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## PART IX

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### LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

L. D.—B. 74/39/L. G. D.—GC. 15/1.

#### THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

Order under section 6.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 6 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Solomon West Ridgeway Dias Bandaranaike, Minister of Health and Local Government, do by this Order alter and redefine, with effect from the first day of January 1949, the limits of the Kalpitiya village area of the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Kalpitiya in the Puttalam District of the North Western Province by the exclusion from that village area of the area now known as the town of Kalpitiya and more fully described in the Schedule hereto.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,  
Minister of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 13, 1948.

#### Schedule.

##### Limits of the Town of Kalpitiya.

The area situated in Kalpitiya of Kalpitiya Division, Puttalam District, North Western Province and bounded as follows:—

North: By a line drawn from a point on the water edge of the 31½ Straits of Anavalal chains west of the centre of the mouth of the Pithonkali Odai eastwards along the water edge of the said Straits as far as a point in line with the eastern boundary of lot 2 in P. P. 7053.

East: By a line drawn from the last-mentioned point southwards along the water edge of the Puttalam Lagoon to a point 28 chains south of the Wannimundal Trig. Station.

South: By a line drawn from the last-mentioned point westwards, north-westwards and south-westwards along the water edge of the Puttalam Lagoon as far as the centre of the mouth of the Mathikattan Odai, thence by a line drawn westwards along the centre of the said Odai crossing the Puttalam-Kalpitiya road to a point in line with the northern boundary of T. P. 71573.

West: By a line drawn from the last-mentioned point northwards along the centre of the Mathikattan Odai to its most northerly point, thence by a line drawn northwards along the eastern boundary of Vavaddiprivuthotam claimed by S. Seynambu Nachchiar to the water edge of the Straits of Anavalal, thence by a line drawn north-eastwards along the water edge of the said Straits to the starting point of the northern limit of the area.

L. D.—B. 27/39/L. D. G.—GC. 15/1.

#### THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 11 (1) of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, I, Solomon West Ridgeway Dias Bandaranaike, Minister of Health and Local Government, do by this Notification, with effect from July 1, 1949—

- (1) subdivide the Village Headmen's Divisions situated in the Kalpitiya village area in the Puttalam District and specified in column I. of the First Schedule hereto, into wards with the limits specified in the corresponding items in column II. of that Schedule; and

- (2) rescind the Notifications specified in the Second Schedule hereto so far as they relate to that village area.

S. W. R. D. BANDARANAIKE,  
Minister of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, October 13, 1948.

#### First Schedule.

Column I. Village Headmen's Divisions.	Column II. Wards.
1. Vellankarai, No. 627/628	Ward No. 1, Musalpitti—comprising Musalpitti, Nachchikal, Karukkativu, Uslantivu, and Pullupiddi villages
2. Kuringipitti, No. 629	Ward No. 2, Vellankarai—comprising Vellankarai, Samativadi, Pallwasalurai, Antavadi, Ammatotam, and Somativu villages
3. Dutch Bay, No. 633	Ward No. 3, Kandakuli—comprising Kandakuli village
	Ward No. 4, Kuringipitti—Comprising Kalladi, Ichehankadu, Kulumatukarisal, and Kuringipitti villages
	Ward No. 5, Mutwal—comprising Mutwal village
	Ward No. 6, Dutch Bay—comprising Dutch Bay, Vellai, Karadivu, Ippantivu Islands, Peria Arichel, Sinne Arichel, and Sallampiddy

#### Second Schedule.

1. The Notification relating to certain village areas situated in the Puttalam District, published in *Gazette* No. 8,447 of April 21, 1939.
2. The Notification relating to the subdivision or amalgamation of certain Village Headmen's Divisions in the Puttalam District, published in *Gazette* No. 9,629 of November 15, 1946.

L. D.—B. 16/47./L. G. D.—CH. 44.

#### THE TOWN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 3 OF 1946.

##### Special Conservancy Rate for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Wadduwa Town Council has, under section 143 (b) of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, and with the sanction of the Minister of Health and Local Government given by virtue of the powers vested in him by that section, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773, of September 24, 1947, imposed for the year 1949; subject to such limits and exemptions as may be prescribed by by-laws, a special conservancy rate of three per centum of the annual value of all immovable property situated within the town of Wadduwa, payable in four equal instalments on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary.

Ministry of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, October 12, 1948.

L. D.—B. 12/47/L. G. D.—GB. 14/28/5.

**THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.**

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of Naimana-Makawita village area in the Matara District, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of that section as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government,  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

**By-laws.**

*Offensive and Dangerous Trades.*

1. (1) The following trades shall be deemed to be offensive trades :—

- (a) Storing cured or dry fish.
- (b) Storing perishable articles of food and provisions for the purpose of sale by wholesale.
- (c) Manufacture of compost or artificial manure.
- (d) Manufacture of vinegar.
- (e) Curing or manufacture of rubber.
- (f) Manufacture of soap.
- (g) Keeping a tannery.
- (h) Curing arecanuts.
- (i) Icing fish.
- (j) Seasoning planks and other timber.
- (k) Smoking or manufacture of rubber sheets or crepe.

(2) The following trades shall be deemed to be dangerous trades :—

- (a) Manufacture of aerated waters.
- (b) Manufacture of copra.
- (c) Extracting oil by apparatus.
- (d) Quarrying for cabook, gravel or metal.
- (e) Storing copra.
- (f) Storing straw.
- (g) Manufacture of desiccated coconut.
- (h) Manufacture of coconut oil by machinery.
- (i) Burning or storing lime.

(3) The following trades shall be deemed to be dangerous and offensive trades :—

Burning bricks or tiles.

2. (1) No person shall carry on any offensive or dangerous trade unless he is the holder of a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence shall, unless it is cancelled under by-law 10, expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which it is issued.

3. No person shall be entitled to a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade unless—

- (i) the place at which that trade is to be carried on is approved by the Medical Officer of Health, and
- (ii) any building to be used for the purposes of that trade is in conformity with the following requirements :—

- (a) the building must be in good repair, well ventilated, well lighted, and provided with adequate drainage and latrine accommodation;
- (b) the roof of the building must be made of some permanent material and the floor must be cemented;
- (c) the eaves of the building must be not less than six feet from the ground;
- (d) every room in the building must be provided with windows capable of being opened and the area of such windows when open shall be not less than one-fifteenth of the superficial floor space;
- (e) the walls of every room in the building must be not less than seven feet in height and must be built of brick, stone or cabook;
- (f) the internal surface of such walls, to a height of at least four feet from the floor must be plastered with cement and the rest of the walls must be lime-plastered and lime-washed; and
- (g) the woodwork of the building must be oil-painted or limewashed.

4. (1) If, at any time during the period for which a licence has been issued in respect of any offensive or dangerous trade any building used for the purposes of that trade ceases to be in conformity with the provisions of by-law 3, the Chairman may, on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health, cause a notice to be served on the licensee requiring him to do, before a day to be specified in the notice, all things necessary to make such building to be in conformity with such provisions.

(2) No holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade on whom a notice is served under paragraph

(1) of this by-law shall fail to comply with such notice within the time specified therein.

5. A notice under by-law 4 shall be deemed to have been served on the holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade if it is affixed to the premises at which he carries on that trade, or if it is left with any person employed by him in such premises.

6. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall cause—

- (a) the floor of every building used for the purposes of such trade to be swept and cleaned daily;
- (b) the walls of every such building to be limewashed at least once in every twelve months;
- (c) all apparatus, implements and vessels used in such trade to be kept clean; and
- (d) all refuse, sweepings, scrapings and waste and by-products which are not to be subjected to further trade processes to be removed daily in covered receptacles from the premises in which such trade is carried on.

7. No holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall—

- (a) contaminate any well or tank or any river, stream, canal, channel, lake or other inland water; or
- (b) carry on such trade in any manner likely to cause a nuisance to, or to be injurious to the health or comfort of, persons in the neighbourhood.

8. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall cause any offensive vapours or gases which are emitted in the course of carrying on such trade—

- (a) to be discharged into the external air in such a manner and at such a height as to admit of their diffusion without injurious or offensive effect, or
- (b) to be passed directly through a fire or into a condensing apparatus.

9. It shall be lawful for the Chairman, the Medical Officer of Health, the Sanitary Assistant, or any officer of the Committee authorised in writing by the Chairman, at all reasonable times to enter upon and inspect any premises at which any offensive or dangerous trade is being carried on, and the licensee or person in charge thereof shall permit the inspection to be made.

10. It shall be lawful for the Rural Court, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of a licensee convicted twice or offender of any breach of these by-laws, and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of the cancellation.

11. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;

“Committee” means the Village Committee of the Naimana Makawita village area; and

“offensive or dangerous trade” means any of the trades specified in by-law 1.

L. D.—B. 15/45. L. G. D.—BB. 1154.

**THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.**

BY-LAWS made by the Wattagama Urban Council under sections 166 and 170 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government, by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 167 of the Ordinance, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government,  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

**By-laws.**

1. No person shall remove any sand, gravel or stones from any immovable property vested in the Council except on a permit issued by the Chairman.

2. Fees at the following rates shall be charged in respect of every permit issued under by-law 1 :—

	Rs. c.
(1) for every cart load of sand ..	0 10
(2) for every cart load of gravel ..	0 15
(3) for every cart load of stones ..	0 20

3. Every contravention of by-law 1 shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, and in the case of a continuing contravention with an additional fine not exceeding twenty-five rupees for every day during which the contravention is continued after conviction thereof by a Court of competent jurisdiction, or after service of a written notice from the Chairman, or other officer authorised in that behalf by the Chairman, directing attention to such contravention.

4. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Council;

“Council” means the Wattagama Urban Council.

L. D.—B. 15/45/L. G. D.—BB. 1155.

## THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS made by the Wattagama Urban Council under sections 166 and 170 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 167 of the Ordinance as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government,  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## By-laws.

## 1. In these by-laws—

- “Chairman” means the Chairman of the Wattagama Urban Council;  
“Council” means the Wattagama Urban Council,  
“Urban area” means the area within the administrative limits of the Council.

*Scavenging.*

2. Upon the establishment of a scavenging service for the whole or any specified part of the urban area, the occupier of any premises situated within an area for which such service has been established shall cause all ashes, sweepings and other refuse from his premises to be deposited in a covered metal dust-bin, the height of which is not less than twenty-four inches, and the diameter of which is not less than eighteen inches at the top and fourteen inches at the bottom.

Provided that the Chairman may permit any occupier of any premises, on the ground of poverty, to keep instead of such dust-bin, any other covered receptacle approved by the Chairman.

3. The occupier of any premises referred to in by-law 2 shall—

- (a) daily between such hours as the Chairman may from time to time notify by beat of tom-tom or otherwise, cause such bin to be placed by the edge of the road outside such premises but so as to cause no obstruction to traffic on the road, and  
(b) cause such bin to be removed within half an hour of the emptying of such bin by the scavenging labourers of the Council.

4. No person shall collect or remove dust, ashes, rubbish, refuse or filth from any street or public place within the urban area, unless he is authorised to do so by the Chairman.

5. Every contravention of any of the foregoing by-laws relating to scavenging shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees, and in the case of a continuing contravention with an additional fine of five rupees for every day during which the contravention is continued after conviction thereof by a court of competent jurisdiction, or after service of a written notice from the Chairman, or other officer authorised in that behalf by the Chairman, directing attention to such contravention.

