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Local Government Notifications

L. D.—B. 120/49

The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by section 196 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, 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, amend, with effect from April 1, 1950, the Order under that section published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No 10,033 of October 18, 1949, by the substitution, for paragraph (b) thereof, of the following new paragraph —

“(b) appoint Wattage Johanis Fernando, Assistant Commissioner of Local Government, to be the Special Commissioner to administer the affairs of the town of Anuradhapura, and, for the purpose, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of an Urban Council under that Ordinance”

S W R D. BANDARANAIKE

Minister of Health and Local Government

Colombo, 23 March, 1950

L. D.—B 85/44/L. G. D —BB 323.

The Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939

IT is hereby notified that the Matara Urban Council has, under sections 175 and 177 of the Urban Councils Ordinance, No. 61 of 1939, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No 9,773 of September 24, 1947, and with the approval of the Minister of Health and Local Government given by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said sections, imposed with effect from the date on which this Notification is published in the *Gazette*, the annual licence duty of ten rupees in respect of a licence authorising the use of any premises or place for keeping a vegetable stall in lieu of the duty imposed in respect of such licence by Notification published in *Gazette* No 9,851 of April 9, 1948.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government

Colombo, March 18, 1950

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L. D.—B 106/49/L. G. D —BB. 1195

The Vehicles Ordinance

REGULATION under section 16 of the Vehicles Ordinance (Chapter 155), made for the town within the administrative limits of the Chilaw 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, March 13, 1950

REGULATION

The regulation published in *Gazette* No 10,052 of December 9, 1949, is hereby amended by the substitution, for the word “east”, of the word “north”

L. D.—B. 28/47.

The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946

Special Water Rate for 1950

IT is hereby notified that the Mannar 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 1950, subject to such limits and exemptions as may be prescribed by by-laws, a special water rate of six 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, such rate being 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, March 17, 1950.

SCHEDULE

The area lying within the administrative limits of the Mannar Town Council, exclusive of the area occupied by the premises bearing the following assessment numbers:—

- (a) Nos. 134 to 177 in the Pettah Ward, and
(b) Nos. 119 to 175 in the Panankaddikoddu Ward.

L. D.—B. 147/46/L. G. D.—BA. 689.

**The Local Government (Administrative Regions)
Ordinance, No. 57 of 1946**

ORDER made by the Minister of Health and Local Government under section 2 of the Local Government (Administrative Regions) Ordinance, No. 57 of 1946, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,828 of February 5, 1948.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, February 24, 1950.

ORDER

With effect from April 1, 1950, the Order relating to administrative regions published in *Gazette* No. 9,645 of December 30, 1946, is amended in the schedule thereto—

- (1) by the substitution, for item 3, of the following new item, the particulars thereof being inserted in the appropriate columns of that schedule:—

“3. Upper Southern 3 Galle revenue Region. district.”; and

- (2) by the insertion, immediately after item 3, of the following new item, the particulars thereof being inserted in the appropriate columns of that schedule:—

“3A. Lower Southern 3A. Matara revenue district Hambantota revenue district.”

**Local Authorities Elections Ordinance,
No. 53 of 1946**

IT is hereby notified for general information that Cathiraveloo Mylvagnam, Esquire, Additional Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, and Marakkalage Charles de Silva, Esquire, Office Assistant to the Assistant Government Agent, Kalutara, are appointed under section 4 (1) (b) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, Assistant Elections Officers for the Kalutara District in addition to their duties with effect from February 20, 1950.

E. W. KANNANGARA,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Health and Local Government.

Colombo, March 15, 1950.

L. D.—B. 109/49/L. G. D. BA. 755.

The Rabies Ordinance

REGULATION under section 9 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), as amended by Ordinance No. 13 of 1941, made by the Mayor of the Municipal Council, Kandy, and approved by the Minister of Home Affairs and Rural Development by virtue of the powers vested in him by the aforesaid section, as modified by the Proclamation published in *Gazette Extraordinary* No. 9,773 of September 24, 1947.

R. S. V. POULIER,
Permanent Secretary,

Ministry of Home Affairs and Rural Development.

Colombo, March 16, 1950.

REGULATION

The regulations published in *Gazette* No. 6,412 of November 25, 1910, are hereby amended, by the addition immediately after regulation 4 thereof, of the following new regulations:—

“5. No person shall, within the limits of the Kandy Municipal Council, hold a show or an exhibition of dogs or expose dogs for exhibition or sale thereat without the written permission of the Mayor of the Kandy Municipal Council.

6. Every person having in his custody any dog shall cause such dog to be inoculated annually against rabies by a veterinary surgeon within a period of three months immediately preceding the date of application for the registration of such dog under Chapter 9 of the by-laws published in the *Supplement to Gazette* No. 6,165 of January 11, 1907, and he shall obtain from such veterinary surgeon a certificate of inoculation.”

By-laws

L. D.—B. 22/50/L. G. D.—BC. 216.

The Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946

BY-LAWS made by the Teldeniya Town Council under sections 166 and 170 of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946, 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, March 10, 1950.

BY-LAWS

Meetings: notice, agenda, quorum, &c.

1. (a) Notice of every ordinary meeting and the business to be transacted at it shall be served on each Councillor at least three days—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—before the meeting.

(b) No business shall be brought before or transacted at any meeting, ordinary or special, other than the business specified in the notice of the meeting, without the permission of the Council.

(c) No business shall be transacted at any meeting unless a quorum of at least three Councillors is present.

(d) If at any meeting there is not a sufficient number of Councillors present to form a quorum, the Chairman of the meeting shall adjourn the meeting to such date, not more than fifteen days after the date of the meeting so adjourned, as he thinks fit, and the business which would have been brought before the meeting so adjourned, if there had been a quorum present, shall be brought before, and disposed of, at such adjourned meeting

Adjournment of meetings

2. (a) The Chairman of any meeting, ordinary or special, at which a quorum of the Council is present may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn the meeting from time to time; but no business shall be transacted without the permission of the Council at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which such adjournment took place

(b) Notice of an adjourned meeting shall be served on members at least three days before the time fixed for such meeting unless the original meeting decides to hold the adjourned sitting within twenty-four hours.

Presence of strangers

3. Strangers, including the Press, may be present at a meeting in the places set apart for them, but must withdraw when called upon to do so by the Chairman of the meeting when in the opinion of the majority of the members of the Council present at the meeting, expressed by the resolution, such exclusion is deemed advisable in the public interest.

Order of business

4. The business of the Council shall be transacted in the following order:—

- (a) Confirmation of the minutes of the last preceding meeting.
- (b) Memorials, petitions, complaints, and communications addressed to the Council shall be laid before the Council.
- (c) Questions of which due notice has been given.
- (d) Motions of which due notice has been given.
- (e) Any other matter set down in the notice of the meeting in the order in which such matters are set out or in such order as the Council may for special reasons adopt.
- (f) Monthly statements of receipts and disbursements, progress-reports of works, and such other documents as are required by the Council, shall be submitted to the Council.

Minutes

5. The minutes of each meeting shall be circulated. At the next or subsequent meeting the question shall be put that the minutes be taken as read and confirmed. In the absence of objection or correction, the minutes as recorded shall be confirmed.

Memorials, petitions, &c.

6. (a) A member presenting a petition or memorial to the Council may state concisely the purpose of the petition or memorial.

(b) No member shall present any petition or memorial or other communication which is not respectful in tone in every part of it and which does not contain the name and address of the person by whom it was drafted.

(c) It shall be competent for any member to move that such petition or memorial be read. In making such motion he shall state concisely his reasons for wishing to have it read.

(d) No debate shall be permitted on such motion, nor shall any other member speak upon or in relation to such petition or memorial, except to second the motion formally.

(e) Such motion being seconded, the question shall be put whether the petition or memorial shall be read.

Questions

7. (a) Questions relating to the affairs of the Council may be put to the Chairman.

(b) At least seven clear days' notice—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—shall be given of such questions.

(c) A written reply to such questions shall be read at a meeting by the Chairman of the meeting.

(d) No member shall address the Council upon any question, nor shall the terms of any question contain any argument or imputation of any motive or expression of opinion or statement of fact, except in so far as may be necessary to explain such question.

(e) Any member may put a supplementary question for the purpose of further elucidating any matter or fact regarding which an answer has been given at a meeting.

Provided that the Chairman of the meeting may disallow any supplementary question if, in his opinion, it infringes the preceding provisions of this by-law as to the subject-matter of questions and in that case the question shall not appear on the record of the minutes of the Council.

Motions

8. (a) Every notice of a motion shall be in writing signed by the member of the Council giving the notice. Unless such notice has been in the hands of the Secretary five clear days—exclusive of Sundays and Government holidays—before the meeting of the Council, the motion may not be included in the agenda.

(b) All notices of motions shall be dated and numbered as received, and shall be entered by the Secretary upon the agenda in the order in which they are received.

(c) Before any notice of a motion is placed on the agenda paper, it shall be submitted to the Chairman, who, if he be of opinion that it is out of order, shall order that such motion shall not be included in the agenda and shall cause the giver of the notice to be so informed.

(d) Every motion of which notice is given shall be relevant to some question affecting the administration of the Council's affairs.

(e) No motion to rescind any resolution which has been passed within the preceding six months, nor any motion to the same effect as any motion which has been negatived within the preceding six months, shall be deemed to be in order, unless notice thereof shall have been given and specified in the agenda and the notice shall bear in addition to the signature of the member who proposes the motion, the signatures of two other members; and when such motion has been disposed of, it shall not be competent for any member to propose any similar motion within the period of six months next following.

(f) No motion shall be deemed to have been submitted for debate until it shall have been proposed and seconded.

(g) Any member may formally second a motion or amendment by rising in his place and bowing to the Chair without prejudice to his right to speak at a later period of the debate.

(h) Before any motion of which previous notice has not been given is moved in Council it shall be reduced to writing signed by the mover and handed to the Secretary.

(i) When a motion has been moved and seconded at a meeting and the debate thereon concluded, the question thereupon shall be put to the vote by the Chairman of the meeting.

Withdrawal of motion or amendment

9. Any member may, with the leave of the Council granted without any dissentient vote, withdraw a motion or amendment moved by him. Such leave shall be granted without debate. It shall not be competent for any member to speak on any motion after the mover has asked for such leave, unless such leave has been refused.

Re-introduction of motion

10. A motion which has been withdrawn may be moved again at any subsequent meeting; but no motion shall be proposed which is the same in substance as any motion which within the period of six months referred to in by-law 9 (e) shall have been resolved in the affirmative or negative.

Amendments

11. (a) Every amendment shall be in writing and handed to the Secretary by the member proposing it.

(b) Every amendment shall be relevant to the motion during the discussion of which it is moved.

(c) Every amendment shall be read before being moved.

(d) No amendment shall be discussed or put to the Council until it shall have been seconded.

(e) A member who has seconded an amendment in a formal manner shall be permitted afterwards to speak upon it.

(f) Whenever an amendment to any motion under discussion has been moved and seconded, no second or subsequent amendment shall be moved until the first amendment shall have been disposed of. If an amendment be carried, the motion as amended shall take the place of the original motion, and shall become the question upon which any further amendment may be moved.

Debate ceases when question fully put

12. No member may speak at a meeting to any question after it has been fully put by the Chairman of the meeting. A question is fully put when the voting has been taken thereon.

Voting and recording of votes

13. (a) The question shall be put by the Chairman of the meeting, and the votes may be taken by a show of hands or by a secret ballot as the Council decides, and the result shall be declared by the Chairman; but in any case where the votes are taken otherwise than by secret ballot, any member may call for a division, and in that event the vote shall be taken by the Secretary asking each member separately how he desires to vote, and recording the vote accordingly.

(b) On any question being put, whether in Council or in committee of the whole Council, every member present shall record his vote, either for the ayes or the noes.

Members dissenting

14. It shall be competent for any Councillor, who is in a minority, to record the reasons for his dissent from the opinion of the majority, and such written dissent, if sent to the Secretary within one week of the meeting in question shall be entered by the Secretary at the end of his minutes of the proceedings

Order of the day

15. The "Order of the day" shall include all business, arranged according to by-law 4. Unless otherwise resolved the business shall be taken in the order printed

Preservation of order

16. (a) It shall be the duty of the Chairman of a meeting to preserve order, and his decision on all disputed points of order shall be final

(b) Any member of the Council deviating from these by-laws at a meeting may be immediately called to order by the Chairman of the meeting of his own motion or on any other member of the Council rising to a point of order.

Decision of question of order

17. When the question of order has been stated the member who raises it shall resume his seat, and no other member, except by leave of the Chairman of the meeting, shall speak till the Chairman has decided the question, after which the member who was addressing the Council or committee of the Council at the time the question was raised shall be entitled to proceed with his speech, if he conforms to the Chairman's ruling. If he does not conform, the Chairman may refuse to allow him to proceed with his speech

Member not explaining or retracting

18. Any member who fails to explain or to retract any objectionable words used by him, or to offer apologies for the use thereof to the satisfaction of the Council, may be censured or otherwise dealt with as the Council thinks fit.

Chairman speaking

19. When the Chairman of a meeting has expressed his desire to speak, any member then speaking shall immediately resume his seat.

Naming of members

20. (a) The Chairman of a meeting may name any member who disregards the authority of the Chair, or abuses these by-laws of the Council by persistently and wilfully obstructing the business of the Council, and the Chairman may forthwith put the question on a motion being made by any member or from the Chair (no amendment, adjournment, or debate being allowed) "that such member be suspended from the service of the Council"

(b) If any such motion be carried and any member be suspended under this rule, his suspension on the first occasion shall continue for one month, on the second occasion for two months, and on the third or subsequent occasion for three months.

(c) Not more than one member shall be named at the same time, unless several members present together have jointly disregarded the authority of the Chair

(d) If any member or members acting jointly, who have been suspended under this by-law from the service of the Council, shall refuse at any time during the period of suspension to obey the directions of the Chairman of a meeting to withdraw from the precincts of the Council Chamber, the Chairman may direct such steps to be taken as are required to enforce his decision

Irrelevance or tedious repetition

21. The Chairman of a meeting after having called attention to the conduct of a member who persists in irrelevance or tedious repetition, either of his own, arguments or of the arguments used by other members in debate, may direct the member to discontinue his speech.

Disorderly conduct

22. (a) The Chairman of a meeting may order members whose conduct is grossly disorderly to withdraw

immediately from the Council Chamber during the remainder of that day's sitting, and may direct such steps to be taken as are required to enforce his order

(b) If on any occasion the Chairman of a meeting deems that his powers under this rule are inadequate he may name such member or members in pursuance of by-law 20.

Duty to obey order of suspension or withdrawal

23. Members who are suspended under by-law 20, or are directed to withdraw under by-law 22, shall forthwith withdraw from the precincts of the Council Chamber

Power to adjourn

24. An adjournment of the discussion of any question may be moved by a Councillor at any time and, if seconded, shall be forthwith put to the vote.

25. In the event of grave disorder arising at a meeting, the Chairman of the meeting may, if he thinks it necessary to do so, adjourn the meeting without putting the question of adjournment to the House, or suspend the meeting for a time to be named by him.

Rules for members speaking

26. In speaking to any proposition under consideration of the Council or a committee of the whole Council, the following rules shall be strictly observed—

(a) Every member shall, at a meeting, address his observations to the Chairman of the meeting and shall speak standing except in committee

(b) No member shall be interrupted while he is speaking unless he is out of order

(c) When any member finishes his observations he shall resume his seat, and any other member wishing to address the Council may then speak.

(d) A member shall not read his speech, but he may read extracts from written or printed papers in support of his arguments.

(e) If two members speak or desire to speak at the same time at a meeting, the Chairman of the meeting shall call on the member who first catches his eye

(f) Every member shall confine his observations to the subject under consideration.

(g) No member shall impute improper motives to any other member

(h) All remarks of a personal nature shall be avoided

(i) A member may speak to the question before the Council or any amendment proposed thereto.

(j) No member shall speak more than once on any proposition before the Council except in explanation or to order, or when the Council is in committee, or as is provided by by-law 11 (e).

(k) By the indulgence of the Council, a member may explain matters of a personal nature, although there be no question before the Council, but such matters may not be debated, and he must confine himself strictly to the vindication of his own conduct

(l) The mover of any resolution or motion may reply after all the members present have had an opportunity of addressing the Council and before the question is put, but he shall strictly confine himself to answering previous speakers, and shall not introduce any new matter into the debate. The right of reply shall not extend to the mover of an amendment

Committee of Council

27. The Council may at any time resolve itself into a committee of the whole Council and, on its resuming, the result of its deliberations shall be dealt with by the Council.

28. It shall be competent for any member at any stage of any discussion in a committee of the whole Council to move that the Council do resume. The question shall be put to the vote by the Chairman of the committee and if the motion is carried, the Council must immediately resume from committee.

