ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

THE VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2012

No. 13 of 2012

AN ACT to amend the Vehicle and Road Traffic Act Cap. 460 and for incidental and connected purposes.

ENACTED by the Parliament of Antigua and Barbuda as follows:—

1. Short title

This Act may be cited as the Vehicle and Road Traffic (Amendment) Act, 2012.

2. Interpretation

In this Act “the principal Act” means the Vehicle and Road Traffic Act Cap. 460.

3. Insertion of section 29A. — Driving without a valid licence

The principal Act is amended by inserting the following after section 29—

“29A. Driving without a valid licence
THE VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2012

ARRANGEMENT

Sections

1. Short title.

2. Interpretation

3. Insertion of section 29A. – Driving without a valid licence
(1) For the purposes of this section—

(a) “valid licence” includes a valid driver’s licence, valid learner’s permit or valid public service vehicle driver’s permit; and

(b) “vehicle” includes a motor cycle, a private motor car, a light or heavy goods vehicle, a land or motor tractor, a public service vehicle;

as referred to in Part II of the Transport Board Regulations, 1999.

(2) A person shall not drive a vehicle on any road unless he is the holder of a valid licence.

(3) A person who contravenes subsection (2) commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to imprisonment for two years and a fine of five thousand dollars.”.

Passed by the House of Representatives on the 3rd October, 2012.

D. Gisele Isaac-Arrindel,  
Speaker.

Passed by the Senate on the 25th October, 2012.

Hazelyn M. Francis,  
President.

Ramona Small,  
Clerk to the House of Representatives.

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Clerk to the Senate.