*The Housing and Penning of Animals.*

6. (1) No building or shed shall be used for the accommodation of cattle, horses, sheep, goats or pigs—

- (a) if it is situated at a distance of less than forty feet from any habitable room, or  
(b) if its floor is not paved and drained and maintained in a clean and sanitary condition.

(2) In this by-law, “habitable room” means a room constructed or adapted to be inhabited.

7. Every contravention of by-law 6 shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

L. D.—B. 66/47/L. G. D.—CH. 79.

## THE TOWN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 3 OF 1946.

*Special Conservancy Rate for 1949.*

IT is hereby notified that the Polgahawela Town Council has, under section 143 (b) of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3, of 1946, and with the sanction of the Minister of Health and Local Government given by virtue of the powers vested in him by that section, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, imposed for the year 1949, subject to such limits and exemptions as may be prescribed by by-laws, a special conservancy rate of four per centum of the annual value of all immovable property situated within the town of Polgahawela, payable in four equal instalments on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government,  
Colombo, October, 12, 1948.

L. D.—B. 103/48/L. G. D.—GD. 14/69.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Thumukai village area in the Jaffna District, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by that section, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government,  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

*By-laws relating to the tax on Vehicles and Animals.*

1. (1) For the purposes of the tax on vehicles and animals levied under section 47 of the Ordinance, every person who has possession or custody or control of any vehicle or animal liable to such tax shall furnish to the Chairman a schedule of particulars relating to such vehicle or animal in such form as may be provided for the purpose by the Committee.

(2) The schedule referred to in paragraph (1) of this by-law shall be filled up and returned to the Chairman within seven days of its receipt by the person to whom it is delivered.

2. If any person, after having furnished the schedule referred to in by-law 1, acquires, keeps or uses any vehicle or animal not mentioned in such schedule, he shall, within one month of acquiring or commencing to keep or use such vehicle or animal, notify the Chairman in writing of that act and further furnish true and correct information in respect of such vehicle or animal.

3. Every person who, having furnished the schedule referred to in by-law 1 or the written notice referred to in by-law 2, claims to be exempt under section 47(3) of the Ordinance from the liability to pay the tax in respect of any vehicle or animal which is referred to in such schedule or notice, shall forthwith give notice in writing to the Chairman of his claim for the exemption specifying the grounds on which the claim is made.

4. The annual tax imposed by the Committee in respect of vehicles and animals under section 47 of the Ordinance shall be paid at the office of the Committee on or before the thirty-first day of March in each year:

Provided that in any case where the schedule referred to in by-law 1 or the written notice referred to in by-law 2 is furnished to the Chairman after the thirty-first day of March in any year, the tax in respect of each vehicle or animal referred to in such schedule or notice shall be payable within one month of the date on which such schedule or notice is so furnished.

5. (1) On payment of the annual tax for any vehicle by any person, the Chairman shall issue to that person in respect of that vehicle a metal plate with such of the distinguishing letters for vehicles specified in the Schedule hereto as are appropriate to that vehicle and with figures denoting the year for which the plate is issued and the corresponding number in the register of vehicles.

(2) Where any plate issued under paragraph (1) becomes indistinct or defaced by use or otherwise, the owner of that plate shall return it to the Chairman and shall be entitled on making a payment of twenty-five cents to receive a fresh plate.

(3) The Chairman may, on his being satisfied by affidavit or otherwise that any plate issued under paragraph (1) of this by-law has been lost or stolen, issued to the owner of that plate a fresh plate on the application of that owner and on payment by him of fifty cents.

6. The person having possession, custody or control of any vehicle in respect of which a plate has been issued under by-law 5 shall cause that plate to be affixed to a conspicuous part of that vehicle.

## 7. In these by-law—

- “Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;  
“Committee” means the Village Committee of the Thumukai village area; and  
“Ordinance” means the Village Communities Ordinance.

*Schedule.*

For every carriage of whatever description other than a cart, hackery or jinricksha	C
For every double bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	D
For every single bullock cart or hackery	S
For every jinricksha	R
For every bicycle	B

The colour and shape of the plates shall be determined by the Chairman.

L. D.—B. 145/46/L. G. D.—G. 3542.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAW under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Madiha-Godagama village area in the Matara District, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of that section as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## By-law.

The by-laws relating to the tax on vehicles and animals, published in *Gazette* No. 8,704 of January 24, 1941, in so far as they apply to the Madiha-Godagama village area, are hereby amended as follows:—

- (1) by the re-numbering of by-law 8 as by-law 9; and
- (2) by the insertion, immediately after by-law 7, of the following new by-law:—

"8. It shall be lawful for the Chairman, or any officer authorised by him in writing, to stop and detain any vehicle proceeding on any road or path, for the purpose of inspecting the plate which is required by by-law 7 to be affixed to that vehicle; and the driver or person in charge of any such vehicle shall, on being requested by the Chairman or such authorised officer to do so, stop the vehicle and permit and assist the Chairman or such officer to inspect such plate."

L. D.—B. 25/48/L. G. D.—BB. 1147.

## THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

BY-LAW made by the Talawakele-Lindula Urban Council under sections 166 and 170 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by section 167 of that Ordinance, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## By-law.

The premises described in the Schedule hereto shall be exempt from the special conservancy rate for the year 1948, levied under section 143 (b) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and referred to in the notice dated May 10, 1948, published in *Gazette* No. 9,863 of May 14, 1948.

## Schedule.

The premises bearing the following assessment numbers:—

39, 61, 79, 204, 223, 241 to 248, 263 to 266, 274 to 280, 281, 285, 287, 296, 301, 314 and 317.

L. D.—B.—116/41/L. G. D.—G. 232/41.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

IT is hereby notified that the Minister of Health and Local Government with the concurrence of the Minister of Finance has, under section 53 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24 1947 approved the resolution set out in the Schedule hereto passed by the Village Committee of the Naimana-Makawita village area in the Matara District.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 10, 1948.

## Schedule.

## Resolution.

The Village Committee of the Naimana-Makawita village area resolves that, with effect from the first day of January, 1949, tolls at the rates set out hereunder shall be levied at the Naimana ferry in lieu of the tolls imposed by the resolution, the Minister's approval of which was notified in *Gazette* No. 9,526 of March 1, 1946.

	Rs. c.
Each person for a single journey ..	0 1.
Each head-load of goods carried by any person ..	0 1
Each bicycle ..	0 1

L. D.—B. 79/46/L. G. D. GD. 14/10/1.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAW under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Pandatheruppu village area and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of that section as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## By-law.

The by-laws relating to conservancy and scavenging published in *Gazette* No. 9,667 of February 14, 1947, are hereby amended by the substitution for the Schedule thereto, of the following new Schedule:—

	Rs. c.
Conservancy fee ..	1 50 per bucket
Scavenging fee ..	0 25."

L. D.—B. 79/46/L. G. D.—GD. 14/10.

## THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Pandatheruppu village area in the Jaffna District, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by sub-section (3) of that section as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## By-laws.

## Offensive and Dangerous Trades.

1. (1) The following shall be deemed to be dangerous trades:—

- (a) Extracting oil by apparatus.
- (b) Quarrying of coral stones.

(2) The following trades shall be deemed to be offensive and dangerous trades:—

- (a) Burning of coral stones or curing lime.
- (b) Burning of shells other than coral stones.
- (c) Blasting of rock or road metal.
- (d) Manufacture or storing of fireworks.

2. (1) No person shall carry on any offensive or dangerous trade unless he is the holder of a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence shall, unless it is cancelled under by-law 11, expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which it is issued.

3. No person shall be entitled to a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade, unless—

- (1) the place at which that trade is to be carried on is approved by the Medical Officer of Health; and
- (2) the building or buildings, if any, to be used for the purposes of that trade are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the building must be in good repair, well ventilated, well lighted, and provided with adequate drainage and latrine accommodation;
- (b) the roof of such building must be made of some permanent material and the floor must be cemented;
- (c) the eaves of such building must be not less than six feet from the ground;
- (d) every room in such building must be provided with windows capable of being opened and the area of such windows when open shall be not less than one-fifteenth of the superficial floor space;
- (e) the walls of every room in such building must be not less than seven feet in height, and must be built of brick, stone or cabook;

- (f) the internal surface of such walls, to a height of at least four feet from the floor, must be plastered with cement and the rest of the walls must be limeplastered and lime washed ;
- (g) the woodwork of such building must be oil painted or lime washed.

4. (1) If at any time during the period for which a licence has been issued in respect of any offensive or dangerous trade any building used for the purposes of that trade ceases to conform to the provisions of by-law 3, the Chairman may, on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health, cause a notice to be served on the licensee requiring him to do before a day to be specified in the notice all things necessary to make such building conform to such provisions.

(2) No holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade on whom a notice is served under paragraph (1) shall fail to comply with the requirements of such notice within the time specified therein.

5. Any notice under by-law 4 shall be deemed to have been served on the licensee if it is affixed to the premises at which the licensee carries on the offensive or dangerous trade or if it is left with any person employed in such premises by the licensee.

6. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall cause—

- (a) the floor of every building used for the purposes of such trade to be swept and cleaned daily ;
- (b) the walls of every such building to be lime washed at least once in every twelve months ;
- (c) all apparatus, implements and vessels used in such trade to be kept clean ;
- (d) all refuse, sweepings, scrapings and waste and by-products which are not to be subjected to further trade processes to be removed daily in covered receptacles from the premises in which such trade is carried on.

7. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall not pollute or contaminate any well or tank or any river, stream, canal, channel, lake or other inland water.

8. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall not carry on such trade in any manner likely to cause a nuisance to, or to be injurious to the health or comfort of, persons in the neighbourhood.

9. The holder of a licence to carry on any offensive or dangerous trade shall cause any offensive vapours or gases which are emitted in the course of carrying on such trade—

- (a) to be discharged into the external air in such a manner and at such a height as to admit of their diffusion without injurious or offensive effects ; or
- (b) to be passed directly through a fire or into a condensing apparatus.

10. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any officer of the Committee authorised in writing by the Chairman, at all reasonable times, to enter upon and inspect any premises at which any offensive or dangerous trade is being carried on, and the licensee or the person in charge thereof shall permit such inspection to be made.

11. It shall be lawful for the Rural Court, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of a licensee convicted twice or oftener of a breach of any of the by-laws relating to offensive or dangerous trades, and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of the cancellation.

#### *Public Health and Amenities and Disorderly Conduct.*

12. The owner or occupier of every house or land shall keep his premises clean and free from all weeds and other undergrowth and all refuse or rubbish or receptacles likely to form breeding places for mosquitoes, for a distance of thirty yards from such house or to the boundary of his premises, whichever is less.

13. (1) Whenever any tree, or any branch or fruit or other part of a tree is causing or is likely to cause damage to any building, or is in a condition dangerous to the occupants of any building, or to the property, or to the safety of passers-by along any public thoroughfare, the Chairman may, by a notice in writing served on the owner or occupier of the land on which such tree stands, require such owner or occupier to tie up and make secure, or to cut down and remove such tree, within such time as may be specified in the notice.

