

No. 291. THE VILLAGES (ADMINISTRATION AND IMPROVEMENT) LAWS, 1950.

BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE IMPROVEMENT BOARD OF AYIOS AMVROSIOS.

In exercise of the powers vested in them by section 24 of the Villages (Administration and Improvement) Laws, 1950, the Improvement Board of Ayios Amvrosios hereby make the following bye-laws :—

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Villages (Administration and Improvement) Ayios Amvrosios Bye-laws, 1951.

2.—(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraphs (2), and (3) of this bye-law, the Villages (Administration and Improvement) Pedhoulas Bye-laws, 1951, published in Supplement No. 3 to the *Gazette* of the 14th March, 1951 (hereinafter called “the model bye-laws”) shall—

(a) be deemed to be bye-laws made by the Improvement Board of Ayios Amvrosios and to be incorporated herein, and

(b) apply to the improvement area of Ayios Amvrosios :

Provided that for the word “Pedhoulas” and for the word “Nicosia” wherever they occur in the model bye-laws, the words “Ayios Amvrosios” and the word “Kyrenia” shall be substituted respectively.

(2) The bye-laws set out in the First Appendix hereto shall be substituted for the corresponding bye-laws of the model bye-laws.

(3) The bye-laws of the model bye-laws mentioned in the Second Appendix hereto shall not apply to the improvement area of Ayios Amvrosios.

FIRST APPENDIX.

(Bye-law 2 (2).)

BYE-LAWS TO BE SUBSTITUTED.

Bye-law 26. The following fees shall be paid by the owner of or the person slaughtering any animal in the appropriate slaughter-house, that is to say :—

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| (a) For every bullock, camel, cow or ox not exceeding thirty okes in weight | — | 4½ |
| (b) For every bullock, camel, cow or ox exceeding thirty okes in weight | 1 | 0 |
| (c) For every goat, kid, lamb or sheep of six okes or over in weight | — | 4½ |
| (d) For every kid or lamb under six okes in weight | — | 3 |
| (e) For every swine not exceeding five okes in weight | — | 3 |
| (f) For every swine exceeding five okes in weight but not exceeding ten okes in weight | — | 4½ |
| (g) For every swine exceeding ten okes in weight but not exceeding thirty okes in weight | — | 6 |
| (h) For every swine exceeding thirty okes in weight | 1 | 0 |

Provided that when any animal which has been slaughtered is to be used exclusively by the owner and his family for the purpose of salting, one shilling shall, irrespective of the weight of the animal, be paid in lieu of the fees hereinbefore prescribed.

Bye-law 37.—(1) The following fees shall be paid by every person exposing for sale any perishable goods in the market of perishable goods, that is to say :—

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| (a) When the value of such goods is under two shillings | — | 1 |
| (b) When the value of such goods exceeds two shillings but does not exceed four shillings | — | 2 |
| (c) When the value of such goods exceeds four shillings but does not exceed eight shillings | — | 4 |
| (d) When the value of such goods exceeds eight shillings but does not exceed fifteen shillings | — | 6 |
| (e) When the value of such goods exceeds fifteen shillings but does not exceed twenty shillings | 1 | 0 |
| (f) When the value of such goods exceeds twenty shillings but does not exceed forty shillings | 1 | 4½ |
| (g) When the value of such goods exceeds forty shillings but does not exceed eighty shillings | 2 | 0 |

(2) If the value of such goods exceeds £4, a fee of 2p. for each additional pound or fraction thereof shall be added to the aforementioned fee of two shillings.

(3) Every fee payable under this bye-law shall be paid to the inspector.

Bye-law 51.—(1) The following fees shall be paid by every person exposing for sale any fresh meat in the meat market, that is to say :—

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| (a) For every carcass of sheep or goat or part thereof | — | 3 |
| (b) For every carcass of a young lamb or kid of less than 6 okes in weight or part thereof | — | 3 |
| (c) For every carcass of ox, camel, cow or bullock or part thereof not exceeding 30 okes in weight | — | 6 |
| (d) For every carcass of ox, camel, cow or bullock or part thereof exceeding 30 okes in weight but not exceeding 60 okes in weight | 1 | 0 |
| (e) For every carcass of ox, camel, cow or bullock or part thereof exceeding 60 okes in weight | 1 | 3 |

(2) The fees in paragraph (1) of this bye-law prescribed shall not be payable by any person exposing for sale any fresh meat in the meat market, who is a monthly or yearly lessee of any shop, stall, place or space in the meat market under bye-law 50 of these bye-laws.

