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LOCAL GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

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THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

BY-LAWS made by the Hambantota Urban Council under sections 166, 175 and 176 (3) of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and approved by the Minister of Health and Local Government by virtue of 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, December 18, 1948.

By-laws relating to the Tax on Vehicles and Animals.

1. The returns required to be furnished under section 180 of the Ordinance by an owner or other person whether resident within the town or outside and liable or deemed to be liable to pay taxes in respect of animals or vehicles shall be made in the form supplied by the Council for that purpose and shall be filled up and furnished by the person to whom such form is addressed.

2. (1) If any person after having filled up and furnished a return acquires, keeps or uses any vehicle or animal, not mentioned in such return, he shall within one month of acquiring any such vehicle or animal, notify the Chairman in writing of the fact of such acquisition, keeping or use, and further furnish true and correct information in respect of every such vehicle or animal so acquired, kept or used.

(2) Whoever fails or neglects to notify the Chairman or to furnish information as required by the foregoing paragraph of this by-law shall be guilty of an offence punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

3. Subject to the provisions of section 176 of the Ordinance, every person who has furnished the return referred to in by-law 1 shall without further notice be liable, in respect of every vehicle or animal entered in such return, to pay the tax for the year for which such return is furnished and every person who has sent the written notice required by by-law 2 shall be liable to pay the tax on every vehicle or animal referred to in such notice for the year in which such vehicle or animal was acquired by him or otherwise came into his possession.

4. Any person who has furnished the return required by by-law 1 or the written notice required by by-law 2 may by written notice given to the Chairman claim to be exempted from the liability to pay any tax in respect of a vehicle or an animal which has been in his possession for less than thirty days in any year and is entered in or referred to in such return or notice.

5. The annual tax prescribed under the provisions of section 176 of the Ordinance shall be paid on or before the thirty-first day of March in every year in respect of all vehicles, other than those exempted by the Ordinance, and in respect of every horse, pony, mule, bullock or ass kept or used within the administrative limits of the Council.

6. The annual tax in respect of any vehicle or animal shall be paid at the office of the Council.

7. On payment of the annual tax the Chairman shall issue or cause to be issued in respect of every vehicle for which such tax is paid a metal plate with distinguishing letters for the several kinds of vehicles as specified in the Schedule hereto and with figures denoting the year for which the plate is issued and the corresponding number in the register of vehicles.

Such plate shall be fixed on a conspicuous part of the vehicle in respect of which the plate was issued: Provided that when any plate becomes indistinct or defaced by use or otherwise, the owner shall return it to the Chairman and shall be entitled, on making payment of twenty-five cents, to receive a fresh plate; and provided further that the Chairman may, on his being satisfied by an affidavit or otherwise that any plate has been lost or stolen, issue a fresh plate on the application of the owner and on payment by him of fifty cents.

8. Where the plate prescribed by these by-laws has not been duly affixed to any vehicle kept or used within the administrative limits of the Council, the owner or person in charge of that vehicle shall be guilty of an offence punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

9. It shall be lawful for the Chairman, the Revenue Inspector, any Police Officer or any other officer authorized by the Chairman in writing to stop and detain any vehicle proceeding on any road within the limits of the Council for the purpose of inspecting the metal plate referred to in by-law 8; and the driver or person in charge of any such vehicle shall permit the Chairman or such officer to make such inspection and shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

10. Every contravention of by-law 9 shall be punishable with a fine not exceeding fifty rupees.

11. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Hambantota Urban Council;

“Council” means the Hambantota Urban Council;

“Ordinance” means the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939;

“Revenue Inspector” means the Revenue Inspector of the Hambantota Urban Council.

Schedule.

For every vehicle other than a motor car, motor tricar, motor lorry, motor bicycle or tricycle car or cart—

(a) if used for trade purpose	..	MHB-T
(b) if used for other than trade purpose	..	MHB
For every double-bullock cart or hackery	..	MHD
For every single-bullock cart or hackery	..	MHS
For every hand cart	..	MHH
For every jinrickshaw	..	MHR

L. D.—B. 116/42/L. G. D.—BB. 33.

THE VEHICLES ORDINANCE.

REGULATIONS under section 16 of the Vehicles Ordinance (Chapter 155), made for the town within the administrative limits of the Jaffna Urban Council, 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, December 22, 1948.

Regulations.

1. Every vehicle used on any street specified in column 1 of the Schedule hereto shall be driven in the direction indicated in the corresponding entry in column 2 of that Schedule, and shall, when halted on any such street, be kept facing that direction only.

2. The regulations dated April 29, 1943, published in *Gazette* No. 9,117 of May 7, 1943, are hereby rescinded.

Schedule.

1. Streets.	2. Direction.
That part of the Jaffna-Kankesanturai road which lies between Punnalai road and Grand Bazaar North road	Grand Bazaar North road
That part of Kasturiar road or Chemma street which lies between Grand Bazaar North road and Stanley road	Stanley road
That part of Punnalai road or Stanley road that lies between Kasturiar road or Chemma street and the Jaffna-Kankesanturai road	Jaffna-Kankesanturai road

L. D.—B. 107/32/L. G. D.—BB. 247.

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

BY-LAW made by the Kurunegala 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, December 22, 1948.

By-law.