(2) Every person on whom a notice is served under paragraph (1) of this by-law shall comply with the requirements of such notice within the time specified therein, and in the event of the refusal or neglect of such person to comply with such requirements within such time, the Chairman or any officer or workman authorised in writing by the Chairman, may enter upon the land referred to in such notice and do whatever such person was required to do by such notice, and the expenses thereby incurred shall be recoverable from such person as a debt due to the Committee.

14. No person shall, in any public place, make any obscene writing or any obscene drawing, or sing or recite any obscene song or ballad, or do any other act which is likely to outrage public decency.

15. No person shall throw stones or filth at the house, or into the compound, of any other person.

#### *Village Roads and Paths.*

16. Every village road or path shall be constructed or reconstructed and maintained in accordance with the decision of the Committee as to the width of such road or path and the course which it is to take.

17. Whenever any work of construction or of repair is commenced on any village road or path, the Chairman shall have the power to prohibit the use of such road or path by the public for such time as may be necessary, after giving at least three days' notice of such prohibition by beat of tom-tom or otherwise.

18. It shall be lawful for the Chairman whenever authorised to do so by the Committee by a resolution in that behalf, to restrict or to prohibit the use of any village road or path by any kind or class of heavy vehicular traffic.

19. It shall be lawful for any person thereunto authorised in writing by the Chairman—

- (1) to enter, between 7 A.M. and 5 P.M. with all necessary workmen, vehicles, animals and implements, upon any land adjacent to or near any existing or proposed village road or path, for the purpose of executing any work connected with such road or path ;
- (2) to throw upon any land adjacent to or near any existing or proposed village road or path such earth, rubbish, or materials as it may be necessary to remove from the place of any work connected with such road or path, so however that such earth, rubbish or materials shall be removed within a reasonable time ;
- (3) to make any temporary road through the grounds near any existing or proposed village road or path during the execution of any work connected with such road or path, so however that such temporary road shall not run over any ground whereon any building stands or over any enclosed garden or yard ; and
- (4) to enter upon any land for the purpose of constructing, repairing or cleaning such drains, water-courses, fences or culverts as may be necessary for the preservation, improvement, repair or construction of any village road or path.

20. No person shall—

- (a) injure, damage, obstruct, encroach upon or otherwise interfere with the use of any village road or path, whether constructed or in course of construction, or
- (b) except with the permission of the Committee, divert the line of any village road or path, whether constructed or in course of construction.

21. (1) It shall be the duty of the proprietors and cultivators of any paddy field through which a public foot path runs to maintain such foot path at its customary width.

(2) No person shall cut or encroach upon any such foot path so as to reduce its width to less than its customary width.

#### *Disposal of the Bodies of Dead Animals.*

22. On the death of any animal, it shall be the duty of the owner thereof, or in the absence of the owner, of the occupier of the premises in which the death occurs, to cause the body of the animal to be buried, before the expiry of a period of twelve hours from the time of death.

23. Where any person who is responsible under by-law 22 for the burial of any dead animal fails to bury such animal within a period of twelve hours, the Chairman shall cause such animal to be buried, and the expenses incurred thereby may be recovered from such person as a debt due to the Committee.

#### *Interpretation.*

24. In these by-laws—

“ Chairman ” means the Chairman of the Committee ; and  
 “ Committee ” means the Village Committee of Pandattheruppu village area.

#### LOCAL AUTHORITIES ELECTIONS ORDINANCE, No. 53 of 1946.

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mr. L. N. T. Mendis has been appointed, under section 4 (1) (b) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, Assistant Elections Officer for the Batticaloa and Trincomalee Districts with effect from August 5, 1948.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, October 18, 1948.

L. D.—B. 97/48/L. G. D.—GA. 14/82.

THE VILLAGE COMMUNITIES ORDINANCE.

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Kandapalla Korale (No. 2) village area in the Badulla District, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of the powers vested in him by subsection (3) of that section as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

E. W. KANNANGARA,  
Permanent Secretary,  
Ministry of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, October 12, 1948.

By-laws.

*Land and Property.*

1. No person shall destroy, damage or interfere with the use of any ambalam, madam, open space or place for public recreation.
2. No person shall destroy, damage, or encroach upon any waste or public land vested in, or under the control of, the Committee.
3. Where any common pasture lands have been set apart by the Committee for the use of any specified village, no person who is not resident in any such village shall tether any cattle, or permit any cattle to stray, upon that pasture land without the written permission of the Chairman.
4. No person shall damage any fence or obstruct any gateway, or befoul or poison any pond, situated on any land set apart as a communal pasture.
5. Cattle (other than buffaloes brought into village temporarily for the purposes of cultivation) belonging to the persons resident outside the village area may with the written permission of the Chairman be pastured on any common pasture land under the control of the Committee on payment of a fee calculated at the rate of fifty cents per month for each head of cattle.
6. The owner or occupier of every private land shall cause the boundaries of such land to be marked by live fences or ditches, or stones firmly embedded in the ground or in such other manner as may be approved by the Committee.
7. In the case of any two adjoining lands the owners or occupiers of both lands shall be jointly responsible for seeing that such boundaries are laid down, marked or erected and are maintained in good order.
8. No person shall knowingly or wilfully alter, deface, or do any act likely to damage the fence or boundary of any land, or remove any landmark therefrom.
9. Any person may with the written authority of the Chairman enter upon any private land within the village area for preventing any damage to, or for repairing or remedying defects in, any wires or apparatus or the supports thereof maintained for the purpose of any public service.

*Roads and Paths.*

10. Where a range of paddy fields or chena through which any village road or path passes is under cultivation, the cultivators of the range or chena shall be entitled, subject to such terms and conditions as the Chairman may impose, to erect a temporary stile across the path during the period of cultivation in order to prevent trespass by cattle.
11. No proprietor or cultivator of any paddy field through which a village road or path passes shall by any act of encroachment of any kind reduce it to less than its customary width.
12. Whenever any work of construction or of repair is commenced on any village road or path, the Chairman shall have the power to prohibit the use of such road or path by the public for such time as may be necessary after giving at least three days' notice by beat of tom-tom or otherwise.
13. It shall be lawful for any person duly authorised by the Chairman in writing—
  - (a) to enter between 7 A.M. and 6 P.M. with all necessary servants, labourers, workmen, carts and animals, and other implements and apparatus, upon any land adjacent to or near any existing village road or path within the village area, and there severally to do and perform all acts, matters and things authorised by the Committee in connection with the improvements, alignment, level, width or construction of that road or path;
  - (b) to throw upon any land adjacent or near thereto such earth, rubbish or materials as it may be necessary to remove from the place of any such work, so however that such earth, rubbish and materials shall be removed within a reasonable time;
  - (c) to make any temporary road through the grounds near any existing or proposed village road or path during the execution of any work in any way connected therewith, so however that such road or path shall not encroach upon the ground whereon any building stands or any enclosed garden or yard; and

- (d) to enter upon any land for the purpose of constructing, repairing or cleaning such drains, watercourses or culverts as may be necessary for the preservation, improvement, repair or construction of any village road or path.

14. No person shall obstruct, damage, encroach upon, or otherwise interfere with the use, or divert the line, of any village road or path, whether constructed or in the course of construction.

*The Inspection and Cleansing of Drains, Privies, &c.*

15. (1) It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any person authorised by the Chairman in writing, to inspect any drain, privy, cesspit, ashpit or sanitary convenience in any premises within the village area and for the purposes of the inspection to enter such premises at any reasonable time and the owner or the occupier of such premises shall render all such assistance as may be necessary.
- (2) The Chairman may by notice require the owner or occupier of any premises within the village area, forthwith or within such time as may be specified in the notice, to carry out such measures as may be specified in the notice, being measures necessary to maintain any drain, privy, cesspit, ashpit or sanitary convenience in such premises in a sanitary condition.
16. It shall be lawful for the Chairman by notice in writing to require the owner or occupier of any premises within the village area, within such time as may be specified in the notice, to remove the contents of any drain, privy, cesspit, ashpit or sanitary convenience in those premises, or to cause the contents to be removed to such other place for disposal in such manner as may be specified.

*The Abatement of Nuisances.*

17. Where any building, or wall or anything affixed thereon is in such a condition as to be dangerous to a neighbouring building or to an occupier of such building, or to a passer-by, the Chairman shall, by notice in writing served on the owner or occupier thereof, require the owner or occupier—
  - (a) in any case of urgency, to cause within twenty-four hours after the service of the notice, a proper board or fence to be put up for the protection of any passer-by; and
  - (b) in every case, within three days after the service of the notice, to cause such building or wall or anything affixed thereon to be secured or repaired.
18. (1) Every owner or occupier, served with a notice under by-law 17 shall comply with the requirements of such notice within the time specified therein.
- (2) Where any owner or occupier fails or refuses to comply with the requirements of a notice served under by-law 17, the Chairman may authorise any specified person or persons to do the work which ought to have been done by such owner or occupier, and the expenses thereby incurred may be recovered from such owner or occupier as a debt due to the Committee.
19. (1) Whenever any house or building appears to be in an insanitary condition or in such state of disrepair as to be prejudicial to the health of the inmates or of the neighbours, the Chairman shall, by notice in writing served on the owner or occupier thereof, require the owner or occupier to carry out, within the time specified in the notice, such work as may be specified in that notice.
- (2) Every owner or occupier served with a notice under paragraph (1) shall comply with the requirements of such notice within the specified time, and in the event of his failure or refusal to comply with the requirements of such notice, the Chairman may cause the work to be done, and the expenses thereby incurred may be recovered as a debt due to the Committee.
20. The owner or occupier of every house within the village area shall cause his house to be white-washed with lime or other suitable substance at least once a year and at any other time specified by notice in writing by the Chairman, if by reason of an outbreak of any epidemic disease such steps appear to the Committee to be necessary.
21. No person shall dispose of the milk of coconuts split for other than domestic purposes, within a distance of one hundred yards of any village road or path or public place or any dwelling house.
22. No person shall wantonly deposit the carcase of any dead animal on any land or premises belonging to any other person.
23. (1) Where any tree or branch or fruit or any other part of a tree is causing or is likely to cause damage to any house or building or cultivated paddy field or is in a condition dangerous to any occupant thereof, or to the safety of any passer-by along any village road or path, the Chairman shall give notice in writing to the owner or occupier of the land on which the tree stands, either to tie up and make secure or to cut down and remove the said tree or branch or fruit or other part of the tree within such time as may be specified in the notice.



(2) Every owner or occupier who is given notice under paragraph (1), shall comply with the requirements of such notice within such time as may be specified in the notice, and in case of any failure or refusal to comply with the requirements of such notice, the Chairman may cause the work to be done, and the expenses thereby incurred may be recovered as a debt due to the Committee.

24. No person shall keep or halt any cart on any village road or path except in the event of a break down, or longer than is reasonably necessary for the purpose of loading goods into, or unloading goods from, such carts.

25. No person shall place or bury any charmed plate, leaf or paper or charm in any other form, on the land of any other person.

26. No person shall—

- (a) draw any caricature or indecent picture or write any insulting or offensive expression on any building or conspicuous place, or do any other act by which any member of the public is likely to be insulted or public decency is likely to be outraged; or
- (b) ease himself on his own land or on another's land, or on any village road or path, or in any place other than those specially provided for such a purpose in such a way as to offend other people's feelings of decency; or
- (c) throw rubbish or noisome matter, or unserviceable articles or any other thing on land belonging to any other person or any public place or village road or path; or
- (d) pelt stones or throw filth at the house of any other person.