Special committees

29. (a) The Council may from time to time appoint such special or standing committees, consisting of such

number of Councillors as it thinks fit for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting upon any matters connected with the purposes of the Town Councils Ordinance, No. 3 of 1946

(b) No such committee shall take any proceedings after the close of the year during which it shall have been so appointed as aforesaid

(c) The quorum for the meetings of every such committee shall be two unless otherwise specially fixed

(d) In the absence of the Chairman at a meeting of any committee, the members present shall choose one of their own members to preside, and such member shall for that meeting have all the powers of the Chairman.

(e) When a committee shall have agreed to a report the same shall be signed by each of the members thereof and shall, together with the minutes of proceedings, be submitted to the Council

(f) In the event of any division taking place in a committee, a record thereof shall be entered in the minutes together with a motion or resolution proposed, the name of the proposer, and the respective votes of the members present, and such minutes shall be submitted with the report of such committee.

30 The Press shall be excluded from all meetings of special and standing committees

Interpretation

31 In these by-laws, unless the context otherwise requires—

“ Chairman ” means the Chairman of the Council,

“ Council ” means the Teldeniya Town Council,

“ Councillor ” means a member of the Council,

“ meeting ” means a meeting of the Council or of any committee of the Council, and

“ Secretary ” means the Secretary of the Council

L. D.—B. 31/50/L. G. D.—GD. 14/36.

The Village Communities Ordinance

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Ninthavur village area in the Batticaloa 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, March 13, 1950

BY-LAWS RELATING TO OFFICERS

1. The Chairman may authorise in writing any other officer or person, to collect all taxes or fees due to the Committee and to issue printed receipts bearing the facsimile of his signature and the seal of the Committee

2 No person shall wilfully obstruct—

(a) the Chairman or any other officer of the Committee in the exercise, performance or discharge of any power, duty or function conferred, imposed or assigned to the Chairman or that other officer by or under any of the provisions of the Village Communities Ordinance, or of any by-laws made thereunder, or

(b) any servant or labourer employed by or on behalf of the Committee in the performance of any duty lawfully imposed upon him by the Chairman or any other officer of the Committee

3 In these by-laws—

“ Chairman ” means the Chairman of the Committee, and

“ Committee ” means the Village Committee of the Ninthavur village area

L.D.—B. 62/48.—L. G. D.—GB. 14/44.

The Village Communities Ordinance

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Palle Pattu village area in the Kukul Korale of the Ratnapura 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, March 11, 1950

BY-LAWS

Sale of meat

1 (1) No person shall, within the village area, use any shop or place (other than a market) for the sale of meat 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 issued under paragraph (1) of this by-law shall, unless it is earlier cancelled under by-law 26, expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which it is issued

2 No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 1 unless the premises to be licensed are in conformity with the following conditions—

(1) The premises must be in good repair and well ventilated and well lighted, and every room must be provided with windows which are capable of being opened, and the area of which when open is not less than one-fifteenth of the superficial floor space

(2) The walls of every room in every part must be not less than seven feet in height, and must be built of brick, stone, or cabook, with the inside thereof lime-plastered and lime-washed, and the lower internal surface of each such wall must be covered with glazed tiles or plastered in cement up to a height of four feet from the ground

(3) All the eaves must be at least six feet from the ground

(4) The roof must be made of some permanent material

(5) All the woodwork must be oil-painted or lime-washed

(6) The floor must be cemented throughout

(7) The premises must be provided with adequate drainage

(8) The premises must be provided with a sanitary dust bin and at least one spittoon and with sufficient latrine accommodation.

(9) The premises must be at least fifty feet distant from any latrine, cesspit, manure heap or open sewer

(10) There must be no cesspit, latrine or ashpit within, or directly communicating with the premises

3. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall keep affixed in a conspicuous position on the outside of the licensed premises a board with his name and the words “ Licensed meat stall ” legibly painted thereon in English, Sinhalese and Tamil.

4 Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause a copy of these by-laws relating to the sale of meat, in English, Sinhalese and Tamil, to be framed and hung in a prominent place in the licensed premises. He shall also keep in those premises a list of the names and the addresses of his employees so as to be at all times available for inspection

5 Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause the walls of every room forming part of the licensed premises except such parts as are covered with glazed tiles or are plastered in cement, to be lime-washed and all the woodwork to be lime-washed or, if oil-painted, to be washed with hot water and soap at least four times a year in the months of March, June, September and December, and at such other times as may be ordered by the Chairman in writing

6 The holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall not cause or permit any furniture which cannot be moved about for the purpose of cleaning the floor and the walls of the licensed premises to be used in those premises

7 Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause the top of every table on which meat is kept to be covered with zinc or other impermeable material

8 Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause the floor and the tiled or cemented portions of the

walls of the licenced premises and the tops of the tables and the chopping blocks used in those premises to be scrubbed and washed once every day. He shall cause all the hooks used for hanging meat to be kept polished and free from rust.

9. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall keep every part of the licensed premises and the furniture, utensils, and equipment used in connection with the storing, preparation or sale of meat in good repair, clean, and free from effluvia arising from any drain, latrine, cesspit or other nuisance.

10. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause a sanitary dust bin and at least one spittoon to be kept in the licensed premises so as to be easily accessible to those employed in those premises.

11. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall cause all refuse to be immediately placed in a covered receptacle made of zinc or galvanized iron, and to be removed daily from the licensed premises. He shall cause such receptacle to be kept always covered except at the times when refuse is being actually placed in it.

12. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall keep the licensed premises free from rats and shall cause all rat holes in those premises to be filled up with broken glass and plastered with cement as soon as he discovers them.

13. No person shall keep any animal or bird in any premises licensed under by-law 1 on any pretext whatsoever.

14. No person shall spit within any premises licensed under by-law 1 except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

15. No person who is suffering or has recently suffered from any infectious, contagious or cutaneous disease, or who has recently been in attendance on any person suffering from such a disease, shall enter any premises licensed under by-law 1 or take part in the storing, preparation or sale of meat therein, or in the transport of any meat thereto or therefrom.

16. No holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall permit the contravention by any person of by-law 14 or by-law 15.

17. No person shall keep in any premises licensed under by-law 1 any furniture, clothes, sleeping mats or articles other than those used for the purpose of the storing, preparation or sale of meat.

18. No holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall allow any place on the same level as the licensed premises and forming part of the same building to be used as a sleeping place, unless it is effectually separated from these premises by a partition extending from the floor to the ceiling and unless such sleeping place is provided with an external window, the area of which when open is not less than one-fifteenth of the superficial floor space.

19. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall keep in that stall an ample supply of potable water.

20. No holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall sell or expose for sale in the licensed premises the meat of any animal which has not been slaughtered in a public slaughter-house situated within the village area and declared and proclaimed under section 21 of the Butchers Ordinance (Chapter 201), or in a place appointed for the purpose of slaughtering animals under section 11 of that Ordinance, or under a permit issued under section 14 of that Ordinance.

21. Every holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall keep the licensed premises open daily for the sale of meat during the hours of 7 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. to 7 p.m.

22. No holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall allow any person employed by him to transport meat for sale from the licensed premises unless such person is in possession of a card of registration signed by the Chairman and by the holder of the licence.

23. No holder of a licence under by-law 1 shall permit any person employed by him to transport for sale from the licensed premises any meat otherwise than in a closed vehicle or a closed basket, tin or other suitable receptacle. He shall cause every such vehicle, basket, tin, or other receptacle to be kept clean at all times.

24. The Chairman shall, on application made to him by the holder of a licence under by-law 1, issue a card

of registration in respect of each person employed by the holder of the licence in transporting meat for sale.

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

(1) Where a box is used, the box must have the inside lined with zinc or other impermeable material and be fitted with a lid.

(2) Where a vehicle is used, the vehicle must be provided with—

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

26. It shall be lawful for the Rural Court, in addition to any other punishment that it may impose, to cancel any licence issued under by-law 1 on the second or subsequent conviction of the holder of the licence of any breach of any of these by-laws relating to the sale of meat; and the holder of the licence shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of the cancellation.

Officers

27. The Chairman may authorize in writing any officer or other person, to collect all taxes or fees due to the Committee and to issue printed receipts.

28. No person shall wilfully obstruct—

- (a) the Chairman or any other officer of the Committee in the exercise, performance or discharge of any power, duty or function conferred, imposed or assigned to such Chairman or officer by or under any of the provisions of the Village Communities Ordinance, or of any by-laws made thereunder; or
- (b) any servant or labourer employed by or on behalf of the Committee in the performance of any duty lawfully imposed upon him by the Chairman or any other officer of the Committee.

Land and property

29. No person shall destroy, damage or interfere with the use of any ambalam, madam, open space or place for public recreation.

30. No person shall destroy, damage or encroach upon, any waste or public land vested in, or under the control of the Committee.

31. No person shall remove any sand, earth, stone or growing plants or trees from, or in any way alter or deface the surface of, any waste or public land without the authority of the Chairman.

32. No horse, cattle, sheep, goat or swine shall be tethered or grazed upon any public land vested in the Committee without a permit from the Chairman. Every such permit shall be valid for a year or such shorter period as the Chairman may determine.

33. Any person thereto authorized in writing by the Chairman may seize any horse, cattle, sheep, goat or swine which he may find tethered or grazing on any public land without a permit under by-law 32.

34. Where any common pasture land has been set apart by the Committee for the use of any specified village, no person who is not resident in such village shall tether any cattle, or permit any cattle to stray upon that pasture land without the written permission of the Chairman.

35. 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.

36. Cattle (with the exception of buffaloes brought into the village area temporarily for purposes of cultivation) belonging to persons 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 for a month for each head of cattle.

37. 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.

38. In the case of two adjoining lands the owners or occupiers of such land shall be jointly responsible for seeing that a suitable boundary is marked or erected between such lands and that the boundary is maintained in good order.

39. (1) The owner or occupier of any land shall, on receipt of a written notice from the Chairman to that effect, mark or erect the boundaries of his land in such manner, and within such time, as may be specified in the notice.

(2) If the boundary is not marked or erected in the manner, or within the time specified in the notice, the Chairman may cause the boundary to be defined by a surveyor and the costs thereof may be recovered from the person making default as a debt due to the Committee.

40. No person shall knowingly or wilfully alter or deface, or do any act likely to damage, any fence or boundary on any land, or remove any landmark therefrom.

41. Any person may with the written authority of the Chairman, enter upon any private land within the village area for the purpose of 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.

Sale of provisions

42. No person shall keep any shop or place (other than a market) for the sale of poultry, fish, fruit, 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 of the year in respect of which it is issued.

43. Every holder of a licence under by-law 42 shall keep the poultry and fish apart from the vegetables, and the poultry in baskets so made that the birds may not suffer unnecessary discomfort.

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

Gambling, &c.

45. No person shall gamble with dice or cards, play games of chance for money or stakes or take part in betting of any kind.

46. No person shall allow any other person to gamble with dice or cards or to play any games of chance for money or stakes, in any house or premises occupied by him or belonging to him or under his control.

47. No person shall knowingly enter or remain in any room, building, boat, vehicle or other place in which gambling with dice or cards, or any game of chance for money or stakes, or betting is being carried on.

48. No person shall engage in cart-racing in any public thoroughfare.

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

Overhanging trees

50. Whenever any tree or the branch, fruit, or any other part of such tree is causing or is likely to cause damage to any building, or is in a condition dangerous or likely to be dangerous to the occupants of any building or to passers-by along any public thoroughfare, the Chairman may, by a notice served on the owner or occupier of the land upon which such tree stands, require such owner or occupier to cut down and remove, or tie up and make secure, such tree or the branch, fruit or other part of such tree, as the case may be, within such time as may be specified in the notice, and if such owner or occupier fails to comply with the requirements of such notice within the time specified therein, any workman authorized in writing by the Chairman may enter upon such land and do what was required by such notice and the expenses thereby incurred may be recovered from such owner or occupier as a debt due to the Committee.

Abatement of nuisance

51. 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 thereof, or to a passer-by, the Chairman may, by notice in writing served on the owner or occupier require him—

(a) in any case of urgency, to cause within twenty-four hours after the service of the notice, to put up a proper board or fence 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.

52. (1) Every owner or occupier served with any notice under by-law 51 shall comply with the requirements of such notice within the time specified therein.

(2) In any case of failure or refusal to comply with the requirements of a notice served under by-law 51, the Chairman may authorize any specified persons to do the work which ought to have been done and the expenses thereby incurred may be recovered from such owner or occupier as a debt due to the Committee.

53. No person shall keep or halt any cart on any public 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 cart.

54. 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 likely to be outraged; or

(b) ease himself on his own land, or on another's land, or on any public road, or path, or in any place other than that 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 things on land belonging to any other person or any public place or public road or path; or

(d) pelt stones or throw filth at the house of any other person; or

(e) expose any mat, cloth, or other article on, or on the side of, any public path, road, thoroughfare or public place in such a manner as to terrify animals or cause annoyance to the public; or

(f) allow children of tender years to play, or stray about on any public path, road, thoroughfare or public place or to commit a nuisance thereon.

Bread, &c.

55. The flour, water and other materials used in the manufacture of bread shall be good and wholesome, and it shall be lawful for the Chairman or any person authorized by him in writing from time to time to demand and obtain samples thereof.

Unwholesome food and drink

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

57. It shall be lawful for the Chairman, or the Medical Officer of Health, or the Sanitary Inspector or any person authorized 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.

58. Where any officer or person other than the Medical Officer of Health seizes any article of food or drink under by-law 57, 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.

59. Where an article of food or drink is seized under by-law 57, the person seizing the 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.

60. If the Medical Officer of Health who seized an article of food or drink under by-law 57, or the Medical Officer before whom an article of food or drink is produced under by-law 58, certifies such article to be unwholesome or unfit for human consumption, the Chairman shall cause such article to be destroyed or to be so disposed of as to prevent its being exposed for sale or used for human 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.

61. 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.

Construction of latrines

62. (1) Whenever the Committee defines an area within which the owner or lessee of any premises used for human habitation shall be required to construct and maintain a latrine, the Chairman may, by notice in writing served on the owner or lessee, direct the owner or lessee to construct a latrine of such type and size, and in such a position on the premises and with such connecting drains as may have been determined by the Committee and are specified in such notice.

(2) Every owner or lessee of premises on whom a notice is served under paragraph (1) shall, within thirty days of the service of such notice, or within such further time as may be allowed by the Chairman, construct a latrine conforming in all respects to the requirements specified in such notice.

63. No person shall construct or maintain a pit latrine within a radius of one hundred feet from any well, except with the permission of the Chairman.

Water supply

64. (1) No person shall allow a cesspit, cesspool, pigsty, 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, pigsty, gala, cattle-shed, pit latrine or defective drain or from any land regularly manured for the purpose of cultivation.

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

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

67. (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 such tree or branch to be tied up, cut down or removed.

(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.

Public notice

68. No person shall deface or destroy any notice which is exhibited by order of the Committee.

Interpretation

69. In these by-laws—

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee;
 “Committee” means the Village Committee of the village area; and
 “village area” means the Palle Pattu village area in the Kuruwiti Korale of the Ratnapura District.

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The Village Communities Ordinance

BY-LAWS under section 49 of the Village Communities Ordinance (Chapter 198), made by the Village Committee of the Kottawa village area in the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Talpe Pattu in the Galle 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, March 20, 1950.

BY-LAWS

Bakeries

1. In these by-laws—

“bakery” means any premises in which bread, biscuit, or confectionery is baked for sale as food for human consumption and includes any premises in which such food is prepared, or in which materials for the preparation of such food are stored;

“Chairman” means the Chairman of the Committee.
 “Committee” means the Village Committee of the Kottawa village area in the Divisional Revenue Officer's Division of Talpe Pattu in the Galle District;

“dairy” means any place where two or more cows are milked for the purpose of selling the milk,
 “village area” means the Kottawa village area.

2. (1) No person shall establish, or carry on the business of any bakery except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

(2) Every licence issued under this by-law shall 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 under by-law 2, unless the premises to be used as a bakery are in conformity with the following requirements—

(a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;

(b) the walls must be plastered with lime-mortar and whitewashed,

(c) the floor must be cemented;

(d) the premises must be provided with sufficient latrine accommodation and sufficient drains;

(e) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof,

(f) the premises must not be situated within thirty feet of any cesspit, permanent manure heap, latrine, or open sewer;

(g) the premises must be provided with a separate kneading room having a superficial floor space of not less than 12 feet by 10 feet;

(h) there must be a free external air space, not less than seven feet wide on at least two of those sides of the kneading room which contain doors or windows; and

(i) the door of the oven must not open directly into the kneading room.