The general by-laws relating to licences published in *Gazette* No. 7,813 of November 7, 1930, as last amended by by-law published in *Gazette* No. 9,683 of March 21, 1947, are hereby further amended in by-law 1 thereof, under the heading "Interpretation of Terms", by the substitution, in the definition of "offensive or dangerous trade", for the words "keeping a printing press", of the words "keeping a printing press, storing of cotton or kapok, storing of coconut oil in quantity over fifty gallons, keeping of an establishment to manufacture jewellery, keeping of a shed or yard for more than ten goats, storing of soap, manufacture of cigars, storing of salvaged articles made of metal, storing of charcoal, keeping of a workshop for welding or for work in which a lathe is used, keeping of an establishment for vulcanizing tyres and tubes, storing of acetic acid in quantity over twelve gallons and storing of brick, cabook, tiles or metal".

L. D.—B. 107/32/L. G. D.—BB. 247.

THE URBAN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 61 OF 1939.

IT is hereby notified that the Kurunegala Urban Council has, under sections 175 and 177 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, and with the approval of the Minister of Health and Local Government given under those sections as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, imposed with effect from the date on which this notification is published in the *Gazette*, the licence duties specified in the Schedule hereto in respect of the licences described therein.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government.
Colombo, December 22, 1948.

Schedule.

Nature of Licence.	Annual Duty.	
	Rs.	c.
Licence to store cotton or kapok ..	10	0
Licence to store coconut oil in quantity over fifty gallons ..	10	0
Licence to keep an establishment to manufacture jewellery ..	50	0
Licence to keep a shed or yard for more than ten goats ..	15	0
Licence to store soap ..	5	0
Licence to manufacture cigars ..	50	0
Licence to store salvaged articles made of metal ..	10	0
Licence to store charcoal ..	5	0
Licence to keep a workshop for welding or for work in which a lathe is used ..	150	0
Licence to keep an establishment for vulcanizing tyres and tubes ..	10	0
Licence to store acetic acid in quantity over twelve gallons ..	50	0
Licence to store brick, cabook, tiles or metal ..	25	0

L. D.—B. 37/47/L. G. D.—BC. 135.

THE TOWN COUNCILS ORDINANCE, No. 3 OF 1946.

IT is hereby notified that the Dondra Town Council has, under sections 175 and 177 of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, and with the approval of the Minister of Health and Local Government given under those sections as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947, imposed, with effect from the date on which this notification is published in the *Gazette*, the licence duties specified in the Schedule hereto in respect of the licences described therein, in lieu of the licence duties hitherto leviable in respect of those licences.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government.
Colombo, December 18, 1948.

Schedule.

Nature of Licence.	Annual Duty.	
	Rs.	c.
Licence to manufacture artificial manure ..	100	0
Licence to manufacture fibre ..	50	0
Licence to manufacture coconut oil by mills ..	100	0
Licence to manufacture coconut oil by chekku ..	5	0
Licence to manufacture desiccated coconuts ..	100	0
Licence to manufacture bricks or tiles ..	50	0
Licence to manufacture soap ..	10	0
Licence to make or extract fat ..	50	0
Licence to cure arcanuts ..	2	50
Licence to boil blood or offal ..	100	0
Licence to dye fibre ..	5	0
Lime kiln licence ..	12	0
Licence to cure plumbago ..	50	0
Licence to ice fish ..	10	0
Licence to store fibre ..	25	0
Licence to store artificial manure ..	10	0
Licence to store maldive fish or salt fish or dry fish in any quantity over 5 cwt. ..	6	0
Licence to store lime or hides or bones or materials for the manufacture of artificial manure any quantity over 1 gunny bag ..	5	0
Licence to store straw ..	3	0
Licence to store plumbago ..	50	0
Licence to store copra ..	10	0
Licence to keep a saw pit—		
(a) where machinery is used ..	5	0
(b) where no machinery is used ..	2	50
Licence to keep a dairy for supply of milk to the public—		
(a) where the number of cows does not exceed 3 ..	3	0
(b) where the number of cows does not exceed 10 ..	6	0
(c) where the number of cows exceeds 10 ..	10	0
Bakery licence ..	15	0
Eating-house licence ..	12	0
Tea and coffee boutique licence ..	10	0
Restaurant licence ..	20	0
Butcher's stall licence ..	5	0
Fish stall licence ..	6	0
Cattle gala licence—		
(a) where the gala provides accommodation for cattle not exceeding 10 in number ..	10	0
(b) where the gala provides accommodation for cattle exceeding 10 in number—		
(1) in respect of accommodation for the first 10 ..	10	0
(2) in respect of accommodation for each additional number not exceeding 10 (subject to a maximum of Rs. 100) ..	5	0
Common lodging-house licence ..	10	0
Aerated water factory licence ..	30	0
Ice factory licence ..	100	0
Ice and aerated water factory (combined) licence ..	100	0
Hotel licence ..	25	0
Tannery licence ..	100	0
Licence to keep an establishment to manufacture jewellery ..	5	0
Licence to keep a forge ..	5	0
Licence to keep a toddy collecting station ..	25	0
Licence to store timber or firewood ..	5	0
Licence to keep a hair-dressing saloon or barber's shop ..	15	0
Licence to keep a rice mill ..	50	0
Licence to keep a carpentry shed ..	5	0