*Unwholesome Food and Drink.*

27. (1) No person shall keep or expose for sale any article of food or drink which is unwholesome or unfit for human consumption.

(2) It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant or any person authorised by the Chairman in writing to seize any article of food or drink kept or exposed for sale, if such article appears to be unwholesome or unfit for human consumption.

28. (1) Where any officer or person other than the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Assistant seizes an article of food or drink under by-law 27 (2), he shall place a sample of the seized article in a receptacle and shall, after sealing the receptacle in the presence of the person from whose possession such article was seized, produce that sample with the least possible delay before the Medical Officer of Health or any other Government Medical Officer.

(2) Where an article of food or drink is seized under by-law 27 (2), the person seizing such article shall, upon demand of a sealed sample by the person from whose possession the article was seized, place a sample of the seized article in a receptacle, and shall, after sealing the receptacle in the presence of the person from whose possession the article was seized, give that sample to that person.

29. If the Medical Officer of Health who seized an article of food or drink under by-law 27 (2), or the Medical Officer before whom an article of food or drink is produced under by-law 28 (1), certifies such article to be unwholesome or unfit for human consumption, the Chairman shall cause such article to be destroyed or to be disposed of as to prevent its being exposed for sale or used for consumption. If the Medical Officer certifies that the article of food or drink is wholesome and fit for human consumption such article shall be returned to the owner.

30. No person shall sell or expose for sale the flesh of any animal that has died of natural causes or of any disease or by drowning or has been killed by a wild beast or by the bite of a snake or of a rabid dog.

*Dairies and the Sale of Milk.*

31. (1) No person shall offer for sale, sell, hawk, deliver, expose or carry for sale within the village area any milk which has been produced within that area unless he is at that time—

- (a) the licensee of a dairy of two or more cows, or a vendor of milk to whom a card of registration has been issued under by-law 46; or
- (b) a registered supplier of milk or the holder of a card of identity under by-law 52.

(2) No person shall offer for sale, sell, hawk, deliver, expose or carry for sale within the village area any milk which has been produced outside that area, unless he is a registered purveyor of milk or is a vendor of milk to whom a card of registration has been issued under by-law 55.

32. No person shall keep a dairy of two or more cows unless he is the holder of a licence issued by the Chairman.

33. No licence to keep a dairy of two or more cows shall be issued to any person unless the premises in respect of which the licence is to be issued are in conformity with the following requirements:—

(1) Every building or shed on the premises intended for the accommodation of cattle must—

- (a) be built of brick, stone, cabook or wood;

- (b) have its walls and pillars lime-washed;
- (c) have its roof constructed of durable material;
- (d) have its floor paved with brick or stone rendered in cement, cement concrete or asphalt;
- (e) have drains for the purpose of conveying urine, washings, and waste water into one or more covered receptacles, such drains being paved with brick or stone rendered in cement, cement concrete or asphalt;
- (f) be proportionate in size to the number of cows to be kept in the dairy, allowing for each cow a floor space not less than eight feet in length and five feet in width and a minimum air space of four hundred cubic feet.

(2) The building or shed on the premises intended for use as a milk-room must—

- (a) be in a suitable position at a distance of not less than twenty-five feet from the cowshed or other buildings, and not less than one hundred feet from any latrine, cesspit, ashpit, permanent manure heap or open sewer;
- (b) have walls not less than seven feet in height, built of stone, brick or cabook, and plastered or lime-washed on the inside;
- (c) have at least two opposite walls abutting on the open air;
- (d) have its floor cemented, and the junction of the floor with the walls rounded off with cement;
- (e) have a ceiling which is constructed of grooved and oil-painted boards capable of preventing the ingress of dust;
- (f) have the eaves of the roof at least six feet above the level of the ground;
- (g) have at least one window and one door, the area of the window space being not less than one-fifteenth of the floor space of the room and have each window and floor covered with fly-proof netting, and one window facing at least one door;
- (h) be provided with a table covered with marble, slate, zinc or other impermeable substance approved by the Chairman, and with a sanitary dust-bin and a suitable rack for storing clean bottles.

34. The licensee of a dairy shall keep affixed in a conspicuous position on the outside of his premises a board on which the phrase "Licensed Dairy" and its Sinhalese equivalent are clearly painted.

35. Every licensee of a dairy shall keep in the dairy, so as to be available for inspection at any time, a list of the names and addresses of all employees (including the vendors of milk) and a register containing the names and addresses of all persons to whom he supplies milk.

36. The licensee of a dairy shall take all necessary steps to ensure that—

- (a) the walls of every room forming part of the dairy are lime-washed and the woodwork is washed with hot water and soap at least twice a year in the months of June and December, and at such other times as may be ordered by the Chairman in writing;
- (b) the floors and the top of the milk-room table are washed at least once every day;
- (c) every part of the dairy, its surroundings and drains are kept clean and in good repair;
- (d) all dung, refuse, urine, and washings are removed from the dairy at least once a day and disposed of at a suitable distance from the dairy in such manner as to cause no nuisance;
- (e) all cattle food other than grass or straw is stored in suitable rat-proof receptacles; and
- (f) all utensils, furniture and other requisites used in or belonging to the dairy are kept clean;

37. The licensee of a dairy shall not cause or permit—

- (a) any milk to be poured into any vessel which is not thoroughly cleansed;
- (b) milk to be stored in any vessel other than a vessel made of glass, porcelain, glazed earthenware, or enamelled or galvanised iron;
- (c) any vessel used for the storage of milk to be kept in any place other than the milk room;
- (d) milk for the purposes of sale to be drawn from any cow, unless immediately before time of milking, the udders and teats of the cow are thoroughly cleansed and wiped with a clean damp cloth, and unless the hands of the person milking are also thoroughly washed and cleaned;
- (e) milk intended for sale to be kept in any place other than the milk-room; and
- (f) any animal or bird to enter or remain in the milk-room for any purpose whatsoever.

38. The licensee of a dairy shall provide for the purposes of the dairy only water obtained from a source approved by the Chairman.

39. (1) The licensee of a dairy shall not allow any milk vessel, butter vessel, churn, separator, or other article used in the dairy to be used for any purpose other than the purposes of the dairy, and shall cause each such vessel, churn, separator or other article to be washed after each occasion on which it is used, first with cold water, then with boiling water and soda and finally with water which has been boiled and cooled.

(2) The licensee shall cause the brushes used in cleansing vessels, and other dairy requisites to be boiled for ten minutes each time after use.

40. The licensee of a dairy shall cause every vessel in the dairy containing milk to be adequately protected with a clean cover or lid, and shall take all precautions to prevent the milk from being contaminated during transit.

41. The licensee of a dairy shall not use the milk room or permit it to be used for any purpose other than that of storing and preparing milk.

42. No person who is suffering or has recently suffered from any infectious, contagious or cutaneous disease or who has been recently in attendance on any person suffering from such disease shall be permitted by the licensee or any person in charge of the dairy or milk-room to enter the dairy or the milk room or to take part in the preparation sale or transport of milk until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

43. The licensee of a dairy shall give immediate notice to the Chairman of any case or suspected case of infectious, contagious or cutaneous disease, which may occur among the persons employed in the dairy.

44. The licensee of a dairy shall not sell or cause or permit to be sold the milk of any cow suffering from tuberculosis, whether of the udder or otherwise, acute mastitis, foot-and-mouth disease, anthrax or actinomycosis of the udder, or add such milk or cause or permit it to be added to any milk of other animals which is intended for sale for human consumption.

45. The licensee of a dairy shall not sell or supply to any person milk obtained from any cow other than a cow kept in the licensed dairy.

46. The Chairman shall issue annually to the owner of every licensed dairy, in respect of each vendor of milk, a card of registration bearing the name and thumb impression of the vendor, and the name of the licensee and the registered number of the dairy. No such card of registration shall be issued until a Medical Officer authorised in writing by the Chairman has examined and found such vendor to be free from any infectious, contagious or cutaneous disease. Such card of registration shall not be transferable.

47. (1) The Chairman or any person authorised in writing by the Chairman, may at any time demand and take a sample of milk for analysis, on payment of the value thereof, from any licensed dairy or from any licensed vendor, registered supplier, holder of a card of identity or registered purveyor of milk.

(2) No licensee of a dairy, licensed vendor, registered supplier, holder of a card of identity, or registered purveyor of milk shall refuse to comply with a demand lawfully made under paragraph (1).

48. Every person who desires to sell or offer for sale milk from a dairy of one cow shall cause himself to be registered in the books of the Committee as a registered supplier of milk.

49. The Chairman may in his discretion refuse to register any person as a supplier of milk, if a Medical Officer authorised in writing by the Chairman after inspection of the cow, premises and utensils, recommends that such person should not be so registered.

50. Every registered supplier shall take all such measures and precautions as may be necessary to ensure that—

- (a) the cow-shed, utensils and other requisites are kept clean; and
- (b) the person milking the cow and the person distributing the milk are free from disease.

51. No registered supplier shall cause or permit any cow to be milked for the purpose of obtaining milk for sale unless at the time of milking, the udder and the teats of the cow are thoroughly cleansed and wiped with a clean damp cloth, and unless the hands of the person milking are also thoroughly washed and cleaned.

52. No person shall distribute milk for a registered supplier unless he is the holder of a card of identity which may be obtained from the Chairman free of charge on the application of the registered supplier.

53. (1) Every registered supplier shall cause the milk to be collected, stored, and distributed in vessels which are—

- (a) made of impervious material;
- (b) provided with a proper cover, stopper or cork; and
- (c) capable of being cleansed daily with boiling water.

(2) Every registered supplier shall cause every vessel used for collecting, storing, or distributing milk to be washed after each occasion on which the vessel is used, first with cold water, then with boiling water and soda, and finally with water which has been boiled and cooled.

54. (1) Every person, who desires to sell in any place within the village area, any milk produced outside that area, shall cause himself to be registered in the books of the Committee as a purveyor of milk.

(2) No fee shall be charged for such registration.

55. Every registered purveyor of milk shall cause registration cards to be issued annually by the Chairman to each vendor employed by such purveyor in the work of selling or delivering milk.

56. (1) The Chairman, may in his discretion refuse to register any person as a purveyor of milk under by-law 54, if the Chairman of the duly constituted local authority for the area within which the milk was produced, after inspection of the cattle, the premises and the utensils recommends that such person should not be so registered.

(2) The Chairman may likewise refuse to issue a registration card to any vendor under by-law 55 until a Medical Officer authorised by such Chairman has examined and found such vendor to be free from any infectious, contagious or cutaneous disease.

57. Every registration card issued to a vendor under by-law 55 by the Chairman shall include the following particulars:—

- (a) name and registered number of the employer;
- (b) name and the thumb impression of the vendor.

58. Every registered vendor and every holder of a card of identity issued under these by-laws shall carry the registration card or card of identity, as the case may be, on his person when carrying, delivering, hawking, or exposing milk for sale, and shall produce such card whenever required to do so by any person duly appointed in that behalf by the Chairman in writing.