(3) Every fee payable under this bye-law shall be paid to the inspector.

Bye-law 58.—(1) The following fees shall be paid by the owner of or the person exposing for sale any carcass of swine or fresh pork in the pork market, that is to say :—

| | <i>s. p.</i> |
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| (a) For every carcass of swine or part thereof or portion of fresh pork not exceeding 30 okes in weight | — 4½ |
| (b) For every carcass of swine or part thereof or portion of fresh pork exceeding 30 okes in weight but not exceeding 60 okes in weight | — 6 |
| (c) For every carcass of swine or part thereof or portion of fresh pork exceeding 60 okes in weight | 1 0 |

(2) Every fee payable under this bye-law shall be paid to the inspector.

Bye-law 75.—(1) The following tolls shall be paid by the owner of or the person exposing for sale any animal in the market of animals, that is to say :—

| | <i>s. p.</i> |
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| (a) For every horse or mule | 1 0 |
| (b) For every ox or ass | 1 0 |
| (c) For every camel | 1 0 |
| (d) For every sheep, goat or swine | — 3 |
| (e) For every kid, lamb or suckling pig | — 2 |
| (f) For every live chicken | — 1 |
| (g) For every live fowl | — 1 |
| (h) For every live turkey | — 2 |

(2) Every such toll shall be paid to the inspector on admission of the animal into the market of animals.

Bye-law 82. The following tolls shall be paid by every person selling or exposing for sale in the fair market the following animals, goods, articles, things, eatables or liquids of any kind, that is to say :—

| | <i>s. p.</i> |
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| (a) For every camel, horse, mule or ox sold | 1 0 |
| (b) For every donkey sold | — 6 |
| (c) For every swine of any age sold | — 3 |
| (d) For any kind of goods, articles, things, eatables or liquides exposed for sale for the whole or any part of the period of the said fair, a toll from 1p. to 20s. according to the value or quantity thereof, to be determined in each case by the inspector. | |

Bye-law 110.—(1) No owner or occupier of any premises within the improvement area shall supply or cause to be supplied to such premises, or shall allow or suffer such premises to be supplied with, any water other than the domestic water without a licence first obtained therefor in every year from the Board :

Provided that the owner of any water found in the improvement area may use such water for his own domestic purposes, but before he can do so he must satisfy the Board that such water is free from contamination and chemically and bacteriologically satisfactory.

(2) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this bye-law, the supply to any premises within the improvement area, or the use of any water, other than the domestic water is prohibited.

(3) Subject to the provisions of paragraph (1) of this bye-law, the owner or occupier of any premises within the improvement area supplied with water other than the domestic water shall, within one month of the date of the coming into operation of these bye-laws, discontinue such supply.

(4) The fee payable for any licence granted under paragraph (1) of this bye-law shall be determined in each case by the Board but shall in no case exceed £2 per year or part thereof.

Bye-law 117. The following rates shall be paid by the owner or occupier of any premises or place supplied with the domestic water, that is to say :—

- In respect of a house, coffee-house, shop or store a rate, to be determined in each case by the Board, not exceeding £2 per year or part thereof.
- In respect of a hotel, boarding-house, lodging-house, khan, factory or industrial undertaking a rate, to be determined in each case by the Board, not exceeding £3 per year or part thereof :

Provided that the Board may install water-meters on any water line supply for measuring the quantity of the domestic water supplied to any premises and in every such case the rate to be paid by the owner or occupier of any premises shall be determined in each case by the Board but shall in no case exceed three shillings per thousand gallons.