4. The licensee of a bakery shall cause—

(a) all utensils, furniture, and other requisites used in or belonging to the bakery, to be kept clean,

(b) the tops of the tables in the bakery to be made of well seasoned, closely fitting planks, or of some non-harmful, impervious material and the tables to be scraped and cleaned daily;

(c) the floor of the bakery to be swept at least once in every twenty-four hours, and the sweepings to be placed immediately in an impervious and covered receptacle, and removed from the bakery daily;

(d) the premises of the bakery to be kept clean and free from effluvia arising from the drain, privy, or cesspit, and from any other similar nuisance,

(e) the floor which is used in the bakery to be kept on a platform raised at least three feet above the ground;

- (f) all refuse from the premises of the bakery to be removed and the drains to be flushed daily;
- (g) at least two spittoons to be kept in some part of the premises other than the kneading room, but so as to be easily accessible to those engaged in the manufacture of bread;
- (h) clean water, clean towels, a nail brush, and soap to be provided on the premises for the use of those engaged in the manufacture of bread; and
- (i) a copy in Sinhalese of these by-laws relating to bakeries to be exhibited in a conspicuous part of the bakery.

5. The licensee of a bakery shall not—

- (a) allow the bakery to be used as a place for sleeping or for keeping any animal or any article other than an article necessary for the purposes of the bakery;
- (b) allow any bread, biscuit, or confectionery to be exposed for sale otherwise than in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (c) allow any person engaged in the manufacture of bread, biscuit, or confectionery to use any flour, water, or other materials which are not good and wholesome;
- (d) use or keep in the bakery any furniture or equipment which cannot be moved about for the purpose of cleaning the floor; or
- (e) allow any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the premises of the bakery.

6. Every person employed in the preparation or baking of bread, biscuit, or confectionery, shall wash his hands before engaging in that process, and shall wear a clean white apron covering the chest, armpits and body, and also a white cap or turban.

7. No person shall spit within the premises of the bakery except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

8. No person who is suffering or has recently suffered from any contagious, cutaneous, or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any person in charge of a bakery to enter the bakery or to take part in the manufacture or sale of bread, biscuit, or confectionery, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

9. (1) It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health, or the Sanitary Inspector or any officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, at all reasonable times, and at any time when the process of kneading or baking is being carried on, to enter and inspect the bakery.

(2) The licensee, or the person in charge of the bakery shall permit the Chairman, or the Medical Officer of Health or the Sanitary Inspector or any officer authorised by the Chairman in writing to enter and inspect the bakery, and shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

10. 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 convicted twice or oftener of the breach of any of these by-laws relating to bakeries; and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of the cancellation.

Eating-houses, restaurants and tea and coffee boutiques

11. (1) No person shall establish, or carry on the business of, any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique, except on a licence issued in that behalf by the Chairman on the recommendation of the Medical Officer of Health.

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

12. No person shall be entitled to a licence under by-law 11 unless the premises to be used as any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique are in conformity with the following requirements:—

- (a) the premises must be well ventilated and well lighted;
- (b) the walls must be plastered with lime-mortar and whitewashed;
- (c) the floor must be cemented; and
- (d) a ceiling of suitable materials must be provided so as to prevent dirt and dust falling from the roof.

13. The licensee of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall cause—

- (a) the premises thereof to be kept in a clean and sanitary condition;
- (b) all utensils, furniture, or other equipment used in or belonging to the eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to be kept clean;
- (c) all refuse and dirt in or about the premises of the eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to be swept and removed twice daily;
- (d) all cakes, sweets, and other food exposed for sale on such premises to be kept in clean and properly constructed fly-proof glass cases;
- (e) all waste tea, coffee, or milk and all remnants of food to be collected in a fly-proof receptacle with a closely fitting lid or cover, and removed from such premises twice daily;
- (f) all utensils used in the preparation, sale, and consumption of food or drink to be washed with soap and water at least once in every twenty-four hours;
- (g) every utensil or receptacle to be washed immediately after it is used by a customer and before it is used by another customer; and
- (h) a list of names and addresses of all employees to be kept at all times in the premises so as to be available for inspection.

14. The licensee of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall not permit—

- (a) any waste tea, coffee, or milk, or any remnants of food to be thrown on the floor of the licensed premises; or
- (b) any gambling or disorderly conduct to take place on the licensed premises.

15. The licensee of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall cause at least two spittoons to be kept at all times on the licensed premises so as to be readily available to the visitors to the premises, as well as to the employees.

16. No person shall spit within the premises of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique except into a spittoon provided for the purpose.

17. No person who is suffering or has suffered from any contagious, cutaneous, or infectious disease, or has been in attendance on any person suffering from such disease, shall be permitted by any person in charge of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique to enter such place or take part in the preparation or sale of any food or drink therein until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

18. It shall be lawful for the Chairman or the Medical Officer of Health, or the Sanitary Inspector, or any officer authorised by the Chairman in writing, at all reasonable times, to enter and inspect any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique, and the licensee or the person in charge of any eating-house, restaurant, or tea or coffee boutique shall permit him to enter and inspect the premises, and shall render him all such assistance as may be necessary.

19. 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 convicted twice or oftener of the breach of any of these by-laws relating to eating-houses, restaurants, or tea or coffee boutiques, and the licensee shall not be entitled to any compensation in respect of the cancellation.

Roads and paths

20. (1) The width of every new public road shall be at least twelve feet.

(2) The width of every new public path, other than a public path through a paddy field, shall be at least four feet.

21. No person shall—

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

22. (1) It shall be the duty of the proprietors and cultivators of paddy fields through which any 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.

23. Whenever any work of construction or of repair is commenced on any public road or path, the Chairman shall have the power to prohibit the use of such path or road by the public for such time as may be necessary.

Public health and amenities, disorderly conduct

24. The owner or occupier of every house shall keep his premises clean and free from all weeds, rank vegetation 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.

25. (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 the 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 or to remove such tree within such time as may be specified in the notice.

(2) Every person to whom a notice is served under 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 requirement 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 what such person was required to do by such notice, and the expenses thereby incurred shall be recovered from such person as a debt due to the Committee.

26. No person shall cause any annoyance to any other person by publishing any obscene writing or by making any obscene drawing or by singing or reciting any obscene song or ballad, or do any other act which is likely to outrage public decency.

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

Dairies

28. No person shall keep a dairy of more than one cow unless he is the holder of a licence issued by the Chairman in that behalf.

29. Every person who desires to sell or offer for sale milk from one cow, shall cause himself to be registered in the books of the Committee as a registered supplier of milk and obtain a permit from the Chairman in that behalf.

30. No person shall sell, hawk, deliver, expose, carry, or offer for sale within the village area, any milk adulterated with water or any other foreign substance or liquid.

31. No person shall, at any time sell, expose, keep, carry, hawk, or offer for sale any milk within the village area, unless he is the licensee of a dairy or a registered supplier of milk or the authorised agent of such licensee or registered supplier.

32. Every licence holder, registered supplier or authorised vendor of milk shall carry his licence, permit, or written authority when carrying, delivering, hawking, or exposing milk for sale, and shall on demand made by any Sanitary Assistant or other person authorised thereto in writing by the Chairman, produce the same for inspection.

33. The licensee of a dairy shall cause all dung, refuse, urine, or washings to be removed from the dairy at least once a day, and disposed of at a suitable distance from the dairy in such manner as not to cause a nuisance.

34. The licensee of a dairy shall keep every part of the dairy and its surroundings in a clean and sanitary condition.

35. The licensee of a dairy shall not cause or permit any milk to be poured into any vessel which is not thoroughly cleansed and which is not used exclusively for the purpose of the dairy.

36. The licensee of a dairy shall not cause or permit milk to be stored in any vessel other than a vessel made of glass, porcelain, glazed earthenware, tin, or enamelled or galvanized iron.

37. 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 enter a dairy or take part in the preparation, sale, or transport of milk, until the periods of infection and incubation have elapsed.

38. The licensee of a dairy or a registered supplier of milk shall not use any stray cow or any cow suffering from any disease, for milking purpose.

39. It shall be lawful for the Chairman to suspend for such time as may be necessary any dairy licence issued under by-law 28 or a permit issued under by-law 29 in any locality where cattle disease of any kind prevails.

40. The Chairman, the Sanitary Assistant, or any person duly authorised thereto in writing by the Chairman may at any time or place within the village area, examine the milk of any dairy or any milk that is offered or carried for sale.

41. Every licence or permit issued under these by-laws shall expire on the thirty-first day of December of the year in respect of which such licence or permit is issued.

Posts - Vacant

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Post of Clerk-Draughtsman, Grade II, District Road Committee, Puttalam

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

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 840 per annum, rising by 22 annual increments of Rs. 72 to Rs. 2,424 per annum, with efficiency bars before Rs. 1,488 and Rs. 2,064 per annum. A rent allowance at Government rates and conditions and a temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates will be paid. No special temporary allowance is payable.

3. Applicants should be Ceylonese* and be not less than 17 years of age nor more than 35 years of age on April 17, 1950, and should have passed the Junior School Certificate (English) examination, or equivalent or higher examination. They should also furnish proof of having undergone a training in building construction and draughtsmanship at the Ceylon Technical College or possess equivalent qualifications. A knowledge of typewriting will be an additional qualification.

4. Applications will also be considered from persons holding permanent posts in the service of a Local Authority irrespective of age and academic qualifications, provided they are otherwise qualified for the post. 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 selected candidate will be on one year's probation or trial and will be subject to the provisions of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No 43 of 1945, and the regulations made thereunder.

6. The selected candidate may be required to furnish security either in cash or by fidelity guarantee bond through a guarantee association approved by the Commission.

7. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting, stating age, qualifications and experience, together with date and place of birth of father and copies only of testimonials, should reach the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, P. O. Box 530, Colombo, not later than April 17, 1950.

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.

P. O. Box 530,

Colombo, March 22, 1950.

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- (a) a citizen of Ceylon by descent or by registration; and
- (b) a person who has applied or intends to apply for citizenship of Ceylon by registration, and is deemed by the Minister for Defence and External Affairs to have a prima facie entitlement to such citizenship.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Two Posts of Veterinary Surgeon, Grade II, Veterinary Department, Municipal Council, Colombo

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

2. Each post carries a salary of Rs. 3,000 per annum, rising by 5 annual increments of Rs. 120 and 8 of Rs. 180 to Rs. 5,040 per annum, with an efficiency bar before Rs. 3,600 per annum, with prospects of promotion to the higher grade, which carries a salary of Rs. 5,160 per annum, rising by 7 annual increments of Rs. 360 to Rs. 7,680 per annum. A rent allowance and a temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates will be paid. No special temporary allowance is payable. A travelling allowance will be fixed by the Commission.

The selected candidates may be placed at a step in the scale according to qualifications and experience.

Pension rights of officers will be safeguarded, if released under section 21 of the Minutes on Pensions.

3. Applicants must be Ceylonese* and not more than 45 years of age on March 1, 1950. Applications from those in the Government Service and in the Local Government Service will be considered, irrespective of age.

4. Applications will be considered only from those possessing a Veterinary Science qualification of a recognized institute. Preference will be given to those possessing a degree in Tropical Veterinary Medicine and having experience in Veterinary work. A qualification in Bacteriology will be an added qualification.

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

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

7. The candidates selected will be debarred from private practice and will be required to reside within the city of Colombo.

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, on or before April 12, 1950.

9. The date and place of birth of the applicant's father should be stated.

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

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

V. C. JAYASURIYA,
Chairman,

Local Government Service Commission,
Colombo, March 22, 1950.

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Posts of Engineer (Temporary), Municipal Engineer's Department, Municipal Council, Colombo

APPLICATIONS are invited by the Local Government Service Commission from retired Engineers possessing the A.M.I.C.E. or equivalent or higher qualifications.

(1) *Engineer, Grade I*—

Salary scale: Rs. 8,040—1 of 360 & 9 of 480—
Rs. 12,720 per annum, 2 years on Rs. 10,800
& E. B. before Rs. 11,280.

(2) *Engineer, Grade II* (3 posts)—

Salary scale: Rs. 6,960—4 of 360 & 4 of 480—
Rs. 10,320 per annum. E. B. before Rs. 8,040.

A rent allowance and a temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates will be paid. A travelling allowance

will also be paid. No special temporary allowance is payable.

The selected candidates will be paid according to qualifications and experience.

2. The appointments will be on a temporary basis and are terminable at one month's notice.

3. Applications specifying the post applied for, and 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, on or before April 5, 1950.

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

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

V. C. JAYASURIYA,
Chairman,

Local Government Service Commission
P. O. Box 530,
Colombo, March 21, 1950

LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Post of Resthouse Keeper, Grade II, Kalpitiya, Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province

APPLICATIONS are invited for the above post.

2. The post carries a salary of Rs. 480 per annum, rising by 20 annual increments of Rs. 12 to Rs. 720 per annum, with efficiency bars before Rs. 576 and Rs. 672 per annum. A temporary cost of living allowance at Government rates will be paid. No special temporary allowance is payable. The following allowances are also payable—

- (1) Labourer's allowance Rs. 2.50 per mensem.
- (2) Compound allowance Rs. 10 per annum.
- (3) Linen allowance 12½ per cent. of the monthly collections
- (4) Light charges 10 cents per light per diem

Free quarters will be provided on the Resthouse premises.

3. Applicants should be Ceylonese and be not less than 25 years of age nor more than 40 years of age on April 15, 1950. They should possess a good knowledge of cookery and should be able to read and write both English and Sinhalese. Preference will be given to those who have had previous experience in Resthouse management.

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

6. The selected candidate will have to furnish Rs. 150 as security either in cash or by fidelity guarantee association.

7. Applications in the candidates' own handwriting, stating age, qualifications, date and place of birth of father, and experience, together with copies only of testimonials, should reach the Chairman, Provincial Road Committee, North-Western Province, Kurunegala, not later than April 15, 1950.

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

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

W. H. MOORE,
Chairman, P. R. C., N.W.P.

Kurunegala, March 16, 1950.

Municipal Council Proceedings

Minutes of Proceedings of the Monthly General Meeting of the Kandy Municipal Council held at the Town Hall, Kandy, at 9 a.m., on January 28, 1950, in pursuance of the Notice dated January 23, 1950.

Present.—E. L. Senanayake, Esq. (Mayor), presiding; A. A. Dharmasena, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Senator W. A. B. Soysa, Messrs. N. Wimalasena, A. S. Karunaratne, Fred E. de Silva, D. Ramanujam, P. B. A. Weerakoon, A. C. L. Ratwatte, P. L. P. Alwis, H. A. C. Wickremaratne, Hadji M. Usoof Ismail, T. B. Tennakoon, and H. B. Udurawana.

1. The minutes of proceedings of the monthly general meeting and of the special general meeting held on December 22, 1949, and of the first meeting of the Council and of the first general meeting of the Council held on January 12, 1950, copies whereof had been previously furnished to the members, were taken as read, and it was resolved that these minutes be approved and that they be signed by the Mayor as true records of the proceedings of the Council on these dates.

2. *Announcements by the Mayor.*—The Mayor stated that he had conducted an inspection of the Peradeniya Pumping Scheme on January 26, with Mr. Sanderson, the Waterworks Expert, and the Municipal Works Engineer, and he had observed that a quantity of water was entering one of the wells which was not in use, when water was being pumped out of the other well and this was evidently due to a leak in the valve, which had been overlooked by the Public Works Department.

Mr. A. S. Karunaratne asked the Mayor to make strong representations to the Minister on the matter as it was clear that the work was being delayed from month to month owing to the callousness and negligence of the Public Works Department.

Mr. Wimalasena observed that if the Council had control of these operations the work could have been completed expeditiously and suggested that the Minister should be asked to place the Council in full control of the work. Mr. Wimalasena also enquired when the new well would be functioning.

The Mayor stated that it would be the middle of March when the new well would be functioning. The delay was due to the fact that the well had not been de-silted before the pump house was built on it.

Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne asked that the Mayor should see the Minister personally as letters had little effect, and that he (the Mayor) should prepare a full statement setting out the history of the matter and circulate it to the Council.

The Mayor stated that Mr. Sanderson was himself dissatisfied with the manner in which operations were proceeding and had promised to make a report to the Minister. He said he would see the Minister, thereafter.

3. The following statements and reports were tabled:—

- (1) Statements of receipts and disbursements in respect of the General Revenue Account for November, 1949, and in respect of the Electricity Department Revenue Account for September and October, 1949.
- (2) Progress Report of the Municipal Electrical Engineer for August 1949.
- (3) Report of the Medical Officer of Health for the month of November, 1949.
- (4) Inspectors' Reports on Laundries and Bakeries for November, 1949.
- (5) Reports on Public Latrines for November, 1949.
- (6) Reports of the Municipal Free Ayurvedic Dispensaries for the month of December, 1949.
- (7) Works Engineer's Report for the month of November, 1949.
- (8) Minutes of the meeting of the Public Assistance Committee held on December 22, 1949.
- (9) Reservoir readings for the week ended January 27, 1950.

4. *Memorials, petitions, complaints and communications addressed to the Council:*—

(1) Mr. D. Ramanujam drew attention to the fact that Works Department labourers had not been paid their increments in accordance with the wages' scale approved for them by the Council this year, and he wished the Mayor to look into the matter.