59. No person shall sell, hawk, deliver, expose, carry or offer for sale, within the village area—

- (a) any milk from which the cream has been removed unless such milk is contained in a vessel which bears a label on which is painted the phrase "Skimmed Milk" and its Sinhalese and Tamil equivalents, and is declared at the time of sale to be skimmed milk; or
- (b) any milk adulterated with water or any other foreign substance or liquid; or
- (c) any milk contained in bottles of which the mouth is not adequately covered with some impermeable material:

Provided that milk to which tea, coffee or cocoa has been added for consumption on the premises of any tea or coffee boutique or eating-house shall not be deemed to be adulterated for the purposes of this by-law.

60. The licensee shall cause a copy of these by-laws relating to dairies and the sale of milk, in Sinhalese, and the licence to be framed and hung in a conspicuous position in the dairy.

#### *Sale of Provisions.*

61. No person shall keep any shop or place (other than a market) for the sale of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables or other perishable articles of food, except on a licence duly obtained in that behalf from the Chairman. Every such licence shall expire on the thirty-first day of December in each year.

62. The owner or seller of meat, poultry, fish, vegetables or other perishable articles of food in any shop or place (other than a market) shall keep the meat, poultry and fish apart from the vegetables, and the poultry in baskets so made that the birds may not suffer unnecessary discomfort.

63. The Chairman or any person duly authorised by him in writing may inspect any shop, or place (other than a market) used for the sale of meat, poultry, fish, fruit, vegetables or other perishable articles of food for human consumption.

64. (1) No meat shall be transported from any slaughter-house to any shop or place where meat is sold except in a box or vehicle which satisfies the following conditions:—

- (a) where a box is used, every such box must have the inside lined with zinc or other impermeable material and be fitted with a lid;
- (b) where a vehicle is used, every such vehicle must be provided with—

- (i.) a roof to protect the meat from the sun or rain or from contamination by flies or dust;
- (ii.) a covering at each open end to screen the meat from public view; and
- (iii.) a compartment, the inside of which is lined with zinc or other impermeable material for storing the meat.

(2) Where any meat is transported in contravention of paragraph (1) the person liable to such contravention shall be the person on whose behalf or at whose directions the meat was transported.

#### *Undergrowth and Rubbish.*

65. The owner or occupier of any land within the village area shall keep such land free of undergrowth and rubbish, and his dwelling compound in clean and sanitary condition.



*Prevention of Malaria.*

66. The owner or occupier of any land shall remove or caused to be removed from such land all receptacles likely to be breeding-places for mosquitoes or disease-bearing insects.

*The draining of ponds, pools, open ditches and sewers.*

67. The owner or occupier of a land shall cause every pond, open ditch, sewer, drain, or other place containing, or used for collection of, any drainage, filth, water, matter, or thing of an offensive nature or likely to be prejudicial to health, which is situated in that land within a distance of sixty yards from any dwelling house, to be drained, cleansed, covered or filled up.

*Washing and Bathing.*

68. No person of one sex shall enter any enclosure at a public bathing place set apart by the Committee for the exclusive use of persons of the other sex.

69. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous or infectious disease shall bathe or wash at any public bathing place until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

70. Water for the use of any person referred to in by-law 69 shall not be drawn except by a healthy person, and shall not be used within a distance of twenty-feet from the public bathing place.

71. No person shall wash, or cause to be washed, at any public bathing place any animals or clothes other than those used while bathing or mats or other articles.

72. No person shall drive or take any animal into a public bathing place for any purpose whatsoever.

*Housing and penning of cattle.*

73. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or any person duly authorised by him in writing, at all reasonable times, to enter and inspect any shed, stable, enclosure, or sty used for the housing or penning of any cattle, horses, sheep, goats or pigs.

74. The owner or lessee of any shed, stable, enclosure, or sty shall take all necessary steps to ensure that such shed, stable, enclosure, or sty is kept at all times in a sanitary condition, and that the dung and other refuse are removed daily from the premises, and are so disposed of that no nuisance is caused thereby.

*Cattle sheds, galas and halting-places*

75. No person shall establish or keep a cattle shed, gala or halting-place for public use except on a licence duly obtained in that behalf from the Chairman. Every such licence shall, unless it is cancelled under by-law 81, expire on the thirty-first day of December in each year.

76. Every licensee shall cause a table of the fees leviable at each cattle shed, gala or halting-place to be written in Sinhalese and to be exhibited on a conspicuous part of the cattle shed, gala or halting-place.

77. Every licensee shall—

- (a) keep the premises of the cattle shed, gala, or halting-place in a sanitary condition; and
- (b) allow no gambling or disorderly conduct to take place in the cattle shed, gala, or halting-place.

78. The licensee of every gala or halting-place shall provide a separate portion of land for the parking of carts.

79. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or any person duly authorised by him in writing, to enter and inspect, at all reasonable times, any cattle shed, gala or halting-place and the licensee or the person in charge thereof shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

80. It shall be lawful for the Chairman to suspend the licence issued in respect of any cattle shed, gala or halting-place during the continuance of an epidemic if such suspension is essential in the public interest.

81. It shall be lawful for the Rural Court, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel the licence of any licensee on a second or subsequent conviction by such Rural Court for the breach of any of these by-laws relating to cattle sheds, galas or halting-places and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of such cancellation.

*The Disposal of the Bodies of Dead Animals.*

82. On the death of any animal, it shall be the duty of the owner thereof, or in the absence of the owner, of the occupier of the premises in which the death occurs, to cause the body of the animal to be buried before the expiry of a period of twelve hours from the time of death.

83. Where any person who is responsible under by-law 82 for the burial of any dead animal fails to bury such animal within a period of twelve hours, the Chairman shall cause such animal to be buried, and the expense incurred thereby may be recovered from such person as a debt due to the Committee.

*Water Supply.*

84. (1) No person shall allow a cesspit, cesspool, pig sty, gala, cattle shed, pit latrine, or defective drain to remain or regularly manure any land for the purpose of cultivation, within a distance of fifty feet from any communal well, spout, spring, or other watering place for the supply of water for domestic purposes.

(2) No private well for the supply of water for domestic purposes shall be sunk within a distance of fifty feet from any cesspit, cesspool, pig sty, gala, cattle shed, pit latrine, or defective drain, or from any land regularly manured for the purposes of cultivation.

85. No person shall block, divert, pollute, or cause any damages to any communal well, spout, spring, or other watering place for the supply of water for domestic purposes.

86. No person shall fell, or destroy, any timber or under-wood reserved for the conservation of any communal well, spout, spring, or other watering-place for the supply of water for domestic purposes.

87. (1) Where any tree or branch of a tree overhangs a private well, the owner or occupier of the land on which such tree stands shall within fourteen days of the service upon him of a notice signed by the Chairman requiring such tree or branch to be tied up, cut down, or removed, as the case may be, cause to be tied up, cut down, or remove such tree or branch.

(2) Where any owner or occupier on whom a notice is served under paragraph (1) fails to comply with the requirements of such notice within fourteen days, the Chairman may cause the work to be done and the expenses incurred thereby shall be recoverable from such owner or occupier as a debt due to the Committee.

88. Every person who makes use of a well, spout, spring, or other watering place for the supply of water for domestic purposes shall make or cause to be made a fence round any such well, spout, spring, or other watering place if and when so directed by the Chairman.

89. (1) No person shall wash or bathe at any public well, spout or other watering place at which washing or bathing is prohibited by order of the Committee.

(2) Where the Committee has set apart any special place in any tank, stream, or other watering place, for washing, for bathing, for taking water for human consumption, or for the washing of animals, no person shall use any such place for any purpose other than that for which it has been set apart.

90. No person shall, without the written permission of the Chairman, remove water from any public well, tank, or other watering place in any cart or barrel, or in any quantity exceeding such quantity as may from time to time be determined by the Committee.

*Spring-guns and traps.*

91. (1) No person shall set any spring-gun or trap without the written permission of the Chairman.

(2) Where permission has been granted to any person under paragraph (1), any officer authorised in that behalf by the Chairman shall cause such fact to be proclaimed by beat of tom-tom.

*Gambling.*

92. No person shall gamble with dice or cards, play any game for a stake, or take part in betting of any kind within the village-area.

93. No person shall allow gambling with dice or cards, or the playing of any game for stake in any house, premises, boat, vessel or vehicle occupied by that person, or belonging to him or under his control.

*Cock-fighting.*

94. No person shall train cocks for fighting, or take part in cock-fighting in any place within the village area.

*Cart-racing.*

95. No person shall engage in cart-racing in any public road or path within the village area.

*Disorderly Conduct.*

96. No person shall use abusive language with intent to annoy any person having reason to believe that it is likely to annoy such person or to cause a breach of the peace.

97. No person shall disturb the public after 9 P.M. by shouting, singing songs, or making any other noise: Provided that nothing in this by-law shall be deemed to effect the rights of the people in the matter of religious ceremonies and other customary orderly gatherings.

98. No person shall loiter in any village road, or path or in any public place between 9 P.M. on any day and 5 A.M. on the following day without a light and without lawful cause. The mere possession of an electric torch or other lighting device without the light being actually put on shall not be deemed to be sufficient for the purposes of this by-law.

*The sale of Intoxicating liquor.*

99. No person shall sell to any boy under sixteen years of age, or to any female, any spirits or other intoxicating liquor, or any toddy drawn from any species of palm or the fermented juice of the sugar cane.

*Other Purposes.*

100. No person shall deface or destroy any notice that has been exhibited by order of the Committee.

*Interpretation.*

101. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;

“Committee” means the Village Committee of the Kandapalla Korale No. 2 village area; and

“village area” means the Kandapalla Korale No. 2 village area in the Badulla District, Uva Province.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

**Post of Assistant Medical Officer of Health and Medical Officer, Maternity and Child Welfare, Municipal Council, Kandy.**

APPLICATIONS are invited by the Local Government Service Commission for the above post.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 6,240 per annum, rising by 6 annual increments of Rs. 360 and 5 of 480 to Rs. 10,800 per annum, with an efficiency bar before Rs. 8,040 per annum. A rent allowance and a temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates, and a motor car allowance of Rs. 900 per annum, provided a motor car is used and maintained for official purposes, will be paid. No special temporary allowance is payable.

3. Applicants should be not more than 50 years of age on November 10, 1948, and should be fully qualified in General Medicine and possess qualifications recognized by the General Medical Council and registrable in Ceylon. Preference will be given to those who have had a training in Public Health Work or those who possess a Diploma of Public Health or a Diploma in Tropical Medicine and Hygiene.

4. Applications will also be considered from persons holding permanent posts in the service of a Local Authority irrespective of age, provided they are otherwise qualified. Applications from such candidates should be forwarded through the Mayor or Chairman of the Local Body in which they are serving. In the case of Ceylonese ex-Servicemen, the period of their mobilized service will be deducted from their ages for purposes of eligibility.

5. The Commission reserves to itself the right to appoint a candidate who is above the age limit if he is found suitable and otherwise qualified.

6. The selected candidate will be on one year's probation on trial and will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 43 of 1945, and the regulations made thereunder.

7. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting, stating age, qualifications and full particulars of experience, together with copies only of testimonials, should reach the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, P. O. Box 530, Colombo, not later than November 10, 1948.