Bye-law 136.—(1) No person shall put up, erect, construct, keep or use, within the improvement area, any kiln for making, baking or burning tiles or bricks or for any other purpose unless such person has obtained in every year a licence from the Board.

(2) The fee payable for any licence granted under this bye-law shall be five shillings per year or part thereof.

Bye-law 139.—(1) No person shall establish or keep a threshing floor within the improvement area without a licence from the Board first obtained.

(2) The Board may attach to such licence such conditions as it may deem necessary.

(3) The fee for such licence shall be 2s. per year or part thereof.

Bye-law 155.—(1) No person shall, within the improvement area, hawk any goods without a licence first obtained therefor in every year from the Board or the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

(2) The following fees shall be paid by every hawker in respect of every day upon which he hawks goods within the improvement area, that is to say:—

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| (a) When the value of the goods hawked does not exceed £1 | — | 2 |
| (b) When the value of the goods hawked does not exceed £3 | — | 3 |
| (c) When the value of the goods hawked exceeds £3 but does not exceed £10 | — | 6 |
| (d) When the value of the goods hawked exceeds £10 | 1 | 0 |

(3) Every fee payable under this bye-law shall be paid to the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

Bye-law 160.—(1) The following charges shall be paid by every person posting or exhibiting any advertisement or notice on any hoarding, that is to say:—

| | Size of advertisement or notice not exceeding: | |
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| | 2 × 2 ft. | 3 × 3 ft. |
| | s. | p. |
| (a) For each day | — | 1 |
| (b) For each week or part thereof | — | 6 |
| (c) For each month or part thereof | 2 | 0 |

(2) Every such charge shall be paid to the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

Bye-law 163.—(1) The following fees shall be paid by every person obtaining a licence under this Part of these bye-laws, that is to say:—

- For a period of one month a fee, to be determined in each case by the Board, not exceeding £1.
- For a period of one week a fee, to be determined in each case by the Board, not exceeding 5/-.
- For a single performance, cinematograph exhibition, dance, entertainment or public meeting a fee, to be determined in each case by the Board, not exceeding 2/-.

(2) Every such fee shall be paid to the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

Bye-law 170. Any person found causing damage to any tree or shrub in a park or garden or to any property of the Board in a park, garden, play-ground, swimming pool, amusement centre, or place of resort or recreation, shall be guilty of an offence and on conviction shall be liable to a fine not exceeding £2 in addition to compensation for the damage caused.

Bye-law 172.—(1) No person shall keep within the improvement area any dog unless he has obtained a licence therefor from the Board or any person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

(2) The person authorized by the Board in that behalf shall keep a register of all such licences granted by the Board in which shall be entered—

- the name, address and occupation of each person to whom a licence is issued;
- the description and sex of the dog in respect of which such licence is issued; and
- the number of the badge or duplicate badge to be worn by the dog for which the licence is issued.

(3) Every licence shall expire on the 31st day of December in the year in which it is issued and may be renewed annually by endorsement thereon.

(4) The following fees shall be paid by every person for a licence or renewal of a licence to keep any dog within the improvement area, that is to say:—

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| (a) For every bitch in every year | 4 | 0 |
| (b) For every other dog in every year | 2 | 0 |

Bye-law 173.—(1) The Board shall supply free of charge to every licensee a numbered metal badge to be worn by the dog for which the licence is issued and the number of such badge shall be recorded on the licence.

(2) Where it is proved to the satisfaction of the Board that a metal badge supplied under this bye-law has been lost or destroyed, the Board may issue to the licensee a duplicate metal badge on payment of 6p.

(3) The licensee shall, on the expiration of the licence, or if he ceases to keep the dog in respect of which the badge or duplicate badge has been issued, or if the dog dies during the currency of the licence, forthwith return such badge or duplicate badge to the Board.

(4) Every licensee shall, within a reasonable time after demand, produce his licence for inspection by an officer of the Board or any member of the Cyprus Police Force.