(2) Mr. A. C. L. Ratwatte drew attention to the disfigurement of the Council's pillar boxes by people pasting placards, &c., on them. This entailed extra labourers being employed by the Council to remove the placards. He asked that steps be taken to prosecute persons who displayed advertisements on streets and placards on pillar boxes without authority.

The Mayor stated that he had consulted the Police in the matter, but it was difficult for the Police to proceed against the offenders unless they were caught in the act of putting up the posters and placards.

(3) Mr. Fred E. de Silva suggested that the number of bends in Halloluwa Road be widened, as they were a source of danger to vehicular traffic on that road.

(4) Mr. Wimalasena mentioned that he had occasion some time ago to suggest that Government assistance be obtained with a view to enable the Council to formulate a sufficient number of relief schemes for providing employment to unemployed persons. He asked whether any money had been received for that purpose.

Mr. Wickremaratne enquired whether the census of the unemployed for which money had been provided by the Council in consequence of a motion introduced by him in the Council, had been undertaken.

The Mayor explained that unemployment relief scheme now in operation provided work for 600 persons. He stated that the work was appointed by the Labour Department and the Council had only nominal control. The grant provided would be exhausted at the end of March and he had applied for more funds to be provided.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva stated that these labourers did not do a day's work and were often engaged in playing cards. The supervision was very deficient. The Council's own labourers were not adequately supervised in areas like Lady McCallum's Drive where they were detailed for work, and did not give value for the wages paid to them.

Mr. Ramanujam agreed that this state of affairs was attributable to the lack of proper supervision by the overseers.

Mr. Wimalasena suggested that work should be assigned on a 'piece' basis to them. That was the only method by which value could be had for the money paid to them.

(5) Mr. A. S. Karunaratne stated that there was a general complaint that workmen of the Electricity Department did private work for customers. He suggested that strong action should be taken against the workmen who were detected doing such work.

5 *Questions.*—Nil

6 *Notice of motions.*—Nil

7. Mr. Fred E. de Silva moved.—“That the Council proceed to the consideration of the recommendations of the Standing Committees listed under items 8 and 9 in the agenda, and that the Council thereafter adjourn the sitting for January 30 and dispose of the motions on the agenda on that day.”—Mr. Ramanujam seconded.

The Council having accepted the motion, the recommendations of the Standing Committees were considered.

8 *Reports of the Standing Committees.*—The following extract from the minutes of the Standing Committee on 'Law, General Subjects and Electricity' was considered:—

To consider letter No. CI 382 of November 23, 1949, from the Assistant Superintendent of Police, C. P., with reference to representations made by the Registrar, Supreme Court, and the District Judge, Kandy, to the Police suggesting:—

(a) that the quadrangle known as the Kachcheri Square and the road leading from Malabar Street to Kachcheri Square be declared a 'Silence Zone' between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m.

(b) that the parking of vehicles on the road leading from Malabar Street to Kachcheri Square be prohibited and this portion of the road be declared a 'No Parking' area between the hours of 8 a.m. and 6 p.m. (Cir 926 A & C).

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends the adoption of the proposals at (a) and (b) subject to the prohibition being effective between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. in each case.

It was resolved that the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

9. The following extracts from the minutes of the meeting of the Standing Committee on Finance and Establishment held on January 21, 1950, were considered:—

(1) With reference to estimate 58 in the 1949 Budget, providing for the cost of construction of public lavatory in the vicinity of the Malwatta Temple in Victoria Drive, it was reported that the site suggested was unsuitable, and the Medical Officer of Health had inspected a site in Mosque Road with the Works Engineer and had recommended the use of the Mosque Road site for the purpose.

The Works Committee recommends that the Council approve of the lavatory being constructed on the new site suggested for it in Mosque Road.

Deferred, with a view to enable the Mayor to inspect and report on the suitability of an alternative site suggested for the purpose within premises of the Lake Spill Stores.

It was resolved that a decision on the matter await the report of the Mayor on the suitability or otherwise of the alternative site proposed for the purpose.

(2) With reference to M. C. Resolution No. 8 (11) of July 30, 1949, to consider letter from Messrs. John Pook & Co of Great Tower Street, London E.C. 3, dated August 22, 1949, indicating the terms on which they are prepared to act as the Council's Agents in the United Kingdom for the purpose of procuring for the Council its requirements of materials, &c., from manufacturers.

As the Municipal Electrical Engineer suggested that if such agents are appointed it would also be necessary to have a firm of Consulting Engineers in the United Kingdom to attend to inspection of electrical materials ordered during the course of manufacture, and to advise on the most suitable type of equipment to be procured, having regard to the latest developments in the electrical industry. Messrs. Preece, Cardew & Rider, Consulting Engineers to the Ceylon Government, were addressed and asked on what terms they would offer their services for that purpose. Their letter of October 27, 1949, indicating their terms is also submitted. (Cir 843 C).

The Finance Committee recommends that the Council approve of Messrs. John Pook & Co. being appointed as the Council's agents in the United Kingdom for this purpose, and of Messrs. Preece, Cardew & Rider's services being availed of as Consulting Engineers whenever the Council deems such consultation necessary on the terms suggested by the two firms in their letters.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(3) Premises Nos. 32/1, 32/2 and 32/3, Cemetery Road, were acquired by the Council, in connection with the scheme to construct a car park near the cemetery for the use of the public; but as funds have not been provided for this purpose no use is being made of the buildings standing on these premises.

Mr. Kahapola has applied for the use of the buildings at premises Nos. 32/2 and 32/3 for purposes of an industrial school. He is prepared to pay rent at Rs. 12.50 per mensem, to maintain the buildings in a proper state of repair at his cost and to vacate them at any time on a week's notice.

The works Engineer has inspected and he recommends that in respect of the building at 32/1, the materials thereof be auctioned, the buyer demolishing the building without causing damage to the buildings on the other two premises.

Sanction is required to take action as proposed by the Works Engineer in respect of the building at premises No. 32/1 and to allow Mr. Kahapola the use of the remaining houses at 32/2 and 32/3 for a period of 10 months, on the terms and conditions mentioned by him. (Cir 869 C).

The Finance Committee recommends that the application be refused and that steps be taken to demolish the buildings, with a view to the use of the open space for a car park pending the provision of necessary funds for construction of a proper car park.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(4) To consider applications received for the post of Fireman, Kandy Municipal Fire Brigade.

Twenty candidates were interviewed by the Law Committee, out of whom the following three candidates were found by the Committee to possess all the qualifications prescribed in the notice calling for applications:—

V. J. Jayawardena,
G. R. Dingiri Appuhamy, and
S. M. Buhary.

The Law Committee recommends that S. M. Buhary be appointed to the post in consideration of the fact that he had been previously employed in the Brigade and possesses experience of fire brigade work.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Commissioner be authorized to appoint Mr. S. M. Buhary for the post, if he is satisfied that the applicant possesses the prescribed educational qualification.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(5) An application made by Messrs. SP. RM. M. Ramanathan Chettiar and SP. RM. M. Natarajan Chettiar, who have established themselves in electrical business at 112, Trincomalee Street, under the name 'Central Radio Service', for a certificate of competency to practise as electrical contractors within the Kandy Municipal Council's electricity supply area, together with the recommendation of the M. E. E. that a certificate be issued to be effective for the period the work done by the firm is supervised by Mr. M. A. Raphael, who is in the employment of the firm, was before the Electricity and Finance Committees at their meetings held in August, 1949.

The Law and Electricity Committee is opposed to the policy of registering non-Ceylonese as contractors, and it recommends that the application be refused. (Cir. 768 A & C)

The Finance Committee recommends that the application be refused.

It was resolved that the application be refused, as recommended by the Finance Committee.

(6) Mr. Donald Obeysekera was allowed a lease of M. C. land depicted as lot 2 in P.P. 6,990, 18.2 perches in extent, which adjoins his property in Gregory Road, for a period of five years commencing on January 1, 1944, by agreement No. 874, which he executed with the Council on April 13, 1945, at a rental of Rs. 2.50 per annum, on terms and conditions indicated in this agreement which is annexed.

The lease expired on December 31, 1948. Approval of Council is required for renewing the lease for a further period of 5 years from January 1, 1949, on the same rental, terms and conditions. (Cir. 827 A & C).

The Law Committee does not recommend the renewal of the lease.

The Finance Committee recommends that the lease be renewed for a further term of 5 years from January 1, 1949, on the same rental, terms and conditions.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(7) To consider the following motion which was moved by Mr. P. B. A. Weerakoon at the meeting of the Council held on August 27, 1949, with the report of the Medical Officer of Health thereon:—

"This Council purchases a five acre block of land from Watapuluwa Estate for a Cemetery and the present Cemetery at Mawilmada be closed. (Cir. 822 B & C)"

The Health Committee is not in favour of the proposal and recommends that the present cemetery at Mawilmada be retained.

The Finance Committee recommends that Health Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that papers be referred back to the Health Committee for reconsideration of its earlier recommendation and further report.

(8) To consider application from Distrainging Inspector Liyanage for the higher travelling allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem to be paid to him from October 20, 1949, in view of the fact that Distrainging Inspectors who collect rates are paid this allowance and he has been doing rate collection work from that date (Cir 920 C)

The Finance Committee recommends that in view of the scheme adopted by the Council in connection with the payment of travelling allowances, the Council informs him that it is not possible to pay him an enhanced allowance. He is eligible to receive the allowance of Rs. 30 per mensem under this scheme if he uses and maintains a motor cycle for his travelling.

It was resolved that papers be referred back to the Finance Committee for reconsideration of its recommendation and further report.

(9) To consider letter from Mr. C. A. Christiansz, Master Senior Waterworks Inspector, for a bonus in consideration of his meritorious service (Cir. 934 C).

The Finance Committee recommends that the request be refused as there is no provision to grant such a bonus in the Council's by-laws.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(10) To consider application from Mr. J. V. R. La Brooy, Plumber, Works Department, for a bicycle allowance. (Cir 951 C & D)

The Finance Committee recommends that Mr. La Brooy be paid the prescribed travelling allowance of Rs. 7 per mensem for the use and maintenance of a bicycle.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(11) To approve of the confirmation of M. Sinniah, in his post of Cemetery Labourer, with effect from May 1, 1948. He completed his probationary period of one year on May 1, 1949. The M. O. H. reports that his work has been satisfactory and recommends his confirmation. (Cir. 957 M. C.)

The Finance Committee recommends that Sinniah be confirmed in his post with effect from May 1, 1948.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(12) With reference to M. C. Resolution No. 8 (65) of December 22, 1949, to table further letter received from the Secretary, Local Government Service Commission, stating that the post of typist is a scheduled post to which the Commission should make the appointment, and as the Council was desirous of having a junior typist for purely routine typewriting work, the Commission had decided to assign the salary scale Rs. 660—24 of 42—1,668, E. B. before Rs. 1,206, to the post and to appoint Mr. B. G. Liard thereto. (Cir 29 C)

The Finance Committee recommends that the Council agree to accept Mr. Liard's appointment on these terms.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(13) With reference to M. C. Resolution No. 8 (9) of March 26, 1949, to consider the report of the M. O. H. suggesting the construction of a temporary shed in the market grounds in line with the packing shed office of the Marketing Department to serve as the fish stall of the Department of Fisheries, and estimate of Rs. 1,300 from the Works Engineer for constructing the temporary shed.

The Works Committee recommends that the Director of Fisheries be allowed the site referred to, for one year, at a ground rent of Rs. 5 per mensem, if he is prepared to put up the temporary shed at his expense. If the land is required for any Municipal purpose any time after the expiry of the period of one year, the

Director of Fisheries to be given six months' notice of the Council's intention to terminate the occupation of the ground. The Health Committee does not think that the establishment of a stall for this purpose outside the Public Market is desirable, and it recommends that the proposal be rejected.

The Finance Committee agrees with the Health Committee and recommends that the proposal be rejected.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(14) To consider the following motion which was moved by Mr. D. B. Wadugodapitiya at the meeting of the Council held on November 26, 1949:—

“That the portion of Crown land opposite the Kandy Police Station be opened up as a Children's Recreation Park”.

The Works Engineer reports that the Crown land referred to is only 32.5 perches in extent and that it is unsuitable for such a purpose. (Cir. 8 MC)

The Works Committee does not recommend the proposal in view of the unsuitability of the land for this purpose.

The Finance Committee recommends that Government be requested to vest the land in the Council, and that steps be taken to maintain it in good condition to enable children in the vicinity to use it as a play centre, if and when the land is vested.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(15) To consider the following motion which was moved by Mr. Fred E. de Silva, at the meeting of the Council held on July 30, 1949:—

“That immediate steps be taken to build 2 public lavatories at the Wembley area and the Baldiwatte Lane at Katukelle.”

The M. O. H.'s report suggesting two sites in these areas which he considers suitable for erecting the lavatories is submitted. (Cir 953 M C)

The Health Committee recommends that the construction of one public lavatory on the site near Baldiwatte suggested by the Medical Officer of Health be approved.

The Finance Committee recommends that action be taken in terms of the Health Committee's recommendation, and that water carriage system of drainage be provided for the lavatory.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(16) To consider the question of leasing an additional extent of M. C. land in Mahaiyawa of 3 11 perches, to the Salvation Army for the purpose of enabling them to effect extensions to their school. The school has been built on M. C. land which is under lease to the Salvation Army for a period of 50 years from April 1, 1938, at a rental of Re 1 per annum. (Cir. 21 C.)

The Finance Committee recommends that the additional extent of land required be leased at a nominal rental of Re. 1 per annum, the lease being effective for the duration of the existing lease, i.e., until March 31, 1988.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(17) Mr. P. de Lanerolle completed his probationary period of one year on January 4, 1950, in the post of Secretary, Municipal Council, and his confirmation has now to be considered.

The Municipal Commissioner recommends that he be confirmed. (Cir. 16 C)

The Finance Committee recommends that Mr. de Lanerolle be confirmed in the post with effect from January 4, 1949.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(18) To consider letter received from the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, stating that the Commission was not able to find a suitable candidate for appointment as Assistant Municipal Electrical Engineer, and inviting the further views of the Council as to the terms on which the post should be re-advertised.

Considered by the Law and Electricity Committee together with item 20, on its agenda which was as follows:

To consider letter No. AC. 154 dated January 17, 1950, from the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, forwarding an application received from Mr. A. C. H. Pereira for the post of Assistant Municipal Electrical Engineer, and enquiring whether the application could be considered since Mr. Pereira possesses the prescribed qualifications and the Chief Engineer and Manager, Government Electrical Undertakings, is prepared to release him in the event of his appointment. (Cir. 25 A & C.)

As Mr. Pereira possesses the prescribed qualifications, the Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the Council agree to his appointment for the post by the Local Government Service Commission.

The Finance Committee recommends that Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

Deferred, at the request of Senator W. A. B. Soysa, for consideration at the adjourned meeting of the Council on January 30, 1950.

(19) To consider whether the names of those persons who have been recommended by the Police for the issue of hawkers' permits in respect of the Market Street bus stand but have failed to obtain such permits should be struck off with a view to the cases of several other persons who have applied for such permits but whose names do not appear in the Police list, being taken up for consideration. (Cir. 9 M. C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that if the defaulting hawkers in the list do not obtain hawking permits in respect of the Market Street bus stand by January 25, their names be struck off and that the cases of the applicants on the waiting list for such permits be considered.

The Finance Committee recommends that Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(20) To consider Municipal Commissioner's report dated November 28, 1949, on an inquiry he made into certain irregularities touching the work of the Electricity Rentals Clerk, Mr. B. H. Sariffodeen. (Cir. 3 M. C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that papers be referred to the Mayor with a view to his framing charges against the officer and taking action in terms of regulations 47 and 48 of the L. G. S. C. Regulations.

The Finance Committee recommends that action be taken in terms of the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(21) To consider memo. dated December 14, 1949, from the M. B. E. stating that the post of Mains Foreman, Electricity Department, is vacant, and setting out the qualifications required. He also suggests that the designation be changed to that of Electrical Foreman. (Cir. 2 M. C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the Local Government Service Commission be asked to fill the post of Mains Foreman, and it does not consider any change in the designation necessary.

The Finance Committee recommends that Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(22) With reference to M. C. Resolution No. 8 (2) of November 26, 1949 (copy annexed), Mr. V. Caruppiah executed the lease in respect of the Empire Theatre site on the terms and conditions indicated in this resolution at the Town Hall on November 30, 1949, and he was given possession of the Empire Theatre site on December 1, 1949.

Formal approval is required to withdraw the notice served on him that he should quit and vacate and yield possession of the site, at which the Wales Theatre stands,

to the Council on January 1, 1950, in view of Mr. Caruppiah having executed the Empire Theatre site lease within the stipulated time. (Cir. 900 M. C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the Council approve of the notice served on Mr. Caruppiah being withdrawn in the circumstances mentioned.