8. Applications should be addressed to the Chairman and *not* personally to the undersigned.

9. Canvassing either directly or indirectly will be a disqualification.

V. C. JAYASURIYA,

Chairman, Local Government Service Commission,  
Colombo, October 19, 1948.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

**Post of Dispensary Medical Officer, Municipal Council, Colombo.**

APPLICATIONS are invited by the Local Government Service Commission for the above post.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 4,200 per annum, rising by annual increments of Rs. 360 to Rs. 7,800 per annum. The salary scale is subject to revision when the new salary scales are finally adopted. A rickshaw allowance of Rs. 720 per annum, a rent allowance at Government rates, a temporary cost of living allowance according to the Government Scheme or the Colombo Municipal Scheme, whichever is higher and a special temporary allowance at rates approved by the Commission, merged in the salary will be paid. Pension rights of those holding pensionable appointments will be safeguarded.

3. Applicants should be fully qualified in General Medicine and possess qualifications recognized by the General Medical Council and registrable in Ceylon. They should be able to speak colloquial Tamil and Sinhalese.

4. Residence within the City of Colombo is compulsory.

5. Applications from candidates in the Local Government Service or in the Government Service should be forwarded through the Mayor or Chairman of the Local Body or through the Head of the Government Department in which they are serving.

6. The selected candidate will be debarred from private practice. He will be required to pass a medical examination as to his physical fitness.

7. The selected candidate will be on one year's probation on trial and will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 43 of 1945, and the regulations made thereunder.

8. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting, stating age, qualifications and full particulars of experience, together with copies only of certificates and testimonials, should reach the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, P. O. Box 530, Colombo, not later than November 5, 1948.

9. Applications should be addressed to the Chairman and *not* personally to the undersigned.

10. Canvassing either directly or indirectly will be a disqualification.

V. C. JAYASURIYA,

Chairman, Local Government Service Commission,  
Colombo, October 20, 1948.

## LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE.

**Post of Works and Waterworks Engineer, Municipal Council, Kandy.**

APPLICATIONS are invited by the Local Government Service Commission for the above post.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 8,400 per annum rising by 10 annual increments of Rs. 480 and 2 of Rs. 600 to Rs. 14,400 per annum. There will be a halt of 2 years on Rs. 10,800 and an efficiency bar before Rs. 11,280 per annum. The selected candidate may be placed at a step in the salary scale according to his qualifications and experience. Pension rights of officers holding pensionable posts will be safeguarded.

3. A rent allowance and a temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates and a motor car allowance of Rs. 960 per annum will be paid, provided a motor car is used and maintained for official purposes. No special temporary allowance is payable.

4. Applicants should be not less than 28 years of age nor more than 45 years of age on October 1, 1948. They must be either Associate Members of the Institution of Civil Engineers, England, or Associate Members of the Institution of Municipal and County Engineers, England (who have passed the Testamur Examination), or possess an equivalent Engineering degree of a recognised British University. Preference will be given to candidates who have had in addition practical experience in the design, construction and maintenance of Waterworks, Sewerage and Sewage Disposal Schemes, street and road works and buildings and in the administration of Housing Schemes.

5. Applications will also be considered from those holding permanent posts in the Local Government Service irrespective of age provided they are otherwise qualified. Applications from such candidates should be forwarded through the Mayor or Chairman of the Local Body in which they are serving.

6. The Commission reserves to itself the right to appoint a candidate who is above the age limit if he is found suitable and otherwise qualified.

7. The selected candidate will be on one year's probation on trial and subject to the provisions of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 43 of 1945, and the regulations made thereunder.

8. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting, stating age, qualifications and full particulars of experience, together with copies only of certificates and testimonials and should reach the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, P. O. Box 530, Colombo, not later than November 10, 1948.

9. Applications should be addressed to the Chairman and *not* personally to the undersigned.

10. Canvassing either directly or indirectly will be a disqualification.

V. C. JAYASURIYA,

Chairman, Local Government Service Commission,  
Colombo, October 20, 1948.

## VALVETTITURAI TOWN COUNCIL.

**Ward No. 2—Customs.**

IT is hereby notified under section 67 (2) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that the following candidate has been elected to represent Ward No. 2 (Customs) of the Valvettiturai Town Council.

Ward No.	Name of Candidate.
2, Customs	Alvapillai Nagalingam Velauthan

P. O. FERNANDO,  
October 16, 1948. Commissioner of Elections (Local Bodies).

## TRINCOMALEE URBAN COUNCIL

NOTICE is hereby given under section 27 (1) (a) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that a General Election is to be held for the purpose of electing members to represent Ward Nos. 1 to 9 of the electoral areas of the Trincomalee Urban Council. The nomination of candidates for election will take place on November 9, 1948, between 12 noon and 1 p.m., at the Urban Council Office, in respect of Wards Nos. 1 to 3, and at the Kachcheri in respect of Wards Nos. 4 to 9.

2. I have nominated the following officers to be the Returning Officers for the Wards shown against their names:—

Ward No. 1	} Mr. L. N. T. Mendis, Assistant Elections Officer
Ward No. 2	
Ward No. 3	
Ward No. 4	} Mr. J. W. H. O'Regan, Assistant Government Agent
Ward No. 5	
Ward No. 6	
Ward No. 7	} Muhandiram K. V. Ranganathan, Office Assistant
Ward No. 8	
Ward No. 9	

3. The attention of candidates is drawn to section 30 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance under which each candidate for election must deposit with the Returning Officer a sum of Rs. 100 before 1 p.m. on November 8, 1948.

4. Nomination papers on the prescribed form can be obtained from the Returning Officer before 1 p.m. on November 9, 1948.

J. W. H. O'REGAN,  
Elections Officer, Trincomalee District.

The Kachcheri,  
Trincomalee, October 20, 1948.

## Otara Palata Village Committee.

Wards Nos. 6 (Madampella Pahala) and 7 (Otharawadiya, Bolagala and Mulleyaya.)

IT is hereby notified for general information that Messrs. S. Albert Silva Samarawickrama of Pahalamadampella and R. A. Don Vincent Harry Abeywickrama of Otharawadiya have been nominated by the Minister of Health and Local Government under the proviso to section 36 (3) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, to be members of the Otara Palata Village Committee to represent Wards Nos. 6 (Madampella Pahala) and 7 (Otharawadiya, Bolagala and Mulleyaya) respectively.

P. O. FERNANDO,  
Commissioner of Elections (Local Bodies).

October 16, 1948.

## COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

## Supplement Budget, 1948 (No. 7).

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of section 214 (2) (b) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 29 of 1947, that the Supplemental Budget of the Colombo Municipal Council for the year 1948 (No. 7) will be open to public inspection for seven days commencing from October 25, 1948, at the Office of the Municipal Treasurer, Colombo.

Town Hall,  
Colombo, October 20, 1948.

V. S. NANAYAKKARA,  
for Mayor of Colombo.

## COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

## Sale of Immovable Property.

NOTICE is hereby given that in the absence of movable property liable to seizure, (1) rents and profits from 1 to 10 years, (2) timber and produce, (3) materials of house, and (4) the under-mentioned properties themselves, seized in virtue of a warrant issued by the Mayor of Colombo, in terms of section 252 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance for arrears of rates due on the premises, and for the period mentioned in the subjoined schedule, will be sold by public auction on the spot on the dates therein mentioned, sale commencing at 8 A.M., unless in the meantime the amount of the rates and costs be duly paid.

V. S. NANAYAKKARA,  
for Acting Municipal Commissioner.

(R. C. I.)  
The Municipal Office,  
Colombo, October 19, 1948.

## Schedule.

Premises.	Period.	Date of Sale.
No. 129, Galkapanawatte road	1st quarter, 1948 ..	23.11.48
No. 115, Malay street	do. ..	19.11.48
No. 15, Park avenue	do. ..	16.11.48
No. 745, Baseline road	4th quarter, 1947, and 1st quarter, 1948	17.11.48
No. 745/7-69, Baseline road	do. ..	do.
No. 765, Baseline road	do. ..	do.
No. 19/12-17, Dematagoda passage	1st quarter, 1948 ..	do.
No. 245/52, Driebergs avenue	2nd quarter, 1948 ..	22.11.48
No. 245/51, Driebergs avenue	1st and 2nd quarters, 1948	do.
No. 478/2, Blomondhal road	4th quarter, 1947, and 1st quarter, 1948	20.11.48
No. 173/1-4, Piachauds lane	1st and 2nd quarters, 1948	22.11.48
No. 19/9-10, Dematagoda passage	4th quarter, 1947, and 1st quarter, 1948	18.11.48

## HORANA URBAN COUNCIL.

## The Urban Councils Ordinance.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Horana Urban Council has—

- (1) under section 175 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, a tax on the vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto at the rates specified in that schedule, the said rates being the same as are in force during the preceding year; and
- (2) under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance, ordered that the said tax shall be payable on or before March 31.

Urban Council Office, B. D. L. GUNASEKARA,  
Horana, October 19, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, hand cart, junricksha, bicycle or tricycle	5	0
For every bicycle or tricycle or bicycle car or cart or tricycle car or cart—		
(a) if used for trade purposes ..	2	50
(b) if used for other than trade purposes ..	1	0
For every double bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	4	0
For every single bullock cart or hackery	3	0
For every hand cart	1	0
For every junricksha	2	50
For every horse, pony or mule	5	0
For every bullock or ass	1	0

## HORANA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Dog Tax for 1949.

## The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).

IT is hereby notified that the Horana Urban Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, an annual registration fee of 50 cents on every dog and 75 cents on every bitch kept within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council, payable on or before April 1.

Urban Council Office, B. D. L. GUNASEKARA,  
Horana, October 19, 1948. Chairman.

## HAMBANTOTA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Dog Tax for 1949.

## The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334)

IT is hereby notified that the Hambantota Urban Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, an annual registration fee of Re. 1.50 on every dog and Rs. 2 on every bitch kept within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council payable on or before April 1.

Urban Council Office, T. K. BURAH,  
Hambantota, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## HAMBANTOTA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Supplementary Budget for 1948.

EXPENDITURE.		Rs.	c.
J.—Electricity department :—			
(2) Repairs and maintenance—			
(c) Meters, switches and other apparatus	1,147	50	
(3) Service and house connections—			
(a) Materials	350	0	
(6) Extensions and improvements	500	0	
	1,997	50	

Settled and adopted by the Council at its meeting held on September 17, 1948.

Urban Council Office, T. K. BURAH,  
Hambantota, September 24, 1948. Chairman.

Sanctioned by the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government on October 15, 1948.

G. D. SRISENA,  
for Acting Commissioner of Local Government.  
Colombo, October 15, 1948.

## HAMBANTOTA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Property Rate for 1948

IT is hereby notified that the Hambantota Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council.

Under section 173: A rate of nine per centum payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarters ending respectively on the said days, on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the administrative limits of the said Council.

Urban Council Office, T. K. BURAH,  
Hambantota, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## HAMBANTOTA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Hambantota Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, the following taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, payable on or before March 31, 1949.

Urban Council Office, T. K. BURAH,  
Hambantota, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tractor, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcart, jinricksha, bicycle or tricycle	5	0
For every bicycle or tricycle, or bicycle car or cart, or tricycle car or cart—		
(a) if used for trade purposes	5	0
(b) if used for other than trade purposes	1	0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	4	0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery	2	0
For every handcart	2	0
For every jinricksha	2	50
For every horse, pony or mule	5	0
For every bullock or ass	0	25

## BALANGODA URBAN COUNCIL.

## The Butchers Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947, that the persons mentioned in the schedule hereunder have made applications to me for carrying on the trades of butchers in the premises stated against their names in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1949.

