Government of the Republic of Trinidad and Tobago
Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation

PUBLIC NOTICE

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TEMPORARY TRAFFIC DISRUPTION ALONG THE EASTERN MAIN ROAD FROM MT. LAMBERT TO ST. JOSEPH TO FACILITATE TESTING OF THE REVERSIBLE LANE CONTROL SYSTEM

The Ministry of Transport and Civil Aviation advises motorists of a temporary traffic disruption along the Eastern Main Road, between Mt. Lambert and St. Joseph, to facilitate testing of the new Reversible Lane Control System.

Testing Period: 17 August 2026 to 21 August 2026
Testing Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily

The testing exercise forms part of the Ministry's ongoing efforts to improve traffic operations and mobility along the Eastern Main Road. The system is intended to support more efficient use of the existing roadway by managing lane use in response to traffic demand.

During the testing period, motorists may experience temporary lane restrictions, adjustments to normal lane operations and short delays within the affected area.

Traffic Management personnel will be present to coordinate and monitor traffic conditions throughout the exercise and to implement the necessary traffic management measures to facilitate the safe testing of the system.

Motorists are advised to:

- Reduce speed when approaching and travelling through the affected areas;
- Proceed with caution and observe all directional signs, lane-control signals, cones and barriers;
- Follow the instructions of Police Officers, Traffic Wardens, Traffic Management personnel and other authorised personnel;
- Exercise caution when travelling near work crews, heavy equipment and testing activities;
- Avoid unnecessary lane changes; and
- Allow additional time for travel and use alternative routes where possible.

The Ministry apologises for any inconvenience caused and thanks motorists and the wider public for their patience and cooperation as testing of the Reversible Lane Control System is undertaken.

For further information, please contact Traffic Management at **tmb@mowt.gov.tt** or **612-0378 ext. 56000**.

Your safety is our priority.

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