The Finance Committee recommends that the notice be withdrawn, but that Mr. Caruppiah's attention be drawn to the fact that on no condition would the Council allow any extension of time in respect of the Wales Theatre site and that he must quit and vacate and yield possession of the Wales Theatre site on December 1, 1950, or sooner if he completes the construction of the new theatre, as stipulated in the lease bond.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(23) With reference to M. C. Resolution No. 8 (40) of October 29, 1949, to consider further report from the Municipal Electrical Engineer pointing out that Switch-board Attendant D. D. Perera had completed six years' service as a Switch-board Operator, and recommending that he be placed on the L. G. S. C. Grade II Salary Scale for Switch-board Operators in consideration of such service. (Cir. 952 A and C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the L. G. S. C. be asked to place Switch-board Attendant Perera in Grade II since he has completed the requisite period of six years' service.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(24) In terms of M. C. Resolution No. 8 (1) of November 26, 1949, the Council's lawyer was asked to institute an action against Mr. Jainulabdeen in respect of his breach of market by-law 68.

The Council's lawyer does not think a prosecution can be maintained for the reasons set out in his report of December 5, 1949, which is annexed. (Cir. 943 A and B.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the provisions in the main Ordinance and the relevant by-law be amended to make it possible for the Council to cancel the licence and to terminate the tenancy of a stall holder for breach of any market by-law.

So far as the present case is concerned, it suggests that the Commissioner be asked to see whether any action can be taken to impose a penalty on Mr. Jainulabdeen for having committed a breach of the by-laws.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(25) The resolution passed by the Council on September 24, 1949, disowning liability to construct the bridge to premises No. 2A, Gregory Road, in view of the provision of section 81 of M. C. Ordinance, No. 29 of 1947, was conveyed to Mr. Martin Silva.

Mr. G. B. de Silva, Proctor for Mr. Martin Silva, has written on behalf of Mr. Martin Silva demanding the sum of Rs. 4,775 as damages alleged to have been sustained by his client on account of the refusal and neglect, on the part of the Council to construct the overhead bridge.

The Council's lawyer's report on the claim and a memo. from the Works Engineer are submitted for consideration. The Council's lawyer suggests that the opinion of Counsel be obtained in the matter. (Cir. 930 A and C.)

In view of the Works Engineers' memo. the Law Committee does not consider that there is any need to obtain the opinion of counsel on the matter and it recommends that the Council stand by the decision made by it on September 24, 1949.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Law Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(26) To obtain sanction for the purchase of spare parts for Power Station Engines Nos. 2 and 3, described in the M. E. E's application of November 28, 1949, from the English Electric Co., through their Agents, Messrs. Walker Sons & Co., Ltd., at a cost of Rs. 6,379 24 and rail freight thereon.

The expenditure is provided for under Electricity Department estimate 4C in the Budget for 1949. (Cir. 925 A and C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the purchase of the spare parts in question be sanctioned and that the available balance in estimate 4C of the 1949 Budget be re-voted for the purpose.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(27) To obtain sanction of the Council for the payment of a sum of Rs. 622.76 in excess of amounts in their accepted quotations for the supply of 7,000 yards of cable to the Electricity Department to Messrs. The British Insulated Callendar's Cables, Limited. The payment is necessitated by the increase in the manufacturing costs of the cable. (Cir. 26 A and C.)

The Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the payment of the additional sum of Rs. 622.76 due to Messrs. Callendar's Cables, Limited, on this account be sanctioned.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(28) The Municipal Electrical Engineer having stated to the Law and Electricity Committee that the work of improvement of lighting is being held up as the necessary transformers could not be purchased through the agents with reasonable expedition, the Committee desired him in association with the Municipal Commissioner to negotiate for the purchase of certain transformers which are available from military authorities and to meet the cost thereof out of the funds provided on stores account, pending sanction of Council.

The Finance Committee recommends that the Council approve of action being taken in terms of the Law and Electricity Committee's direction, and that purchase of any suitable transformers from this source be authorized on stores account, pending sanction of Council.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(29) To consider tenders received for the right to trade in vegetable stall No. 107, Public Market.

In view of the circumstances in which the stall was originally given to Mr. Handy Silva, the late licensee, and of the facts set out in the M. V. S' Report of December 13, 1949, the Health Committee is of opinion that the tender made by Mr. Premadasa, the brother of the late licensee, deserves special consideration, and the Committee recommends that this tender be accepted and Mr. Premadasa be allowed to occupy the stall on the premium of Rs. 436 offered by him, subject to the definite condition that Mr. Handy Silva should not trade in the stall or have any interest, financial or otherwise, in the business or contact with the stall.

The Finance Committee recommends that Health Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(30) M. Veeriah, Dispensary Clinic Labourer, completed his probationary period of one year on January 5, 1950.

The M. O. H. recommends that he be confirmed in his post with effect from January 5, 1949. (Cir. 40 B and C.)

The Finance Committee recommends that Veeriah be confirmed in his post accordingly.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(31) As it was reported that St. Anthony's College had made a number of extensions from the water supply allowed to the College for the use of certain buildings which had been erected at the College premises, the

Works Engineer was directed to go into the question as to what quantity of water the College was eligible to receive by virtue of the rates paid by them. The Works Engineer reports that the free allowance these College is eligible to receive is 245,600 gallons per quarter but that tests made indicate that the College is using 765,000 gallons per quarter—519,400 gallons per quarter in excess of the free allowance.

The Works Engineer desires instructions as to whether the College should be addressed on the matter and a meter fixed to permit of charges being levied for the excess. The cost of purchasing a meter and installing it for that purpose is Rs. 500. (Cir. 801 C & D.)

The Works Committee recommends that the Works Engineer be asked to make a report indicating what quantity of water should be allowed, free of charge, in respect of the day school conducted at the College, having regard to the number of children attending, with a view to the Council fixing the limit of the free allowance in the case of the School, and that steps be taken to meter the supplies used at other buildings.

The Finance Committee recommends that Works Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(32) To obtain sanction for having paid Mr. S. C. Misso, Surveyor, a fee of Rs. 175 in connection with the survey of the trace of the water main to be laid to the Dangolla Housing Scheme from Prospect Hill and preparation of plans thereof. (Cir. 1 M.C.)

The Works Committee recommends that sanction be allowed for the payment of the fee of Rs. 175 made to Mr. Misso in this connection.

The Finance Committee recommends that the payment be sanctioned. (The Finance Committee notes with concern the delay on the part of the Municipal Surveyor in giving expeditious attention to survey work which necessitates additional expenditure being incurred by the Council, as in this case, and it wishes the Works Engineer to submit a report on his work.)

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(33) With reference to the vote of Rs. 21,000 provided in the budget for the purchase of a light diesel road roller, the Works Engineer has called for quotations from well-known firms in Colombo, and he recommends that the Aveling-Barford 3½—4-ton roller which is suitable for M. C. purposes and worth the price of Rs. 18,900 quoted for it by Messrs. Brown & Co. Ltd., be purchased.

In view of the fact that Messrs. Brown & Co., Ltd., have only this roller in stock, and there is a likelihood of its sale if it is not booked immediately, the Works Engineer requires immediate sanction for its purchase. (Cir. 14 M.C.)

The Works Committee recommends that authority be granted for the purchase of the Aveling-Barford 3½—4 ton roller referred to, from Messrs. Brown & Co., Ltd.

The Finance Committee recommends that Works Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(34) With reference to the vote of Rs. 4,000 allowed by the Municipal Council at its meeting held on November 26, 1949, for the purchase of a tar boiler and sprayer, to approve of the purchase of the tar boiler from Messrs. Hoare & Co., at a cost of Rs. 1,560 and of two Colas sprayers from Messrs. The Shell of Ceylon Ltd., Agents for Colas, at a cost of Rs. 1,950, in terms of the report of the Works Engineer dated January 4, 1950. (Cir. 11 M.C.)

The Works Committee recommends that sanction be allowed for the purchase of the tar boiler and the two Colas sprayers accordingly.

The Finance Committee recommends that Works Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(35) To consider applications received for the post of Temporary Surveyor.

The Works Engineer reports that only one of the applicants, Mr. S. C. K. R. Misso, has all the qualifications set out in the advertisement calling for applications, and

he recommends that Mr. Misso be appointed. The Works Engineer also suggests that Mr. Misso be paid an additional allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem in consideration of the use of his own private instruments for survey work, since the employment of Mr. Misso is to be of short duration and it will not be possible for the Council to purchase instruments for his use just now (Cir. 13 M.C.)

It was pointed out that according to the direction contained in L.G.S.C. Circular No. 48 of January 9, 1950, a temporary appointment to a scheduled post had to be made by the Commission.

The Works Committee recommends that in view of the direction and of the fact that the post of Surveyor is a scheduled post, the Local Government Service Commission be asked to appoint Mr. Misso on the terms suggested.

The Finance Committee observes that the definition of 'appointment' in the L.G.S. Regulations enacted on July 4, 1947, does not include 'temporary' appointments to scheduled posts. It has been the practice hitherto, for the executive to make temporary appointments pending sanction of Council, to scheduled posts, whenever the exigencies of the service required the employment of such officers for short periods. Several months elapse before the Commission is able to fill a vacancy caused in the service, and if on every such occasion the Commission's sanction had to be obtained before making temporary arrangements for the work, serious inconvenience and difficulties would be experienced, which may even have the effect of disorganising a service.

The Committee's attention having been drawn to the fact that the proposed regulations for amending the existing regulations referred to, sought to place a wider interpretation on the definition of 'appointment' by including 'temporary' appointments, the Committee wishes the Mayor to inform the Commission that the proposal is unworkable and does not serve the Municipal interest.

In the present case as the Council urgently needs a temporary Surveyor for a period of five months to assist the Works Engineer to clear the accumulated arrears of survey work, the Committee recommends that the Council appoint Mr. Misso on the terms approved earlier, and ask the L.G.S.C. for covering sanction if the L.G.S.C. holds such sanction to be necessary, after considering the points now raised.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Finance Committee be adopted.

(36) To consider quotations received for the supply of G.S. piping, pipe fittings, cement and other materials required by the Works Department.

Approval is required to accept the rates in each case initialled by the Works Engineer in the accompanying schedule and to make purchases from the firms concerned (Cir. 37 C & D.)

The Works Committee recommends that approval be allowed accordingly.

The Finance Committee recommends that Works Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(37) With reference to the decision made by the Council (M.C. 8 (66) of December 22, 1949) accepting the tender of Mr. D. D. I. Fernando for Rs. 74,542 for the construction of houses, approach roads, &c. connected with Group 'D' of the Mavilmada Housing Scheme, as recommended by the Works and Finance Committees of the Council, to consider memo. from the Commissioner dated January 12, 1950, pointing out that the recommendation of two committees will have to be considered afresh at the next meeting of the Council, with notice to the Town Planner and the Treasury, as the conditions required that the Town Planner and a representative of the Treasury should be present at the M.C. meeting at which tenders are considered, and this condition had not been complied with.

Petition from Mr. V. Navaratnam dated December 27, 1949, urging reasons why his tender for this work should be considered by the Council is also submitted. (Cir. 34 C. & D.)

The Works Committee having noted the contents of the petition and the fact that the earlier decision made on the joint recommendation of the Works and Finance Committees by the Council was irregular, is of opinion that this recommendation be reviewed, and that the work should be entrusted to Mr. Navaratnam at his tendered figure of Rs. 68,925, especially in view of his experience of this work and the large saving involved.

It has been brought to the notice of the Finance Committee that there was a special condition requiring notice to be given to the Town Planner and the Treasury of the Council meeting at which tenders are considered. As that condition has not been observed it appears to the Committee that the resolution of the Council No. 8 (66) of December 22, 1949, is *ab initio* void.

The Finance Committee therefore recommends that the matter be considered afresh by the Council in the presence of the Town Planner and representative from the Treasury.

Notice having been given to the Treasury and the Town Planner earlier that tenders would be considered at the Municipal Council's meeting on January 28, 1950, Mr. D. Amarasinghe of the Treasury and Mr. Gunaratne, Assistant Town Planner, were present when this item was taken up.

The Mayor indicated to the Council that the question had been submitted to the Works and Finance Committees at their joint meeting held at 8.40 a.m. for consideration and that these committees in consultation with the representatives of the Treasury and the Town Planner's Department, had recommended that the tender of Rs. 68,925 of Mr. Navaratnam be accepted, subject to his complying with all requirements prescribed for the tender, and the maintenance period being varied from six months to one year.

The Mayor also mentioned that the Works Engineer had stated to the committees that in drawing up the conditions in connection with the present group of buildings, the Works Engineer had set out all requirements and specifications precisely, to ensure that no room was left for defective work.

It was resolved that the tender of Mr. Navaratnam be accepted in terms of the Works and Finance Committees' recommendation indicated by the Mayor.

(38) To consider application from Mr. S. M. Deen for the use of the market grounds for a carnival from February 4 to February 20, 1950.

The Works Committee recommends that the application be refused, in view of the fact that the Council had by its resolution No. 9 (b) of December 22, 1949, rejected an application made by him for the use of the grounds during the period January 25 to February 10, 1950, for the same purpose.

It was stated that Mr. Deen had since made an application for the use of Bogambara Grounds for the purpose.

The Finance Committee recommends that the portion of the Bogambara Grounds hatched in blue in the Works Engineer's sketch dated January 21, 1950, 15,000 square feet in extent, be allowed to Mr. Deen for the purpose at a rental of Rs. 100 per diem, and subject to the usual conditions.

Considered together with letter No. M.B. 113/50 dated January 26, 1950, received from the Assistant Superintendent of Police, Kandy, stating that the Police were not in favour of carnivals of this nature being allowed in view of the noise, nuisance and disturbance caused thereby to the residents, but if the Council were allowing the request, that conditions should be laid down prohibiting gambling of any kind and the parking of vehicles on the road, and requiring adequate precautions to be taken for protection against fire.

It was resolved that the application be allowed in terms of the Finance Committee's recommendation, and subject to the conditions suggested by the Police being enforced and the applicant being required to pay rent, deposit of Rs. 250 against damage to the grounds, and charges for conservancy, scavenging, water service, electricity and fire protection arrangements, in advance.

(39) To approve of the proposed deviation of the trace of new road through Siyambalagastenne to take in lots

Nos. 9A, & 11A, shown hatched in green in the Municipal Surveyor's plan dated November 3, 1949, and of the street lines for this section as indicated on the plan.

The Works Committee recommends that the proposed deviation of the road and the street lines laid down in the plan in respect of this section be approved.

The Finance Committee recommends that Works Committee's recommendation be adopted.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(40) To consider letter from V. Sivasamy who holds tenancy of M. C. Depot at Mahaiyawa jointly with Mr. J. Wilson stating that he has withdrawn his partnership in the business carried on in the Depot and that from January 1, 1950, the entire business will be owned by Mr. Wilson.

The Accountant reports that if Mr. Sivasamy proposes to transfer his share to Mr. Wilson, Mr. Wilson should pay the usual premium of two months' rent levied in such cases.

Approval of the Council is required for the transfer on these terms. (Cir. 28B.)

The Health Committee recommends that the transfer be made in favour of Mr. Wilson on his paying two months' rent as premium in consideration thereof.

The Finance Committee recommends that the transfer be effected in favour of Mr. Wilson on the terms suggested by the Health Committee.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

(41) To obtain sanction for the payment of a commuted pension of Rs. 8,690.20 and a reduced annual pension of Rs. 2,607.06 with effect from January 1, 1950, to Mr. D. J. A. Abeyasinghe, late Chief Revenue Inspector, who retired from the service in terms of the Council's pension rules Nos. 2A (1) and 5 (1) (i).

The Finance Committee recommends that the Council approve of a commuted pension and a reduced annual pension being paid to Mr. Abeyasinghe accordingly.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

10. With the leave of the Council, the Mayor placed the following items for disposal before the Council, which were considered at the joint meeting of the Works and Finance Committees held earlier on the same day:—

(1) To approve of the proposed deviation of the trace of Lady Havelock's Drive, as shown in the plan dated January 24, 1950, prepared by the Municipal Surveyor and the street lines laid down therefor and shown on this plan.

The Works and Finance Committees recommend that the proposed deviation of the trace and the street lines laid down therefor be approved, and that a token vote of Rs. 1,000 be allowed for meeting incidental expenses in this connection.

It was resolved that the recommendation of the Works and Finance Committees be approved.

(2) With reference to sanction of members of the Council obtained on circular for the proposed civic reception to the Hon. Thakin Nu, Prime Minister of Burma, to consider what sum of money should be allocated to the Mayor for meeting the expenditure on this reception, in terms of section 185 (1) (i) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 29, of 1947.

The Works and Finance Committees recommend that a vote of Rs. 500 be allocated to the Mayor for this purpose.

It was resolved that the recommendation be adopted.

11. It was resolved that the Council resume at 4.30 p.m. on Monday, January 30, 1950, for the purpose of considering the motions numbered 7, 7A, 7B, 7C, 7D, 7E, 7F, 7G and 7H on the agenda, due notice of which had been given by the members concerned.