Any person residing within the limits of the Balangoda Urban Council, who desires to object to the issue of the licences should furnish to me, in duplicate, within 14 days from the date of this Gazette, a written statement of the grounds of his objection.

## Schedule.

I. L. M. Shariff, Balangoda	..	Beef Stall No. 1, Public Market, Balangoda
P. M. K. Ahamed, Balangoda	..	Beef Stall No. 2, Public Market, Balangoda
E. L. M. Junaideen, Balangoda	..	Beef Stall No. 3, Public Market, Balangoda
M. Y. Kovilpillai, Balangoda	..	Mutton Stall No. 1, Public Market, Balangoda
P. Gurusamy, Balangoda	..	Mutton Stall No. 2, Public Market, Balangoda
Urban Council Office, Balangoda, October 9, 1948.		BARNES RATWATTE, Chairman.

## AVISSAWELLA URBAN COUNCIL

## Property Rate for 1949.

## The Urban Councils Ordinance.

IT is hereby notified that the following resolution under section 173 (3) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, was passed by the Avissawella Urban Council on September 24, 1948 :—

“By virtue of the powers conferred by section 173 (3) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, this Council hereby—

- imposes for the year 1949 a rate of ten per centum on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the town of Avissawella;
- declares that of the said rate a portion equal to two per centum of the annual value is leviable for the purpose of providing the conservancy service; and
- declares that the said rate which is the same as was in force during the preceding year, shall be payable in four equal instalments on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.”

Urban Council Office, S. MANAMENDRA,  
Avissawella, October 8, 1948. Chairman.

## AVISSAWELLA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Supplementary Budget for 1948.

EXPENDITURE.	Rs.	c.
E.—Public health :—		
(3) Conservancy—		
(b) Carts, bulls and lorries	845	0
Total	845	0

Settled and adopted by the Council at its meeting held on August 27, 1948.

Urban Council Office, S. MANAMENDRA,  
Avissawella, September 21, 1948. Chairman.

Sanctioned by the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government on October 11, 1948.

G. D. SRISENA,  
for Acting Commissioner of Local Government.  
Colombo, October 12, 1948.

## KALUTARA URBAN COUNCIL.

THE following movable property seized for non-payment of rates will be sold by public auction at this Office on Tuesday, November 16, 1948, at 3 P.M. :—

- One easy chair.
- Four ladies' chairs.
- One tea poy.

Urban Council Office, P. A. COORAY,  
Kalutara, October 16, 1948. Chairman.

## MATALE URBAN COUNCIL.

## Property Rate for 1949.

## The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Matale Urban Council has, in terms of the above Ordinance, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Matale Urban Council, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid Ordinance :—

Under section 173: A rate of eleven per centum, payable on March 31, June 30, September 30 and on December 31, for the quarter ending on the said days respectively, on the annual value of all immovable property, save and except paddy fields.

The Town Hall, K. M. M. HUS  
Matale, October 13, 1948. Chairma

## TALAWAKELLE-LINDULA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Special Conservancy Rate for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Talawakelle-Lindula Urban Council has, in terms of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council:—

Under section 143 (b) a rate of eight per centum of the annual value of all immovable property, excluding premises bearing the following assessment numbers, situated within the administrative limits of the Council, payable in four equal instalments on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.

The premises described in the Schedule hereto shall be exempt from the special conservancy rate for the year 1949.

## Schedule.

The premises bearing the following assessment numbers:—  
39, 61, 79, 204, 223, 241, 248, 263 to 266, 274, to 280, 281, 285, 287, 296, 301, 314, and 317.

Urban Council Office, G. P. H. D. SILVA,  
Talawakelle, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## TALAWAKELLE-LINDULA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Special Water Rate for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Talawakelle-Lindula Urban Council has, in terms of Ordinance No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council:—

Under section 143 (b) a rate of eight per centum of the annual value of all immovable property situated within the area which is benefited by the water service and which is specified in the Schedule hereto, payable in equal instalments on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively.

Urban Council Office, G. P. H. D. SILVA,  
Talawakelle, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

1 to 32, 32A, 32B, 32C, 32D, 32E, 33 to 36, 40 to 42, 42A, 42B, 42C, 42D, 42E, 43 to 52, 52A, 53 to 54, 54A, 55, 55A, 56 to 59, 62 to 77, 78A, 78B, 78C, 78D, 80 to 98, 100 to 122, 123 to 130, 131 to 132, 133 to 135, 136 to 138, 139 to 143, 145 to 161, 162 to 167, 168 to 179, 180 to 181, 182 to 193, 195 to 196, 197 to 200, 200A, 201 to 203, 205 to 214, 249 to 262, 283 to 284, 286, 288 to 295, 297 to 300, 302 to 313, 316, 320 to 321.

## TALAWAKELLE-LINDULA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Dog Tax for 1949.

## The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).

IT is hereby notified that the Talawakelle-Lindula Urban Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, an annual registration fee of Rs. 3 on every dog and Rs. 5 on every bitch kept within the administrative limits of the said Urban Council, payable on or before April 1.

Urban Council Office, G. P. H. D. SILVA,  
Talawakelle, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## TALAWAKELLE-LINDULA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Talawakelle-Lindula Urban Council has, in terms of section 175 (1) (a) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, the following taxes, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, payable on or before March 31.

Urban Council Office, G. P. H. D. SILVA,  
Talawakelle, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor truck, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcart, jinricksha, bicycle, or tricycle ..	5	0
For every bicycle or tricycle or bicycle car or cart, or tricycle car or cart—		
(a) if used for trade purposes ..	5	0
(b) if used for other than trade purposes ..	1	0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery ..	4	0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery ..	3	0
For every handcart ..	3	0
For every jinricksha ..	2	50
For every horse, pony, or mule ..	5	0
For every bullock or ass ..	1	0

## TALAWAKELLE-LINDULA URBAN COUNCIL.

## The Butchers Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947, that the persons mentioned in the schedule hereto have made applications to me for carrying on the trade as butchers in the premises stated against their names in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1948.

Any person residing within the limits of Talawakelle-Lindula Urban Council, who desires to object to the issue of licence, shall furnish to me in duplicate, within 14 days from the date of this Gazette, a written statement of the grounds of his objection for the issue of the licence.

## Schedule.

Name of Butcher.	Premises.
1. A. Vellasamy Counder ..	32A, Talawakelle
2. M. Maruda Servi ..	32B, Talawakelle
3. N. A. Nana Mohamed ..	32C, Talawakelle

Urban Council Office, G. P. H. D. SILVA,  
Talawakelle, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## PUTTALAM URBAN COUNCIL.

## Property Rate for 1949.

IT is hereby notified that the Puttalam Urban Council has, under section 173 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939:—

- (a) imposed for the year 1949, a rate of 8 per centum being the same rate as was in force during the preceding year, on the annual value of all immovable property situated within any part of the town of Puttalam other than the area specified in the schedule hereto; ;
- (b) imposed for the year 1949, a rate of 9 per centum being the same rate as was in force during the preceding year, on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the area specified in the schedule hereto; and
- (c) declared that the said rates shall be payable in four equal instalments, on March 30, June 30, September 30, and December 31, respectively, in respect of the quarters ending on those dates.

Office of the Urban Council, S. M. M. CASSIM,  
Puttalam, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

The area bounded as follows:—

North by a line drawn from a point on the western limit of the Urban Council area where the flood out-let channel meets the Puttalam lake north-eastwards and south-eastwards along the said limits to the centre of the junction of Western Saltern road with Puttalam-Mannar road, thence eastwards in a straight line to the Nedunkulam bund, thence southwards and eastwards along the said bund as far as the Anti-Malaria Campaign channel.

East by a line drawn from the last-mentioned point southwards along the Anti-Malaria Campaign channel till it meets the centre of Anuradhapura road, thence eastwards along the centre line of the said road to the centre of the junction with Koch's road, thence southwards along the centre line of the said road and Outer Circular road to a point 21½ chains south of the centre of the junction of Outer Circular road and Paramadaluwa Wuan.

South by a line drawn from the last-mentioned point south-westwards along the centre of Outer Circular road to the western limit of the Urban Council area, thence north-westwards along the said limit to the Puttalam lake.

West by a line drawn from the last-mentioned point north-westwards along the western limit of the Urban Council area as far as the flood out-let channel.

## PUTTALAM URBAN COUNCIL.

## Dog Registration Fees, 1949.

## The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).

IT is hereby notified that the Puttalam Urban Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, a registration fee of Rs. 2.50 on every bitch and Rs. 2 on every dog, kept within the administrative limits of the Puttalam Urban Council, payable on April 1.

Office of the Urban Council, S. M. M. CASSIM,  
Puttalam, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## PUTTALAM URBAN COUNCIL.

## Vehicle and Animal Tax, 1949.

*The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.*

IT is hereby notified that the Puttalam Urban Council has, (1) under section 175, of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, a tax on the vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto, at the rates specified in that schedule being the same as was in force during the preceding year; and (2) under section 176, (3) of the Ordinance, the said tax shall be payable on or before February 28.

Office of the Urban Council, S. M. M. CASSIM,  
Puttalam, October 12, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

	Rs. c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcart, jinrickshaw, bicycle or tricycle	5 0
Every bicycle or tricycle, or bicycle car or cart, or tricycle car or cart :—	
(a) if used for trade purposes	2 0
(b) if used for other than trade purposes	1 0
For every double-bullock cart	4 0
For every single-bullock cart	2 50
For every hand-cart	2 50
For every jinrickshaw	2 50
For every horse, pony or mule	2 50

## KOLONNAWA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949

*Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.*

THE above notification appearing in *Gazette* No. 9,909 of October 1, page 780, is hereby cancelled.

Kolonnawa Town Hall, WILLIAM GONADUWA,  
Wellampitiya, October 15, 1948. Chairman.

## KOLONNAWA URBAN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

*Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939.*

IT is hereby notified that the Kolonnawa Urban Council has :—

- (1) Under section 175 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, imposed for the year 1949, a tax on vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule, hereto at the rates specified in that schedule, being the same as were in force during the preceding year, and
- (2) Under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance, ordered that the said tax shall be payable on or before March 31.

Kolonnawa Town Hall, WILLIAM GONADUWA,  
Wellampitiya, October 15, 1948. Chairman.

## Schedule.

	Rs. c.
For every vehicle other than motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, hand-cart, jinrickshaw, bicycle or tricycle	5 0
For every bicycle or tricycle or bicycle, car or cart or tricycle, car or cart :—	
(a) used for trade purposes	3 0
(b) used for other than trade purposes	1 0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery of whatever description	3 0
For every single-bullock-cart or hackery	2 0
For every hand-cart	2 0
For every jinrickshaw	2 0
For every horse, pony or mule	2 0
For every bullock or ass	1 0

## ALUTGAMA TOWN COUNCIL.

## Property Rate for 1949.

*The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946.*

IT is hereby notified that the Alutgama Town Council has, in terms of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council :—

Under section 173, a rate of six per centum per annum on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the administrative limits of the said Council, payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarters ending on the said days.

Town Council Office, G. SOLOMON SILVA,  
Alutgama, October 11, 1948. Chairman.

## ALUTGAMA

## Vehicles and

*The Town Council*

IT is hereby notified that

(1) under section 175 of 1946, imposed on vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto at the said rates being 1948, and

(2) under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance, the said tax shall be payable on or before February 28.