Bye-law 178.—(1) Whenever any authorized weigher is requested by any person to weigh, measure or test any goods other than any of the goods enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto, such person shall pay to the authorized weigher upon such weighing, measuring or testing a fee at the rate of two paras per oke in respect thereof and such authorized weigher shall give to the person paying the same a printed receipt in respect thereof from a counterfoil book in such form as the Board may from time to time prescribe and every person paying any such fee shall require the authorized weigher to whom the same is paid to furnish him with such printed receipt:

Provided that—

- Fractions under ten paras shall not be collected.
- For fractions of ten paras and over and under thirty paras the sum of twenty paras shall be collected.
- For fractions of thirty paras and over and under forty paras the sum of forty paras shall be collected:

Provided also that the minimum fee for any one weighing, measuring or testing shall be one piastre.

(2) Nothing in this bye-law contained—

- (a) shall apply or shall be taken to apply to the weighing, measuring or testing of any goods enumerated in the Second Schedule hereto; or
- (b) shall be taken or construed to give any authorized weigher or to the Board any right to demand the compulsory weighing, measuring or testing of any goods to which this bye-law applies.

Bye-law 179. The fee to be levied and paid under the provisions of sub-section (2) of section 29 of the Law on any carobs weighed under the provisions of sub-section (1) of the said section shall be four piastres per aleppo cantar of such carobs.

Bye-law 180.—(1) There shall be paid in every year by the owner of any premises within the improvement area let or in the occupation of such owner during the summer season or any part thereof a fee at a rate to be fixed by the Board in each year not exceeding two per centum of the value of such premises as assessed for Immovable Property Tax under the Immovable Property Tax Laws, 1932 to 1942.

(2) The provisions of this bye-law shall not apply to any premises let or in the occupation of the owner during the summer season or any part thereof and used as a hotel, boarding-house, lodging-house or khan.

Bye-law 181.—(1) There shall be paid in every year by every owner of any premises within the improvement area, let or in the occupation of such owner during the summer season or any part thereof and used as a hotel, boarding-house, lodging-house, or khan a fee at a rate to be fixed by the Board in each year, not exceeding two per centum of the value of such premises as assessed for Immovable Property Tax under the Immovable Property Tax Laws, 1932 to 1942.

(2) In addition to the fees in paragraph (1) of this bye-law provided, there shall be paid—

- (a) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area, used as a first class hotel, a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding one shilling per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such hotel;
 - (b) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area, used as a second class hotel, a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding 6p. per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such hotel;
 - (c) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area used as a third class hotel a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding 4p. per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such hotel;
 - (d) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area, used as a hotel other than of the first, second or third class or as a boarding-house a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding two piastres per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such hotel or boarding-house;
 - (e) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area, used as a lodging-house, a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding one piastre per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such lodging-house;
 - (f) by every occupier of any premises, within the improvement area, used as a khan, a fee as fixed by the Board from time to time but in no case exceeding one piastre per night for every person of over ten years of age, staying or residing at such khan;
- (3) Every keeper of a hotel, boarding-house, lodging-house or khan shall—
- (a) enter daily in a book the name and surname of each person who stays or resides at his hotel, boarding-house, lodging-house or khan; and
 - (b) shall produce such book for inspection at all times on request to the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

Bye-law 185.—(1) Every person who, within the improvement area, carries on, exercises or practises any profession, business, trade or other calling, as hereinafter mentioned, shall, in every year, pay a fee in accordance with the following scale, as the Board may in each case determine :—

| | An annual fee not exceeding : shillings. |
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| (a) Barbers | 5 |
| (b) Bakers, butchers, clubs, contractors, dentists, medical practitioners, chemists, pharmacists, mineral water manufacturers, shoemakers, photographers, telegraph agencies, pianists or bandmasters | 20 |
| (c) Camp-keepers | 5 |
| (d) Hotel-keepers, boarding-house keepers, lodging-house keepers or khan keepers | 5 |
| (e) Keepers of coffee-houses, drapery-shops, grocery-shops, restaurants or any other class of shops | 5 |
| (f) Muleteers, per horse or mule or donkey | 5 |
| (g) Persons keeping carriages for public hire, per carriage | 5 |
| (h) Individuals keeping motor cars for public hire, per motor car | 10 |
| (i) Motor car companies, partnerships or agencies keeping motor cars for public hire | 10 |
| (j) Merchants, money-lenders, business men, manufacturers | 20 |
| (k) Persons carrying on within the improvement area any profession, business, trade or other calling not enumerated above | 20 |

(2) Every fee payable under this bye-law shall be paid to the person authorized by the Board in that behalf.