Confirmed, this 25th day of February, 1950

E. L. SENANAYAKE,
Mayor.

Minutes of Proceedings of the Adjourned Monthly General Meeting of the Kandy Municipal Council held at the Town Hall, Kandy, at 4.30 p.m. on January 30, 1950

Present: E. L. Senanayake, Esq. (Mayor), presiding; A. A. Dharmasena, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Senator W. A. B. Soysa, Messrs. N. Wimalasena, A. S. Karunaratne, Fred E. de Silva, D. Ramanujan, P. B. A. Weerakoon, A. C. L. Ratwatte, P. L. P. Alwis, H. A. C. Wickramaratne, Hadji M. Usoof Ismail T. B. Tennakoon, and Mr. H. B. Udurawana.

Before proceeding to the consideration of the motions on the agenda, Mr. Fred E. de Silva, with the leave of the Council, proposed a vote of thanks to the Mayor for the luncheon provided by him at his expense to the Honourable Thakin Nu, Mrs. Thakin Nu, the distinguished visitors from Burma which constituted Thakin Nu's party, members of the Municipal Council, and other leading residents of the Town, at the Queen's Hotel, on January 28, 1950, and congratulated the Mayor on the excellent arrangements made in this connection.

Mr. H. A. C. Wickramaratne, in seconding the vote of thanks, observed that it was a pity that the Mayor had not been given the opportunity of making a speech on the occasion.

The vote of thanks was carried unanimously.

The Mayor, in acknowledging the Council's thanks, stated that no speechmaking was possible on the occasion as the Honourable Thakin Nu and his party had to be at the Dalada Maligawa at one o'clock, and it was necessary for the proceedings connected with the luncheon to be concluded in time to permit of the Honourable Thakin Nu and his party leaving for the Maligawa in time.

The Council then proceeded to the consideration of the motions on the agenda.

7. Motions:

Pursuant to notice, Mr. T. B. Tennakoon moved the following motion which stood in his name:—

“With a view to alleviate the distress and hardships experienced by the public owing to the shortage of housing accommodation in the Municipality, this Council is of opinion that immediate measures be devised for carrying out, before the expiry of one year from date, a housing scheme for their benefit, and that a special committee consisting of three members of this Council be appointed to consider and report on a suitable scheme for that purpose, such Committee being required to submit its report within two months of its appointment.”

When Mr. Tennakoon was making some introductory remarks on the motion in Sinhalese, the Mayor brought to the notice of the Council the absence of an official shorthand writer to record the proceedings of the meeting.

The Secretary was asked why no arrangements had been made for the purpose, and he explained that Mr. Jayasuriya, the shorthand writer, had been granted leave to sit for two examinations in Colombo, by order of the L. G. S. C., on Saturday and on Monday, and that the Commissioner had detailed Mr. Jayasundera to report the meeting on Saturday in Mr. Jayasuriya's absence. Mr. Jayasundera should have been present at the adjourned meeting, as he was present on Saturday and was aware of the adjournment of the meeting for Monday.

The Council desired that in future no leave be granted to Mr. Jayasuriya on days on which Council met, and wished the Mayor to inquire into the circumstances which led to the omission.

The Mayor stated that if the Council did not intend to adjourn for a further date, he would be able to arrange to secure the services of a shorthand writer from the Polytechnic to report the meeting, provided the Council agreed to a short adjournment of the proceedings for about ten minutes.

The Council accordingly adjourned the proceedings for ten minutes.

Proceedings were resumed at 4.50 p.m., after the arrival of the shorthand writer from the Polytechnic, and Mr. T. B. Tennekoon resumed his speech on the motion, and concluded it. Mr. P. L. P. Alwis seconded the motion.

Before putting the motion to the House, the Mayor mentioned that the Government was likely to approve of the Council's proposal to acquire Aruppola Estate for a housing scheme and that the Town Planner had already expressed himself in favour of this scheme. He further stated that it was intended that 75 houses for the working classes and 50 houses for the middle-classes should be provided at Aruppola Estate.

The motion was put to the House and was carried unanimously.

Arising from the motion, the Council agreed that the special committee consist of the following members:—

Messrs. Fred E. de Silva, N. Wimalasena and T. B. Tennekoon (the mover).

Mr. D. Ramanujam having made a personal explanation that urgent business obliged him to leave the meeting immediately, was given permission to move the following motions which stood under item 7G on the agenda:—

- (1) This Council resolves to establish a Dispensary in Mahaiyawa in a central place between labour lines and model tenements.
- (2) This Council resolves to open a playground near the Mahaiyawa Model Tenements.
- (3) This Council resolves to appoint a committee to inquire and report to the Council into allegations against the immediate supervisory staff under whom labourers are working.
- (4) This Council resolves to apply to the Central Government for the release of further grants under the Relief Scheme and to carry out works of urgent importance in order to solve the growing unemployment problem.

Mr. Ramanujam moved the four motions, together, and in respect of (3), explained that the object of the motion was to prevent such malpractices in the future. Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne seconded the motions.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva spoke in support of the motions.

The motions were put to the House and were passed unanimously, the Council resolving that the special committee of inquiry in respect of (3) consist of the following members:—

The Mayor, and Messrs. H. A. C. Wickremaratne and D. Ramanujam (the mover).

7A. Pursuant to notice, Mr. P. L. P. Alwis was to have moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“In view of the fact that great hardship has been caused by the cancellation of the licence issued to N. W. A. Henry Singho to trade in stall No. 107 and as the cancellation of the said licence was due to a circumstance which entitles the family of the licensee to special sympathy and consideration, this Council resolves that either a fresh licence may be issued in favour of the licensee's brother N. W. A. Premadasa or that preference may be given to the tender that may be made by the said N. W. A. Premadasa, provided that in either case a condition is imposed that the previous licensees should have no access to the stall.”

The Mayor explained that the recommendations of the Health and Finance Committees appearing under item No. 9 (29) of the agenda which were approved by the Council on January 28, served the purpose which was set out in Mr. Alwis' motion, and asked Mr. Alwis to withdraw the motion as the motion was unnecessary in these circumstances.

Mr. P. L. P. Alwis withdrew the motion, with the leave of the House.

7B. Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. S. Karunaratne moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“This Council recommends that the Sub-Post Office at Mulgampola should not be removed from its present site as its removal would cause considerable inconvenience to the residents of the area.” Mr. A. C. L. Ratwatte seconded the motion.

The motion was put to the House and was carried unanimously.

7C. Pursuant to notice, Mr. Fred E. de Silva was to have moved the following motions:—

(1) “That immediate steps be taken to acquire one acre of land in Leula Village to serve the village as a cemetery.”

(2) “In view of the fact that Anniewatte Estate will be thickly populated in the near future, that immediate steps be taken by the Council—(a) to take over the existing Anniewatte water supply springs and provide drinking water to the residents of Anniewatte Estate (b) To provide conservancy.”

Before moving the motions, Mr. Fred E. de Silva asked leave to amend motion (2) by adding the following further clause after (b).—

(c) “To provide 4 street lamps along Anniewatte Road.”

The Council having allowed Mr. de Silva leave accordingly, Mr. de Silva moved the two motions, together in the amended form. Mr. A. A. Dharmasena seconded the motions.

It was resolved that the motions be referred to the Health, Works & Finance Committees for consideration and report.

7D. Pursuant to notice, Mr. T. B. Tennekoon moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“In view of the fact that unemployment relief schemes now in operation in the Kandy Municipality are designed to provide employment for not more than 600 persons, and do not take in all unemployed persons in the Municipality who number over one thousand, the Council resolves that the Minister of Labour & Social Services be requested to formulate a scheme whereby employment could be provided to at least 1000 men and women daily in the Municipality.” Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne seconded the motion.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva spoke in support of the motion.

The motion was put to the House and was carried unanimously.

7E. Pursuant to notice, Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“This Council draws the attention of the Hon. the Minister for Health to the scandalous conditions obtaining at the Kandy Civil Hospital and urges on him the immediate necessity, pending the completion of buildings and big schemes, of taking a few elementary measures to mitigate the discomfort and suffering now experienced by the generality of patients in the non-paying wards.” Mr. A. A. Dharmasena seconded the motion.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva spoke in support of the motion.

The motion was put to the House and was carried unanimously.

7F. (1) Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. S. Karunaratne moved the following motion which stood in his name:—

“In view of the fact that a very large number of the houses occupied by the labourers of the Council at Mahaiyawa are not suitable for human habitation that immediate steps be taken to build new houses for the use of these labourers in three or more different parts of the Town and that a loan be raised to cover the cost of construction.” Mr. Fred E. de Silva seconded the motion.

It was resolved that the motion be referred to the Works Engineer to enable him to formulate a scheme on the lines indicated in the motion, in the first instance, and the scheme be submitted thereafter to the Works and Finance Committees for consideration and report.

7F. (2) Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. S. Karunaratne moved the following motion which stood in his name:—

“As the houses bearing 645/10 to 645/50, Peradeniya Road, which are occupied by the very poor ratepayers, have been condemned as unsuitable for human habitation, and as the persons occupying these houses will be without homes on these houses being demolished, that immediate action be taken to build suitable houses for these before demolition of the houses now occupied by them.”

Mr. Karunaratne indicated that the housing schemes being carried out at Mawilmada and Dangolla did not cater for this class of indigent persons and what he intended was that a type of house involving a rental of Rs 3 to Rs. 4 50 be constructed for the relief of persons of this class. Mr. Fred E. de Silva seconded the motion.

Mr. Wickremaratne said that although he was not opposed to the motion, the motion was open to objection. If it was passed in the present form the M. O. H. would not be in a position to enforce demolition orders on houses which were unfit for human habitation, and persons in other areas who were affected by such orders would make similar requests for the deferment of the closing orders.

Mr. Karunaratne, in reply, stated that the M. O. H. was reluctant to enforce demolition in the cases referred to in his motions although closing orders had been served on these people as these persons would be de-housed and had nowhere to go.

Mr. Dharmasena also expressed himself in agreement with the views of Mr. Wickramaratne.

Mr. Karunaratne, at this stage, asked for the leave of the House to amend the motion as follows:—“As most of the houses which are occupied by the very poor ratepayers are not considered suitable for human habitation, and as the persons occupying these houses will be without homes on these houses being demolished, that immediate action be taken to build suitable houses for such persons.”

The Council having given him leave, Mr. Karunaratne moved the motion in the amended form, and it became the substantive motion before the House. Mr. Fred E. de Silva seconded the motion.

Mr. N. Wimalasena and Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne spoke in support of the motion.

It was agreed that the motion be referred to the special committee appointed under motion 7 for consideration and report, with a report from the Works Engineer suggesting suitable schemes for providing housing for the class of people contemplated in the motion.

7F. (3). Pursuant to notice, Mr. A. S. Karunaratne was to have moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“That no meter rent be charged from consumers when meters for water service are supplied by the consumers.”

The Mayor having pointed out that it would be necessary for the Council to consider the question of amending its by-laws before it could give effect to the motion, Mr. A. S. Karunaratne asked for leave of the House to introduce the motion in the following amended form:—

“That no meter rent be charged from consumers when meters for water service are supplied by the consumers, and that the relevant by-laws of the Council be amended in order to give effect to the motion.”

Mr. A. A. Dharmasena seconded the motion in the amended form and was of opinion that meter rent should not be charged from electricity consumers, in similar circumstances.

There being general agreement that the concession should cover the electricity supply too, leave was given by the Council to Mr. Karunaratne, to interpolate the words ‘or the supply of electricity’ between the words ‘service’ and ‘are’ in the motion.

Mr. de Silva spoke in support of the motion.

The motion in the following amended form was placed before the House and it was resolved that it be referred to the Law and Finance Committees for consideration and report:—“That no meter rent be charged from consumers when meters for water service or the supply of electricity are supplied by the consumers, and that the relevant by-laws of the Council be amended in order to give effect to this motion.”

7H. Pursuant to notice, Mr. T. B. Tennekoon moved the following motion which stood in his name:—“In view of the fact that parents of school children all over the Island are subjected to difficulties and hardship in purchasing books required for the use of children at present, owing to lack of system in the printing and distribution of such books, this Council requests the Hon. the Prime Minister to take immediate steps to establish a Government Department for regulating the prices of school books and ensuring their equitable distribution.” Mr. H. A. C. Wickremaratne seconded the motion.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva spoke in support of it.

The motion was put to the House and was carried unanimously.

The Mayor submitted the following item which had been placed before the Council at the meeting on January 28, under item 9 (18) in the agenda, and deferred for consideration on January 30, at the request of Senator Soysa:—

9 (18) To consider letter received from the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, stating that the Commission was not able to find a suitable candidate for appointment as Assistant Municipal Electrical Engineer, and inviting the further views of the Council as to the terms on which the post should be re-advertised.

Considered by the Law and Electricity Committee together with item 20, on its agenda which was as follows:—“To consider letter No. AC. 154, dated January 17, 1950, from the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, forwarding an application received from Mr. A. C. H. Pereira for the post of Assistant Municipal *Electrical Engineer*, and inquiring whether the application could be considered since Mr. Pereira possesses the prescribed qualifications and the Chief Engineer and Manager, Government Electrical Undertakings, is prepared to release him in the event of his appointment.” (Cir. 25 A & C.)

As Mr. Pereira possesses the prescribed qualifications, the Law and Electricity Committee recommends that the Council agree to his appointment for the post by the Local Government Service Commission.

The Finance Committee recommends that Law and Electricity Committee's recommendation be adopted.

Senator Soysa suggested that the recommendation be disposed of in connection with the reorganization scheme which the Electrical Engineer had submitted, or in the alternative, that fresh applications be called for the post since the applicant now recommended for appointment had not applied on the last occasion applications were called for, before the closing date fixed for receiving applications.

Mr. Fred E. de Silva supported Senator Soysa in the request he made that fresh applications be called for the post.

Mr. Ismail and Mr. Dharmasena also expressed themselves in favour of fresh applications being called.

The Mayor was of opinion that no purpose would be served by calling for fresh applications, since on both occasions the post was advertised no suitable applications had been received, and it would be to the advantage of the Council to appoint the present applicant whom Government was prepared to release and who possessed all the prescribed qualifications.

The recommendation of the Finance Committee having been put to the House was declared carried, 7 members voting for and 6 against it.

Confirmed, this 25th day of February, 1950.

E. L. SENANAYAKE,
Mayor.

POOR RELIEF FUND

Revenue Account, as at December 31, 1949

EXPENDITURE	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	REVENUE	Rs. c.
To Administration of poor relief under Poor Law Ordinance 30 of 1939.—			By Contributions from general revenue	53,864 6
(a) Pensions ..	41,917 50			
Supplying books ..	2,796 7			
		44,713 57		
(b) Office.—				
Salaries ..	3,084 78			
Travelling allowance ..	175 0			
Stationery ..	10 30			
Printed form and books ..	80 30			
Stamps ..	26 24			
Sundry charges ..	4 65			
New typewriter ..	650 0			
Railway holiday warrants and hospital concessions ..	30 0			
		4,061 27		
(c) Aid to voluntary agencies.—				
Grant and lighting of Toc H Boys' Club ..	439 22			
Grant to Home for the Destitutes ..	2,400 0			
Grant to Kandy Social Service League ..	1,800 0			
Grant to Evelyn Nurseries ..	450 0			
		5,089 22		
		53,864 6		53,864 6

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1949

LIABILITIES	Rs. c.	ASSETS	Rs. c.
Revenue contributions to capital works ..	210 0	Orphanage ..	210 0
Sundry creditors ..	34 35	Cash in M. B. I. Ltd., Kandy, current account ..	151 35
Outstanding wages ..	117 0		
	361 35		361 35

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H. DE MEL,
Municipal Accountant.