Town Council Office  
Alutgama, October 11, 1948.

For every vehicle other than motor lorry, motor bicycle, rickshaw, bicycle or tricycle

For every bicycle or tricycle car or cart :—

(a) if used for trade purposes

(b) if used for other than trade purposes

For every double-bullock cart

For every single-bullock cart

For every hand-cart

For every jinrickshaw

For every horse, pony or mule

For every bullock or ass

## ALUTGAMA

## Dog

*The Dog Regulation*

IT is hereby notified that in terms of section 4 of (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, a tax of Re. 1 on every dog within the administrative limits of the Council, payable on or before April 30.

Town Council Office,  
Alutgama, October 11, 1948.

## The Bu

NOTICE is hereby given (Amendment) Ordinance, mentioned in the schedule hereto, to me for carrying on the business of the Council against their respect during the year 1949.

Any person residing within the administrative limits of the Town Council who desires to be appointed as a member should furnish to me in writing a written statement of the reasons for his issue of the Licences.

Mohamadmohiyadeen Medeen

M. Kasimohamed

Ahamadleyvai Mahumootil

Aliyarlebbai Mohamed Cassim

Town Council Office  
Kattankudy, October 11, 1948.

## KAYTS

## Property

*The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946.*

IT is hereby notified that in terms of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council :—

Under section 173, a rate of six per centum per annum on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the administrative limits of the said Council, payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarters ending on the said days.

Town Council,  
Kayts, October 16, 1948.



## KAYTS TOWN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

*Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946.*

IT is hereby notified that the Kayts Town Council has—

- (1) under section 175 of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, imposed for the year 1949, a tax on the vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto, at the rates specified in that schedule, the said rates being the same as are in force during 1948; and
- (2) under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance ordered that the said tax shall be payable on or before March 31, 1949.

Town Council,  
Kayts, October 16, 1948.S. M. RIDGEWAY,  
Chairman.*Schedule.*

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, handcart, jinrickshaw, bicycle or tricycle ..	5	0
For every bicycle or tricycle, or bicycle car or cart, or tricycle car or cart—		
(a) if used for trade purposes ..	5	0
(b) if used for other than trade purposes ..	1	0
For every cart ..	4	0
For every handcart ..	4	0
For every jinricksha ..	2	50
For every horse, pony, mule ..	5	0
For every bullock or ass ..	1	0

## KAYTS TOWN COUNCIL.

## Dog Tax for 1949.

*The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).*

IT is hereby notified that the Kayts Town Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, a registration fee of Re. 1.50 for every dog and Rs. 2.50 for every bitch, kept within the administrative limits of the Council, payable on or before March 31, 1949.

Town Council,  
Kayts, October 16, 1948.S. M. RIDGEWAY,  
Chairman.

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## POINT PEDRO TOWN COUNCIL.

## First Supplementary Budget for 1948.

HEAD OF EXPENDITURE.	Amount.
	Rs. c.
B.—Thoroughfares:—	
(2) Maintenance ..	3,000 0
(8) Improvements ..	3,500 0
D.—(2) Scavenging:—	
(b) Carts, bulls and lorries ..	8,000 0
Total ..	14,500 0

Settled and adopted by the Council at its meetings held on March 13, and October 1, 1948.

Town Council Office,  
Point Pedro, October 11, 1948.N. NADARAJAH,  
Chairman.

Sanctioned.

G. D. SIRISENA,  
for Acting Commissioner of Local Government.  
Colombo, October 15, 1948.

## MADAMPE TOWN COUNCIL.

## Property Rate for 1949.

*The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946.*

IT is hereby notified that the Madampe Town Council has, in terms of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, imposed for the year 1949, the following rate, being the same as was in force during the preceding year, within the administrative limits of the Council:—

Under section 173, a rate of six per centum per annum on the annual value of all immovable property situated within the administrative limits of the said Council, payable on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, for the quarters ending on the said days respectively.

Town Council,  
Madampe, October 15, 1948.J. C. W. MUNASINHA,  
Chairman.

## MADAMPE TOWN COUNCIL.

## Dog Tax for 1949.

*The Dog Registration Ordinance (Chapter 334).*

IT is hereby notified that the Madampe Town Council has, in terms of section 4 of the Dog Registration Ordinance, (Chapter 334), imposed for the year 1949, a registration fee of 50 cents for every dog and Re. 1.50 for every bitch kept within the administrative limits of the Council, payable on or before April 1, 1949.

Town Council,  
Madampe, October 16, 1948.J. C. W. MUNASINHA,  
Chairman.

## MADAMPE TOWN COUNCIL.

## Vehicles and Animals Tax for 1949.

*The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946.*

IT is hereby notified that the Madampe Town Council has—

- (1) under section 175 of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, imposed for the year 1949, a tax on the vehicles and animals mentioned in the schedule hereto at the rates specified in that schedule, the said rates being the same as were in force during 1948; and
- (2) under section 176 (3) of the Ordinance ordered that the said tax shall be payable on or before March 31, 1949.

Town Council,  
Madampe, October 15, 1948.J. C. W. MUNASINHA,  
Chairman.*Schedule.*

	Rs.	c.
For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle, cart, hand cart, jinrickshaw, bicycle or tricycle ..	5	0
For every bicycle or tricycle or bicycle car or cart, or ..		
tricycle car or cart —		
(a) if used for trade purposes ..	5	0
(b) if used for other than trade purposes ..	1	0
For every double-bullock cart or hackery or whatever ..	4	0
description ..	4	0
For every single-bullock cart or hackery ..	4	0
For every hand cart ..	4	0
For every jinrickshaw ..	2	50
For every horse, pony or mule ..	5	0
For every bullock or ass ..	1	0

## The Butchers Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947 (Chapter 201), that the person mentioned in the schedule hereunder has made application to me for carrying on the trade of a butcher in the premises stated against his name in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1948.

Any person residing within the limits of the Village Committee area of Yattakalan pattuwa, Chilaw District, who desires to object to the issue of this licence should furnish to me in duplicate within 14 days from the date of this *Gazette*, a written statement of the grounds of his objection.

*Schedule.*

Name of Applicant.	Name of the premises at which the trade to be carried.
M. H. Gonsal Appuhamy ..	at the Thursday Fair at Talwila
Office of the Village Committee, Walahaipitiya, September 29, 1948.	A. R. PANDITSEKERE, Chairman.

## Butchers Ordinance.

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers Ordinance (Chapter 201), as amended by section 6 of Ordinance No. 44 of 1947, that the persons mentioned in the Schedule hereunder have made applications to me for carrying on the trade of butchers during the year 1949.

Any person residing within the limits of the Village Area of Kammal pattu, Chilaw District, who desires to object to the issue of any of these licences, should furnish me, in duplicate, within 14 days from the date of this *Gazette*, a written statement of the grounds of his objections for the issue of licences.

*Schedule.*

Name.	Premises.
(1) Rathugamege Edmond Fernando ..	Thambarawila
(2) M. A. Peduru Fernando ..	Pahala Katuneriya
Village Committee Office, Kammal Pattu, Nainamadama, Wennappuwa, October 9, 1948.	W. A. M. TISSERA, for Chairman.

**The Butchers Ordinance.**

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers Ordinance (Chapter 201); as amended by section 6 of Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947, that the person mentioned in the schedule hereunder has made an application to me for carrying on the trade of butchers, during the year, 1948.

Any person residing within the limits of the Nagoda Village Committee, who desires to object to the issue of this licence, should furnish me in duplicate before October 25, 1948, a written statement of the grounds of his objection for the issue of the licence.

*Schedule.*

Name of Applicant.	Name of Premises at which the trade is to be carried.
Ahamadu Lebbe Abdul Rahaman	Udugama
Village Committee Office, Nagoda, October 8, 1948.	S. D. SAMARASEKARA, Chairman.

**Village Committee—Meda Palata, Nattandiya.***The Butchers Ordinance.*

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947, that the person mentioned in the schedule hereunder has made application to me for carrying on the trade of a butcher (Pork) in the premises stated against his name in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1948.

Any person residing within the limits of the Village Committee of Meda Palata Village Area, who desires to object to the issue of the licence should furnish to me in duplicate within seven days from the date of this *Gazette*, a written statement of the grounds of his objection.

*Schedule.*

W. Lawus Fernando of Marawila	Pork Stall at Tabbowa
Village Committee Office, Meda Palata, Nattandiya, October 5, 1948.	ALBERT F. PEIRIS, Chairman.

**ROAD COMMITTEE NOTICES.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 24 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148) all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European, Burgher or Ceylonese member of the District Road Committee, Kurunegala, for the years 1949, 1950 and 1951 are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the North-Western Province at least 10 days before the day of election. The election will be held on December 4, 1948, at 11 A.M. at the Kurunegala Kachcheri.

S. A. SUPRAMANIAM,  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kurunegala, October 13, 1948. Secretary.

**Election of Members, District Road Committee, Colombo, for 1949—1951.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 23 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148) all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European, Burgher or Ceylonese Member of the District Road Committee, Colombo, for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951, are hereby

required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Western Province at least 10 days before the day of election. The election will be held on Friday, November 26, 1948, at 10 A.M. at the Colombo Kachcheri.

No person resident in the administrative limits of an Urban Council is qualified to vote at the elections or be elected a member of the District Road Committee. As regards the Colombo Municipality residents in the following headmen's divisions (within Municipal limits) only are entitled to vote, or stand for election as a member:—Wellawatta, Bambalapitiya, Dematagoda, Narahenpita and Welikada.

W. DAHANAIKE,  
for Chairman, P. R. C.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Colombo, October 13, 1948.

**Election of Members, District Road Committee, Kalutara, for 1949—1951.**

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 23 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148) all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European, Burgher, or Ceylonese Member of the District Road Committee, Kalutara, for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the Western Province at least 10 days before the day of election. The election will be held on Friday, November 26, 1948, at 10 A.M. at the Kalutara Kachcheri.

No person resident in the administrative limits of an Urban Council is qualified to vote at the elections or be elected a member of the District Road Committee.

W. DAHANAIKE,  
for Chairman, P. R. C.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Colombo, October 13, 1948.

NOTICE is hereby given that under section 24 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance (Chapter 148) all persons intending to offer themselves as candidates for the office of European, Burgher or Ceylonese Member of the District Road Committee, Puttalam-Chilaw, for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951, are hereby required to signify their intention in writing to the Chairman of the Provincial Road Committee for the North-Western Province, Kurunegala, at least 10 days before the date of election.

2. The election will be held on November 15, 1948, at 10 A.M. at the Food Control Office, Chilaw.

S. A. SUPRAMANIAM,  
Secretary, P. R. C.  
Provincial Road Committee's Office,  
Kurunegala, October 15, 1948.

**Election of D. R. C. Members.**

NOTICE is hereby given under section 23 of the Thoroughfares Ordinance that an election will be held for the purpose of electing members for the office of European, Burgher and Ceylonese seats for the years 1949, 1950, and 1951, in the District Road Committee of Jaffna, Mannar and Vavuniya on November 15, 1948, at 11 A.M. at the Jaffna Kachcheri for the Jaffna District, Mannar Kachcheri for the Mannar District, Vavuniya Kachcheri for the Vavuniya District.

P. R. C. Office, M. PONNAMBALAM,  
Jaffna, October 15, 1948. Secretary, P. R. C., N. P.