

2.—(1) Subject to the provisions of paragraphs (2) and (3) of this bye-law, the Village Domestic Water Supply (Elea) Bye-laws, 1950, published in the *Gazette* of 1st November, 1950, shall—

- (a) be deemed to be bye-laws made by the Water Commission of Trimithousa Paphos and to be incorporated herein, and
 - (b) apply to the village of Trimithousa Paphos.
- (2) The bye-laws set out in Part I of the Schedule hereto shall be substituted for the corresponding bye-laws of the Village Domestic Water Supply (Elea) Bye-laws, 1950.
- (3) Those bye-laws of the Village Domestic Water Supply (Elea) Bye-laws, 1950, mentioned in Part II of the Schedule hereto, shall not apply to the village of Trimithousa Paphos.

SCHEDULE.

PART I.

BYE-LAWS TO BE SUBSTITUTED.

Bye-law 2.—In these bye-laws, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Commissioner” means the Commissioner of the District of Paphos and includes an Assistant Commissioner of that District;

“Law” means the Water (Domestic Purposes) Village Supplies Law, 1948, and any law amending or substituted for the same;

“Village” means the village of Trimithousa Paphos;

“Water” means the water of the water supply;

“Water Commission” means the Water Commission of Trimithousa Paphos village;

“Water Supply” means the supply of water for domestic purposes used or constructed under the Law in the village of Trimithousa Paphos and includes all wells, bores, reservoirs, dams, weirs, tanks, cisterns, tunnels, filterbeds, conduits, aqueducts, mains, pipes, fountains, sluices, valves, pumps, channels, engines and other structures or appliances used or constructed for the storage, conveyance, supply, distribution, measurement or regulation of the water of such supply of water.

Bye-law 13.—The Water Commission shall, not later than the 1st day of July in each year, post or cause to be posted in two conspicuous places in the village a notice under the signature of the Chairman of the Water Commission specifying the rate fixed for the year to which the notice relates, and such rate shall be paid by each householder in the village to the Water Commission not later than the 31st October of the same year.

PART II.

BYE-LAWS NOT APPLICABLE.

Bye-laws 2 and 13.

The above bye-laws have been approved by the Commissioner of the District of Paphos.

(M.P. 485/48.)

No. 64. 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 Kato Moni (“Vayiannis” Water), in the District of Nicosia, are published in the *Gazette*.

IRRIGATION ASSOCIATION OF KATO MONI (“VAYIANNIS” WATER).

Rules.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Irrigation Association of Kato Moni (“Vayiannis” Water) Rules, 1951.

2. In these Rules, unless the context otherwise requires—

“Commissioner” means the Commissioner of the District of Nicosia;

“Committee” means the Committee of the Irrigation Association;

“Irrigation Association” means the Irrigation Association of Kato Moni (“Vayiannis” 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 “Vayiannis” Water.

3. The present Committee shall hold office for a period of three years beginning on the 7th February, 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 December 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.

(5) At the conclusion of the voting the Commissioner shall count the votes and the candidates who have received the greatest number of votes shall be declared to be elected as the Committee and shall hold office for a period of three years from the date of the expiration of the period of office of the previous Committee.

(6) In case a person elected as a member of the Committee declines to act, the person who received the greatest number of votes next to such candidate shall be appointed by the Commissioner to be a member of the Committee in the place of the candidate so declining to act.

(7) In case the number of candidates proposed and elected as members of the Committee is not greater than the number of persons required as members of the Committee and one or more of them declines to act, the Commissioner shall nominate another proprietor or proprietors to be a member or members of the Committee in his or their place.

(8) The Commissioner shall keep or cause to be kept minutes of the proceedings at every such meeting and shall enter or cause to be entered therein the questions or resolutions proposed thereat and the number of votes given for and against them and shall at the close of the meeting sign the minutes and declare the result of votes given.

(9) The Commissioner may at his discretion adjourn any such meeting from time to time to a date and place to be declared by him at the meeting or the adjourned meeting and no further notice thereof shall be necessary:

Provided that, unless special notice is given therefor, no subject which was not contained in the notice convening the public meeting shall be discussed or considered at any adjourned meeting.

6.—(1) The Committee shall appoint a treasurer who shall collect the charges assessed upon the proprietors mentioned in the list.

(2) The treasurer shall, on the 1st October, in every year, prepare a statement of all charges still due and unpaid on that date and shall forward such statement to the Commissioner.

(3) The treasurer shall receive a remuneration of three per centum of all rates and charges collected by him as in paragraph (1) hereof, and, in addition he shall be paid such of his out of pocket expenses as may be sanctioned by the Committee.

(4) The treasurer shall be appointed for such period as the Committee may fix but in no case extending over the term of office of the Committee appointing such treasurer.

7. Every proprietor mentioned in the list shall pay a charge not exceeding one hundred shillings per annum, as may be determined by the Committee from time to time, for each hour of water of which he is the proprietor.

8. All charges assessed under these rules shall be paid on or before the 30th September in every year.

9. The annual estimates of the Irrigation Association shall be submitted by the Committee to the Commissioner for approval not later than the 31st day of October in every year.

10. The Committee shall from time to time authorize the treasurer to pay out of the money in his hands any sum required—

(a) for the works or for the maintenance or repairs thereof;

(b) for any purpose approved by the Commissioner in connection with the operations of the Irrigation Association provision for which is made in any estimates approved by the Commissioner; and

(c) for any compensation payable under section 24 of the Law, whenever there are funds at the disposal of the treasurer or of the Committee sufficient to meet any amount payable as compensation under the provisions of the said section.

11. The Committee may from time to time appoint such person or persons as may be required for the purpose of carrying out any work or for the performance of any duty under the provisions of the Law or of these rules, and fix the remuneration of such person or persons: Provided that the person or persons appointed for carrying out any work shall be first approved by the Commissioner.

12. During the months of March, April, May, September and October in every year, the Committee shall cause the works to be properly cleared and repaired.