to be loaded arms within the meaning of this Act, although the attempt to discharge the same may fail from want of proper priming, or from any other cause.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>60</sup> Section 21 of the **Offences Against the Person Act** states what shall be deemed loaded arms

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Attempting to Commit to Murder contrary to s. 17 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Vincent Ivanhoe Rhyging on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Malvern with the use of a firearm attempted to commit the murder of Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen years

Shooting With Intent, contrary to Section 20(1) of The Offences Against the Person Act

#### **Particulars of Offence**

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Bimshire shot at Vickie Timm with the intent to cause her grievous bodily harm.

#### **Statement of Offence**

Wounding With Intent, contrary to Section 20 of The Offences Against the Person Act

#### **Particulars of Offence**

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2331 in the parish of Tacoballa unlawfully and maliciously with the use of a firearm wounded Vickie Timm with the intent to cause her grievous bodily harm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of twenty (20) years

Causing Bodily Injury by Explosives, contrary to section 29 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>TH</sup> day of September, 2419 in the parish of Morant, unlawfully and maliciously by the explosion of gunpowder<sup>61</sup>, did grievous bodily harm<sup>62</sup> to Vickie Timm.

#### Statement of Offence.

Causing Bodily Injury by Firearm, contrary to section 29 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

#### Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>TH</sup> day of September, 2419 in the parish of Morant, unlawfully and maliciously with the use of a firearm, did grievous bodily harm<sup>63</sup> to Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen (15) years

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>61</sup> or other explosive substance

<sup>62</sup> Or burned, maimed, disfigured, disabled

<sup>63</sup> Or burned, maimed, disfigured, disabled

Causing Gunpowder to Explode With Intent, contrary to section 30 of the Offences Against the Person Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the  $7^{TH}$  day of September, 2049 in the parish of St. George, unlawfully and maliciously caused gunpowder to explode with intent to do grievous bodily harm to Vickie Timm.

PARISH COURT	CIRCUIT COURT / HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
000	Life Imprisonment with parole eligibility of fifteen (15) years

## THE PUBLIC ORDER ACT



**Possession of Offensive Weapon at a Political Meeting**, contrary to section 29(1) of the Public Order Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the  $7^{TH}$  day of September, 2049 in the parish of Christchurch while present at a political meeting had with him openly about his person an offensive weapon to wit a firearm otherwise than in pursuance of lawful authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>64</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Five million dollars (\$5m) or Five (5) years	Ten (10) years Imprisonment
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>64</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

Possession of Offensive Weapon at a Public Meeting, contrary to section 29(1) of the Public Order Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the  $7^{TH}$  day of September, 2049 in the parish of Christchurch while present at a public meeting had with him concealed about his person an offensive weapon to wit a firearm otherwise than in pursuance of lawful authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>65</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or Three (3) years	Ten (10) years Imprisonment
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>65</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction

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Resisting /Obstructing Search By Constable, contrary to section 30(4) of the Public Order Act.

## Particulars of Offence.

Edward John Eyre on the 7<sup>TH</sup> day of September, 2049 in the parish of Christchurch while present at a public meeting resisted search by a Constable who reasonably had cause to suspect that he Edward John Eyre had with him concealed about his person an offensive weapon to wit a firearm otherwise than in pursuance of lawful authority.

PARISH COURT <sup>66</sup>	CIRCUIT COURT /
	HIGH COURT DIVISION GUN COURT
Three million dollars (\$3m) or Three (3) years	000
imprisonment.	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>66</sup> Special Statutory Summary Jurisdiction