Bye-law 187. The Board shall on or before the 31st day of March in each year prepare a list (hereinafter in this Part of these bye-laws referred to as "the occupiers list") showing the name, occupation and place of abode of every occupier in the improvement area and the amount of the annual rate assessed on each such occupier. The occupiers list shall be dated and signed by the Chairman.

Bye-law 189. Every occupier in the improvement area whose name appears in the occupiers list shall on or before the 30th day of November pay to the Chairman or to the Treasurer of the Board the amount of the annual rate assessed on such occupier.

Bye-law 214. The Board shall in every year charge on and pay out of the revenues of the Board a sum of £10 into the Gratuities and Pension Fund: Provided that the Board may from time to time increase, reduce or suspend the above payment as circumstances may require.

SECOND APPENDIX.

(Bye-law 2 (3).)

BYE-LAWS NOT APPLICABLE.

Bye-laws 39, 47, 134, 191 to 195.

The above bye-laws have been approved by the Colonial Secretary.

(M.P. 2185/50.)

No. 292. THE IRRIGATION (PRIVATE WATER) ASSOCIATION LAW, 1949.

In pursuance of the provisions of sub-section (3) of section 12 of the Irrigation (Private Water) Association Law, 1949, the following Rules made by the Committee of the Irrigation Association of Athienou ("Athanasia" Water), in the District of Larnaca, are published in the *Gazette*.

IRRIGATION ASSOCIATION OF ATHIENOU ("ATHANASI" WATER).

Rules.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Irrigation Association of Athienou ("Athanasia" Water) Rules, 1951.
2. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires—
 - "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of the District of Larnaca;
 - "Committee" means the Committee of the Irrigation Association;
 - "Irrigation Association" means the Irrigation Association of Athienou ("Athanasia" Water);
 - "Law" means the Irrigation (Private Water) Association Law, 1949;
 - "List" means the list of the names and residences of the proprietors and of the extent of the interest of each proprietor in the water, as finally settled in accordance with the provisions of section 11 of the Law;
 - "works" means the irrigation works of the Irrigation Association;
 - "water" means the water commonly known as "Athanasia" Water.
3. The present Committee shall hold office for a period of three years beginning on the 1st June, 1951. The election of each subsequent Committee shall take place in the manner hereinafter provided every third year in the first week of the month of May and it shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of the expiration of the period of office of the previous Committee.
- 4.—(1) The Commissioner shall, not less than one month before the holding of the meeting as in rule 3 provided, cause a written notice thereof to be—
 - (a) published in a newspaper or newspapers; and
 - (b) posted in a conspicuous place in the town, village or quarter in which the water is situate.
- (2) All expenses connected with the notices shall be paid for from the funds of the Irrigation Association.
- 5.—(1) The Commissioner shall preside at every meeting so convened and if any question is raised as to the right of a person to attend thereat or to vote, the Commissioner may there and then make such enquiry as he may deem requisite and declare whether such person has a right to attend or to vote or not and the decision so made shall be final; and an entry shall be made in the minutes of the meeting of any such question and of the decision thereon.
- (2) No business shall be transacted at any such meeting and no decision shall be taken thereat, unless more than one-half of the aggregate number of the proprietors are present in person or are represented by a proxy properly appointed by an instrument signed in the presence of and certified by a mukhtar.
- (3) The Commissioner shall call the persons who are present at the meeting and entitled to vote to elect, by an open vote, to be taken as to him may appear convenient, a Committee of not less than three and not more than five persons from among the proprietors. Every candidate for such election shall be properly proposed and seconded at the meeting.
- (4) Every proprietor present shall be entitled to give one vote for each candidate and every authorized proxy shall be similarly entitled to give one vote in respect of every proprietor from whom he holds authority.