A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT

Revenue Account for the Twelve Months, January 1 to December 31, 1949

Dr.	EXPENDITURE	Estimated for 1949	Incurred from January 1 to December 31, 1949	Or. Incurred from January 1 to December 31, 1948
		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
To Administrative—Personal Emoluments ..		247,024 66	249,089 64	238,665 81
Other Charges ..		660,457 0	621,613 87	557,876 75
Collectors ..		1,000 0	259 92	617 0
Infectious diseases prevention ..		17,040 45	11,010 22	9,716 80
Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse ..		108,820 62	88,586 53	76,747 72
Conservancy of latrines ..		101,254 50	85,944 99	77,531 16
Minor sanitary services ..		28,132 30	23,503 51	22,953 23
Roads, buildings, parks, &c.—Maintenance ..		207,684 0	310,731 53	151,593 91
Public lighting ..		75,000 0	99,922 46	75,865 92
Water services ..		114,261 0	171,076 23	189,941 27
Markets ..		14,378 12	14,627 76	12,031 5
Slaughter-house ..		4,275 50	4,286 71	3,850 27
Cemeteries ..		8,460 0	8,314 98	7,115 2
Municipal Court ..		11,057 50	26,609 66	6,321 52
Fire brigade ..		47,470 10	40,726 74	23,405 84
Police ..		—	—	—
Education ..		—	—	—
Free library ..		7,470 10	8,823 17	5,769 83
Poor relief and public recreation ..		166,789 79	166,024 28	140,543 75
Pensions ..		29,766 69	44,546 72	60,025 91
Loan repayment and interest ..		22,621 40	22,621 40	19,229 64
Miscellaneous services ..		14,860 0	46,651 30	17,671 93
		1,887,823 73	2,044,971 62	1,697,474 33
Capital expenditure (provided from revenue) ..		183,455 0	171,299 8	85,097 88
Balance being revenue in excess of expenditure ..		—	—	—
		2,071,278 73	2,216,270 70	1,782,572 21

REVENUE	Estimated for 1949		Accrued January 1 to Dec. 31, 1949		Accrued January 1 to Dec. 31, 1948	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
By Consolidated rates	508,000	0	517,894	36	510,618	38
Taxes	77,200	0	97,253	97	84,097	27
Tolls	—	—	625	83	3,307	95
Licence fees and stamp duties—						
(a) Licence fees	96,000	0	120,194	24	90,694	18
(b) Stamp duties	22,150	0	27,842	75	4,380	50
Slaughter-house fees	11,500	0	15,899	54	13,372	92
Conservancy fees	9,225	0	10,875	18	11,826	60
Rents	211,100	0	216,915	42	234,606	21
Judicial fines	20,000	0	39,345	31	35,842	8
Water service	36,600	0	22,302	69	29,015	5
Government grants	750,261	80	889,402	77	706,552	70
Miscellaneous receipts	19,600	0	33,500	27	32,850	2
	1,761,636	80	1,992,052	33	1,757,163	86
Balance being excess of expenditure over revenue	309,641	93	224,218	37	25,408	35
	2,071,278	73	2,216,270	70	1,782,572	21

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Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1949

LIABILITIES	Amount		Total	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Loans outstanding :—				
Government of Ceylon	—	—	—	—
Local loans Commissioners on December 31, 1948	5,670	0	5,670	0
Less repayment in 1949	—	—	—	—
Loans redeemed account on December 31, 1948	1,209,112	37	1,209,112	37
Redeemed in 1949	19,255	77	19,255	77
			1,228,368	14
Revenue contributions to capital outlay :—				
General revenue funds on December 31, 1948	1,958,813	84	1,958,813	84
Contributed in 1949	171,299	8	171,299	8
Electricity Department	—	—	—	—
Half profits for 1935, appropriated for general revenue purposes	31,221	46	31,221	46
			2,161,334	38
Government contributions for capital services on December 31, 1948	—	—	—	—
Appropriation from Back Lane contributions	—	—	—	—
Private donations for capital services on December 31, 1948	—	—	—	—
			231,055	39
Minor river pumping scheme :—				
Contributions from general revenue on December 31, 1948	—	—	50,000	0
Loan from Electricity Department on December 31, 1948	23,195	68	23,195	68
Less repayments, 1949	8,585	77	14,609	91
			64,609	91
Loan from Electricity Department on December 31, 1948 (capital works)	—	—	17,400	36
Less repayments, 1949	—	—	5,000	0
			12,400	36
Mavilmada Housing Scheme :—				
Grant from Government, December 31, 1948	10,541	15	10,541	15
Grant received, 1949	191,131	60	191,131	60
Loan from Government 1949	—	—	60,000	0
			261,672	75
Getambe Re-settlement Scheme :—				
Grant from Government, 1949	—	—	—	—
			250,000	0
			4,214,343	49
Capital account :—				
Balance in hand	—	—	—	—
			37,104	84
Sundry creditors :—				
Tradesmen	89,675	10	89,675	10
Outstanding wages	89,167	77	89,167	77
Grain shed rent securities	855	19	855	19
Market stall rent securities	10,878	86	10,878	86
Market space rent securities	2,793	12	2,793	12
Model tenement securities	3,054	50	3,054	50
Sundry securities	29,578	18	29,578	18
Free library members' deposit account	778	0	778	0
Miscellaneous deposits	57,556	18	57,556	18
Municipal Court fines awards	880	75	880	75
Collectors' securities	4,150	0	4,150	0
Upkeep of graves in perpetuity	11,250	0	11,250	0
Board of improvement deposit account	2,413	75	2,413	75
Times book club	944	43	944	43
Vested properties income	365	96	365	96
			304,341	79
Workmen's compensation fund	—	—	—	—
General transport depreciation	—	—	—	—
Investment valuation adjustment	—	—	—	—
Back Lane Scheme contributions	—	—	—	—
Temporary advance from Electricity Department	—	—	—	—
			55,949	63
Maternity and child-welfare building fund :—				
Amount to credit invested as per contra	—	—	—	—
Special loan from Electricity Department	—	—	—	—
Provident fund	—	—	—	—
			3,093	46
			112,500	0
			1,358	87
			888,954	45

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ASSETS	Expended to December 31, 1948		Expended during 1949		Total Capital Outlay		Unexpended Balance in hand		Total Assets	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
<i>Capital Outlay</i>										
Getambe Re-settlement Scheme	—	—	213,895	16	213,895	16	36,104	84	—	—
Town Hall and municipal offices	117,214	37	501	75	117,716	12	—	—	—	—
Motor lorries and ambulance	123,473	65	11,641	0	135,114	65	—	—	—	—
Markets	120,703	22	3,424	83	124,128	5	—	—	—	—
Rice granaries and depots	65,066	53	—	—	65,066	53	—	—	—	—
School buildings	10,156	51	—	—	10,156	51	—	—	—	—
Model dwellings—Loan funds	524,003	33	—	—	524,003	33	—	—	—	—
Do. Revenue contributions	1,421	75	3,256	4	4,677	79	—	—	—	—
Ayurvedic dispensary	2,900	0	1,607	74	4,507	74	—	—	—	—
Do. lighting	357	56	—	—	357	56	—	—	—	—
Other municipal buildings	265,049	29	43,003	18	308,052	47	—	—	—	—
Free library	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,000	0	—	—
Roads, pavements, &c.	384,754	74	40,709	50	425,464	24	—	—	—	—
Drainage	328,887	7	9,465	18	338,352	25	—	—	—	—
Public latrines and trenching grounds	78,133	53	2,489	81	80,623	34	—	—	—	—
Motor carriage and rickshaw stands	34,101	59	—	—	34,101	59	—	—	—	—
Concrete block making machine	3,626	13	—	—	3,626	13	—	—	—	—
Recreation grounds and sports pavilion	76,086	17	2,633	47	78,719	64	—	—	—	—
Waterworks	628,812	37	37,807	88	666,620	25	—	—	—	—
Investigation into water schemes	40,676	69	410	78	41,087	47	—	—	—	—
Waterworks, new schemes	133,353	29	—	—	133,353	29	—	—	—	—
River Pumping Scheme	186,346	18	—	—	186,346	18	—	—	—	—
Steam road boiler and bullock roller	21,435	47	—	—	21,435	47	—	—	—	—
Conservancy hand carts	5,797	69	—	—	5,797	69	—	—	—	—
Incinerator	7,169	96	—	—	7,169	96	—	—	—	—
Fire extinguishing apparatus	68,544	47	8,907	60	77,452	7	—	—	—	—
Burial grounds and cemeteries	33,013	47	131	5	33,144	52	—	—	—	—
Road scarifier and tar boiler	4,248	17	—	—	4,248	17	—	—	—	—
Public notice boards	6,171	61	—	—	6,171	61	—	—	—	—
Dredger and rowing boats	9,513	8	1,500	0	11,013	8	—	—	—	—
Dhobies' tanks	14,308	36	—	—	14,308	36	—	—	—	—
Paving Meda-ela	119,799	32	—	—	119,799	32	—	—	—	—
Fumigators	5,398	54	—	—	5,398	54	—	—	—	—
Chloronome	5,395	67	—	—	5,395	67	—	—	—	—
Double canoes	891	59	—	—	891	59	—	—	—	—
Sanitary improvements to rural areas	6,172	90	—	—	6,172	90	—	—	—	—
Laying 8 in. main in Peradeniya Road	72,077	39	—	—	72,077	39	—	—	—	—
Fencing leased land in Roseneath	6,332	13	—	—	6,332	13	—	—	—	—
Construction of Back Lane block " B "	1,002	56	—	—	1,002	56	—	—	—	—
Wells and bathing places	17,975	31	3,809	27	21,784	58	—	—	—	—
Mavilmada Housing Scheme	10,541	15	251,131	60	261,672	75	—	—	—	—
	<u>3,540,912</u>	<u>81</u>	<u>636,325</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>4,177,238</u>	<u>65</u>	<u>37,104</u>	<u>84</u>	<u>4,214,343</u>	<u>49</u>
					<i>Rs. c.</i>	<i>Rs. c.</i>	<i>Rs. c.</i>	<i>Rs. c.</i>		
<i>Stocks and stores:—</i>										
Stores							69,625	34		
Workshop tools					269	19				
Less depreciation 15%					27	58		241	61	
									69,866	95
Vested properties capital										1,455
										13
<i>Sundry debtors:—</i>										
Rates, taxes, &c.						174,585	63			
Less reserve for irrecoverable						2,881	21			
								171,704	42	
Cheques returned by bank								72	19	
Advance of pay, &c.								127,176	23	
										298,952
										84
Loans to municipal officers to purchase vehicles										10,194
										33
<i>Investments:—</i>										
State Mortgage Bank debentures					Face value Rs. 10,850					10,860
Maternity and child-welfare building fund—Ceylon Savings Bank										2,386
Workmen's compensation fund—Ceylon Savings Bank										121
										83
<i>Cash:—</i>										
In Mercantile Bank of India, fixed deposit										
In Bank of Ceylon, fixed deposit								5,345	95	
In Mercantile Bank of India, current account								73,443	10	
In fixed deposit, Co-operative Central Bank								5,250	0	
Ceylon Savings Bank								5,949	23	
In hand of shroff										
Petty cash in hand of shroff										
										89,988
										28
Revenue account balance from 1948								180,909	76	
Add expenditure in excess of revenue from January 1 to Dec. 31, 1949, as per revenue account								224,218	37	
										405,128
										13
										888,954
										45

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Statement of Debt, December 31, 1949

Amount of Original Debt	Refund of unexpected Balance	Amount Redeemed	Amount Outstanding on December 31, 1949	To whom Due	Rate of Interest Per Cent.	When incurred and for what Purpose	Provision for Repayment
Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.				
75,000 0	—	75,000 0	—	Local and Development Fund	4	January 25, 1934, for the construction of Model Dwellings at Deiyanne-wela	Rates and taxes imposed and levied under the Municipal Councils Ordinance. No. 29 of 1947a
25,000 0	996 67	24,003 33	—	do.	4	October 25, 1934, for the construction of Model Dwellings at Deiyanne-wela	do.b
60,000 0	—	—	60,000 0	do.	4	August 3, 1949, for the construction of Dwellings at Mavilmada	do.c
						General revenue Account	Rs. c
							60,000 0
160,000 0	996 67	99,003 33	60,000 0				60,000 0

a Repaid by annual instalments of Rs. 5,000.00 with interest at 4 per cent. per annum on the outstanding balance. Loan extinguished on January 25, 1949.

b A sum of Rs. 996.67 being unexpended balance out of this loan was refunded on January 29, 1945. Balance is being repaid by annual instalments of Rs. 1,666.66 with interest at 4 per cent. per annum on the outstanding balance. Loan extinguished on October 25, 1949.

c Repaid by annual instalments of Rs. 4,000.00 with interest at 4 per cent. per annum on the outstanding balance. Loan will be extinguished on August 3, 1964.

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H. DE MEL,
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A.—GENERAL REVENUE ACCOUNT

HEAD OF REVENUE	Revenue Detailed		Total Rs. c.
	Estimate for 1949 Rs. c.	Actual Rs. c.	
1.—Consolidated rates:—			
(1) Rates	500,000 0	508,434 51	
(2) Costs on recoveries on warrants	8,000 0	9,459 85	517,894 36
	508,000 0		
2.—Taxes —			
(1) Taxes on vehicles and animals (under Municipal Councils Ordinance)	2,200 0	2,381 0	
(2) Taxes on motor vehicles	75,000 0	94,872 97	97,253 97
Tolls	77,200 0	625 83	625 83
3.—Licence fees and stamp duties:—			
(a) Licence fees—			
(1) Auctioneers and brokers	2,000 0	1,350 0	
(2) Dangerous and offensive trades	2,000 0	2,603 50	
(3) Miscellaneous	7,000 0	9,591 0	
Entertainment tax	85,000 0	106,649 74	120,194 24
	96,000 0		
(b) Stamp duties—			
4 Butchers	300 0	295 0	
5 Carriages and carriers	2,000 0	1,313 0	
6 Hotels and liquor	16,000 0	20,588 50	
7 Notaries	600 0	540 0	
8 Proctors	1,750 0	2,375 0	
9 Poisons	—	—	
10 Firearms	1,500 0	2,730 0	
Special permits	—	1 25	
	22,150 0		27,842 75
4.—Slaughter-house fees:—			
1 Slaughtering fees on cattle	5,000 0	6,975 50	
2 Slaughtering fees on sheep, goats, and pigs	3,000 0	4,875 30	
3 Housing and feeding fees	3,500 0	4,048 74	15,899 54
	11,500 0		
5.—Conservancy fees:—			
1 Bucket fees (on non-rated premises)	1,200 0	1,740 38	
2 Day and special labourers	6,000 0	6,495 46	
3 Costs on recoveries on warrants	25 0	16 34	
4 Fees for removal of trade refuse	2,000 0	2,623 0	10,875 18
	9,225 0		
6.—Rents —			
1 Privilege rent on right to trade in market premises	5,000 0	1,455 78	
2 Markets (monthly stall rents)	58,000 0	58,955 42	
3 Markets (space rents)	25,800 0	26,469 20	
4 Markets (fair day rents)	5,000 0	7,827 9	
5 Grain sheds	9,600 0	9,620 0	
6 Pork stalls	650 0	655 20	
7 Model tenements under Housing Scheme	26,500 0	27,054 83	
8 Dhobies' tanks and rooms	550 0	588 0	
9 Other lands, buildings, and encroachments	50,000 0	49,368 5	
10 Bus stands	28,000 0	30,407 0	
11 Costs on recoveries on warrants	2,000 0	3,477 35	
Mavilmada Model Tenements	—	1,037 50	216,915 42
	211,100 0		

	Estimate for 1949 Rs. c.	Actual Rs. c.	Total Rs. c.
7—Judicial fines.—			
1 Municipal court	20,000 0		
8—Water service:—			39,345 31
1 House services	6,000 0	2,513 97	
2 Rent of meters	6,000 0	5,365 41	
3 Water used for other than domestic purposes	24,000 0	13,656 76	
4 Costs on recoveries on warrants	600 0	766 55	
	36,600 0		22,302 69
9—Government grants —			
1 Dredging Kandy lake	15,000 0	13,500 0	
2 Moiety towards maintenance of Lady Horton's Walk	1,750 0	2,970 0	
3 Grant in lieu of compensation for abolished tolls	22,085 0	22,085 0	
4 Grant in lieu of road tax abolished	16,426 80	16,426 80	
5 Grant for payment of war allowances	595,000 0	559,977 12	
Block grants	100,000 0	101,496 33	
Unemployment relief	—	154,992 0	
Esala Perahera	—	13,682 80	
Flood relief	—	4,272 72	
	750,261 80		889,402 77
10.—Miscellaneous receipts.—			
1 Cemetery fees, burials	3,000 0	3,213 0	
2 Cemetery fees, upkeep of graves	1,750 0	1,778 4	
3 Registration of dogs	600 0	483 25	
4 Interest	50 0	225 63	
5 Badges and fare tables	250 0	212 25	
6 Produce sold	600 0	499 25	
7 Miscellaneous	3,000 0	8,851 81	
8 Survey of lands purchased by council	100 0	—	
9 Sale of library periodicals and other library receipts	400 0	461 99	
10 Testing weights and measures	300 0	274 8	
11 Posters	300 0	348 51	
12 Contribution and fees towards maternity and child welfare	250 0	706 50	
13 Motor ambulance fees	1,500 0	1,198 0	
16 Roseneath Estate	7,500 0	15,247 96	
	19,600 0		33,500 27
Total Revenue	1,761,636 80		1,992,052 33

