

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Contravention of Section 65(1) of the Securities Act Chapter 83:02 of the Laws of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago and By-Law 48(1) of the Securities (General), By-Laws 2015

By

Nestle Trinidad and Tobago Limited

ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Dated this 5th day of June, 2023

WHEREAS Section 65(1) of the Securities Act Chapter 83:02 of the Laws of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago ("the Act") and By-Law 48(1) of the Securities (General), By-Laws 2015 ("the By-Laws) require a Reporting Issuer to file its Annual Audited Comparative Financial Statements with the Commission within the prescribed timeframe;

AND WHEREAS Nestle Trinidad and Tobago Limited ("the Respondent") filed its Annual Audited Comparative Financial Statements for the period ended December 31, 2021 with the Commission past the due date;

AND WHEREAS staff of the Commission ("the Staff") advised the Respondent that it was in contravention of Section 65(1) of the Act and By-Law 48(1) of the By-Laws by failing to file the aforementioned document within the prescribed timeframe;

AND WHEREAS the Respondent acknowledged that it was in contravention of Section 65(1) of the Act and By-Law 48(1) of the By-Laws and agreed to pay the consequential administrative penalty;

AND UPON the Board of Commissioners considering submissions in the matter and being satisfied that the making of this Order is essentially procedural and does not require a Hearing pursuant to Section 159 of the Act.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- 1. Nestle Trinidad and Tobago Limited ("the Respondent") has contravened Section 65(1) of the Act and By-Law 48(1) of the By-Laws;
- 2. Pursuant to Section 156(2) of the Act, the Respondent shall pay an administrative fine in the sum of Sixty-One Thousand Trinidad and Tobago Dollars (TT\$61,000.00), to the Commission; and
- 3. This Order shall be published in the Trinidad and Tobago Gazette and posted on the Commission's website. A notice of the posting shall be published in two daily newspapers of general circulation in Trinidad and Tobago.

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