Details of Expenditure

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE	Estimate for 1949 Rs. c.	Supplemental Provision Rs. c.	Amount Incurred Rs. c.	Total Rs. c.
1—Administrative —				
Personal emoluments	247,024 66	1,699 88		249,089 64
2.—Administrative—Other charges:—				
1 Commuted travelling allowance	15,522 0	70 0	14,516 1	
2 Uniforms	3,000 0		3,026 43	
3 Stationery	7,000 0	500 0	7,209 81	
4 Stamps	1,500 0	1,000 0	2,278 72	
5 Advertising	3,000 0		2,543 20	
6 Printed forms and books	10,000 0	235 0	9,605 13	
7 Telephone charges	2,100 0	60 0	1,690 62	
8 Audit fees	2,700 0		2,400 0	
9 Sundry charges	1,500 0	446 10	2,192 46	
10 Purchase of reference books for the office	200 0		69 65	
11 War allowance to Municipal employees	600,000 0		567,218 15	
12 Postal franking machine	2,300 0		1,325 0	
13 Railway holiday warrants	7,000 0		4,211 99	
14 Hospital charges	1,000 0		141 0	
Purchase of typewriters	3,635 0	785 0	3,185 70	
	660,457 0			621,613 87
3.—Collectors —				
Commission	1,000 0			259 92
4—Infectious diseases prevention:—				
1 Disinfecting and claytonising	4,989 88		4,541 59	
2 Destruction of rats	7,094 50		5,466 54	
3 Equipment and chemicals	586 0		156 76	
4 Temporary I. D. H. buildings—Maintenance	700 0			
5 Preventive measures against smallpox	100 0			
6 D. D. T. spraying campaign	3,570 7		845 33	
	17,040 45			11,010 22
5—Scavenging streets and removal of house and trade refuse —				
1 Sweepers, handcart and dustbin labourers, their kanganyies, and overseers	38,514 80		36,971 18	
2 Hired bulls and carters	4,599 0		4,566 16	
3 Lorry labourers and kanganyies	8,048 25		8,040 38	
4 Labourers burying and covering refuse	6,259 75		6,199 4	
5 Tools and materials	1,000 0		406 50	
6 Disinfectants	1,100 0		849 0	
7 Upkeep of lorries: Petrol, Diesolene, tyres, tubes, lubricants, &c.	19,591 70		14,134 93	

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		Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
8	Upkeep of lorries : Repairs ..	5,123 27		4,444 21	
9	Repairs to scavenging carts and water carts ..	4,000 0		4,206 90	
10	Sundry services ..	2,000 0	2,000 0	2,937 19	
11	Repairing K. M. C. street bins ..	1,000 0		198 93	
12	New Tarpaulin covers ..	411 0		108 0	
13	New hand carts ..	6,720 0			
14	New street bins (masonry) ..	6,000 0		1,735 66	
16	New chequered plates ..	1,500 0		833 39	
17	Clearing silt from barrel drains ..	2,952 85		2,905 6	
		108,820 62			88,586 53
6.—Conservancy of latrines :—					
1	Labourers and kanganyies ..	52,589 20		49,483 44	
2	Lorry labourers ..	3,684 75		2,188 50	
3	Repairs to drums and buckets ..	2,000 0		1,499 20	
4	Repairs to hand carts ..	4,000 0		3,630 20	
5	Burial of night soil ..	11,027 65	1,125 0	9,453 71	
6	Disinfectants, &c. ..	1,500 0		1,085 42	
7	Emptying private cesspits and cleaning septic tanks ..	600 0			
8	Upkeep of lorries, petrol, &c. ..	9,652 90		7,221 79	
9	Upkeep of lorries, repairs ..	3,000 0		2,171 20	
10	Sundry services ..	1,000 0	1,000 0	1,033 23	
11	Tools and materials ..	500 0		73 80	
12	Water supply and repairs to septic tanks ..	500 0		164 93	
13	Tarring of D. R. C. Road to Gohagoda ..	200 0		200 0	
14	Construction of temporary latrines ..	2,000 0	2,000 0	2,040 0	
15	New conservancy hand carts ..	4,000 0		3,676 57	
16	New drums and buckets ..	5,000 0		2,023 0	
		101,254 50			85,944 99
7.—Minor sanitary services :—					
1	Works recommended by M. O. H. ..	2,863 50		1,892 33	
2	Analysis of milk, water, and food samples ..	3,000 0		1,581 5	
3	Removing sick and burying dead paupers ..	350 0		195 25	
4	Anti-mosquito campaign ..	7,784 60		5,877 50	
5	Sanitary services connected with back lanes ..	1,248 30		1,243 74	
6	Sanitary services connected with model tenements ..	8,546 48	640 46	8,266 46	
7	Sanitary services connected with labour lines ..	3,089 42		2,854 51	
8	Sundry services ..	250 0		228 2	
9	Sick pay (Health Department) ..	1,000 0	200 0	1,328 8	
11	Laboratory equipment ..		668 50	36 57	
		28,132 30			23,503 51
8.—Roads, buildings, parks, &c. :—					
1	Maintenance of roads (as per details below) ..	108,837 0		99,532 31	
2	Maintenance of buildings (as per details below) ..	49,500 0		40,525 81	
3	Maintenance of parks, &c. (as per details below) ..	14,997 0		11,709 79	
4	Miscellaneous (as per details below) ..	34,350 0		158,963 62	
		207,684 0		310,731 53	
8.—(1) Maintenance of roads—					
2	Upkeep of payments ..	6,000 0		5,407 17	
4	Upkeep of manhole covers and gratings ..	1,500 0		813 70	
5	Upkeep of built side drains and barrel drains ..	5,000 0		3,610 87	
6	Upkeep of town streets ..	5,000 0		4,602 16	
7	Upkeep of other vehicular roads ..	51,990 0	667 50	50,474 80	
8	Upkeep of bridle paths ..	11,290 0		10,015 17	
9	Upkeep of footpaths ..	22,257 0		19,046 61	
10	Upkeep of Udawattakelle Roads ..	3,500 0		3,423 18	
11	Upkeep of back lanes ..	2,000 0		1,959 88	
12	Upkeep of steam rollers ..	300 0		178 77	
		108,837 0		99,532 31	
8.—(2) Maintenance of buildings—					
13	Upkeep of Municipal buildings ..	9,000 0	1,950 0	10,401 88	
14	Upkeep of market buildings ..	8,000 0		3,882 99	
15	Upkeep of model dwellings ..	12,500 0		9,909 86	
15A	Rebuilding drains at Mahayaya Model Tenements ..	4,000 0		3,348 78	
15B	Rebuilding drains at Deiyannewella Model Tenements ..	6,000 0		5,115 37	
15C	Repairs to Mahayaya labour lines ..	10,000 0		7,866 93	
		49,500 0		40,525 81	
8.—(3) Maintenance of parks, public seats, &c.—					
17	Upkeep of esplanades and Lake Island ..	500 0		499 84	
17A	Upkeep of Tomlin park ..	847 0		713 37	
17B	Upkeep of Town Hall grounds ..	250 0		210 89	
17C	Improvements to Beven Park ..	100 0		96 80	
18	Upkeep of Wace Park ..	1,000 0		984 83	
18A	Improvements to Wace Park ..	1,000 0		959 42	
18B	Improvements to Garden Club ..	500 0		499 82	
18C	Nursery ..	500 0		488 77	
18D	Upkeep of Victoria Garden and roundabout ..	1,000 0		889 37	
19	Upkeep of public seats ..	1,200 0		1,114 34	
20	Upkeep of Bogambara green ..	1,000 0	360 0	1,274 85	
20A	Improvements to Bogambara green ..	1,000 0		974 27	
20B	Lighting of Ratwatta Sports Pavilion ..	100 0		137 67	
20C	Improvements to Nittawela Playground ..	5,000 0		1,884 81	
20D	Improvements to banks of lake and lotus pond ..	1,000 0		980 74	
		14,997 0		11,709 79	

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	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	
8.—(4) Miscellaneous—							
21 Upkeep of ornamental plants	1,000	0				984	28
21A Improvements to town planting	1,000	0				927	57
22 Upkeep of notice boards and motor signals	1,000	0	2,300	0		2,820	30
23 Upkeep of bus and rickshaw stands	500	0				291	39
24 Upkeep of Dharma lines			2,800	0			
25 Upkeep of cemetery	100	0				73	4
26 Upkeep of bathing and dhobies' tanks and wells	500	0	90	0		500	15
27 Removing silt from Kandy Lake	15,000	0				18,396	40
28 Surveys	750	0	100	0		892	61
29 Sick pay (Works Department)	1,000	0				611	74
30 Minor works	5,000	0	300	0		4,530	37
31 Purchase of tools	3,000	0				2,964	25
Upkeep of Roseneath Estate	5,500	0	110	25		5,402	10
Unemployment Relief Works			40,000	0		120,569	42
	34,350	0				158,963	62
9—Public lighting :—							
1 Lighting of streets	72,000	0	26,000	0		96,881	40
2 Lighting of model tenements	3,000	0	150	0		3,041	6
	75,000	0					99,922 46
10—Water service —							
32 Wages of waterworks labourers	6,586	0	500	0		6,474	63
33 Upkeep of reservoir	1,850	0	9,500	0		11,157	17
33A Lighting Venturi meter room	25	0				12	0
34 Upkeep of re-afforested area of the catchment	7,000	0	1,100	0		8,063	47
35 Peradeniya pumping station— Electrical energy for power	10,000	0	7,000	0		17,916	5
35A Peradeniya pumping station— Maintenance of pumping station and storage tanks	1,350	0				1,022	48
35B Peradeniya pumping station— Operation of pumping station	3,000	0	5,700	0		7,745	73
35C Katugastota pumping station	12,000	0	35,000	0		48,040	77
35D Ampitiya water service	450	0				317	30
36 Upkeep of water mains	3,000	0	3,499	25		5,389	47
37 Upkeep of fire hydrants	600	0				82	88
38 Upkeep of fountains	400	0				58	32
39 Laying, altering and extending house services	6,000	0				5,368	90
40 Purchase of house service meters	15,000	0				6,789	75
41 Upkeep of meters	2,400	0	500	0		1,963	54
42 Supply of water by lorries and carts	30,000	0	7,500	0		35,174	7
42A Supply of chlorinated lake water	7,500	0	5,600	0		12,783	42
42C Preventive measures against pollution of lake water	1,000	0	250	0		1,226	72
42D Cleaning wells	1,100	0				8	76
Malabar Street water supply	1,500	0				800	58
Lady Gordon's Pumping Scheme	3,500	0				680	22
	114,261	0					171,076 23
11—Markets :—							
1 Salaries	12,378	12	450	0		12,037	92
2 Lighting	1,250	0	750	0		2,094	95
3 Sundry charges	750	0				494	89
	14,378	12					14,627 76
12.—Slaughter-house :—							
1 Salaries	3,400	50				3,390	74
2 Grass and straw	750	0				753	72
3 Sundry charges and equipment	125	0				142	25
	4,275	50					4 286 71
13.—Cemeteries :—							
1 Salaries and allowances	7,394	80	60	0		7,668	60
2 Equipment and sundry charges	100	0				34	95
3 Lighting C. K's bungalow	25	0	3	0		29	4
4 Labour for upkeep of cemeteries other than the Mahayaya Cemetery	940	20	526	50		582	39
	8,460	0					8,314 98
14.—Municipal Courts :—							
1 Salaries	6,256	50	120	0		6,173	56
2 Contribution towards salary of Municipal Magistrate	4,500	0	20,161	0		20,161	0
3 Sundry charges	25	0				17	50
4 Lighting	36	0				2	60
5 Travelling allowance	240	0	15	0		255	0
	11,057	50					26,609 66
15.—Fire brigade and ambulance :—							
1 Salaries	20,385	50	412	50		18,072	25
2 Commuted allowance	480	0				480	0
3 Upkeep of fire engines, pumps, petrol, &c.	3,785	0				2,533	90
4 Uniforms and boots	4,600	0	3,468	32		4,159	5
6 Minimax fire extinguishers	360	0					
7 Upkeep of ambulance, petrol, &c.	2,182	0				1,441	85
8 Upkeep of ambulance, repairs	900	0				672	38
9 Drivers, substitutes, and bata	3,922	60				3,735	0
11 Lighting	1,200	0				1,145	76
12 Furniture and sundries	300	0				179	90
13 Sick pay	300	0	80	0		169	18
14 Upkeep of fire engines : Pumps (repairs)	1,875	0				1,692	67
2,000 ft. canvas fire hose	5,990	0				5,805	0
Accoutrement and new furniture for new firemen	1,190	0	279	80		589	80
	47,470	10					40,726 74

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	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs. c.
16.—Police							
17.—Education							
18.—Free Library :—							
1 Salaries	3,170	10		100 0	3,436	86	
2 Rent	900	0			838	20	
3 Newspapers, periodicals (including vernaculars)	900	0	1,103	35	1,821	10	
4 New books	2,000	0	1,378	74	2,195	11	
5 Lighting, furniture, and sundries	500	0			531	90	
	7,470	10					8,823 17
19.—Poor relief and public recreation :							
(A) <i>Maternity and Child Welfare</i>							
1 Salaries, rent allowances, and bonuses	33,259	69			27,655	31	
2 Travelling allowances	4,014	0			3,239	19	
3 Uniforms	2,000	0			1,225	15	
4 Food and medical wants of mothers and children	10,000	0			10,133	63	
5 Equipment	750	0			498	69	
6 Rent of Hay Memorial Child Welfare Centre in Buwchikade	660	0			571	80	
7 Rent of Mulayaya Child Welfare Centre	606	0			571	80	
8 Rent of Child Welfare at Katukolle	766	20			706	20	
9 Rent of Child Welfare Centre at Watapuluwa	300	0			285	0	
10 Rent of Child Welfare Centre at Peradeniya Road	600	0	4,000	0	3,395	58	
11 Rent of Child Welfare Centre at Leulu	300	0			—		
12 Rent of Child Welfare Centre at Ampitiya	300	0			—		
13 Sundry charges	500	0			261	79	
Equipment for 2 new child welfare centres	4,000	0			—		
	58,055	89			48,544	14	
(B) <i>Municipal Free Ayurvedic Dispensary</i>							
14 Salaries and rent allowances	5,362	10	390	0	4,333	40	
15 Oils, drugs, and medicinal herbs	10,000	0	3,000	0	11,701	36	
16 Furniture and equipment	50	0			14	75	
17 Printing, lighting, and sundries	150	0			77	46	
18 Additional branch dispensaries	7,000	0			5,897	66	
Herbarium	—		1,250	0	1,038	47	
	22,562	10			23,063	10	
(C) <i>Grants</i>							
20 Grant to Sri Kalyanodaya Society	200	0			200	0	
21 Grant to the Home for the Aged	750	0			750	0	
22 Contribution to the Kandy Mayor's Flood Relief Fund	100	0			100	0	
23 Contribution to the Kandy Mayor's Relief Fund	500	0			500	0	
	1,550	0			1,550	0	
(D) <i>Poor Law Administration</i>							
24 Administration of poor relief under Poor Law Ordinance 30—							
(a) <i>Pensions</i>							
Supplying books	40,000	0	5,000	0	41,917	50	
Casual relief	2,050	0	1,000	0	2,796	7	
Indoor relief	1,000	0			—		
Indoor relief	1,000	0			—		
(b) <i>Office—</i>							
Salaries	3,789	50	1,981	75	3,084	78	
Travelling allowances	300	0	141	13	175	0	
Stationery	300	0			10	30	
Printed forms and books	250	0			80	30	
Stamps	50	0			26	24	
Sundry charges	25	0			4	65	
New typewriter	700	0			650	0	
Railway holiday warrants and hospital concessions	200	0			30	0	
	49,664	50			48,774	84	
(c) <i>Aid to voluntary agencies—</i>							
26 Grant and lighting of Toc H Boys Club	450	0			439	22	
27 Grant to Home for Destitutes	2,400	0			2,400	0	
28 Grant to Kandy Social Service League	1,800	0			1,800	0	
29 Grant to Evelyn Nurseries	450	0			450	0	
	5,100	0			5,089	22	
(E) <i>Vagrants</i>							
30 Transport, House of Detention and Vagrant Home charges	7,000	0			5,489	47	
(F) <i>Play Centres</i>							
31 Instructor's salary and allowance	3,171	0	285	3	3,498	74	
32 Allowance to part-time instructors	720	0	120	0	837	10	
33 Labour	1,681	30			1,570	60	
Equipment and upkeep—							
34 (1) Mahayaya Play Ground	665	50			635	0	
35 (2) Doiyannewela Play Ground	740	50			740	0	
36 (3) Victoria Drive Play Ground	—				—		
37 (4) Katukelle Play Ground	810	0			790	0	
38 (5) Ampitiya Play Ground	537	0			525	70	
39 Tools and contingencies	100	0			63	92	
40 Inter Playground Athletic Meet	500	0			501	29	
41 Salary of Instructor in Oriental Dancing and equipment	600	0			600	0	
42 Sundries	132	0			16	42	
43 Improvements to playgrounds	13,100	0			2,255	66	
	22,757	30			12,034	43	

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<i>(G) Feeding School Children</i>					
45	Grant for feeding school children	—	31,943 91	21,002 26	
<i>(H) Flood Relief</i>					
47	Relief measures in flooded area	100 0		—	
	Lighting barracks		700 0	476 82	166,024 28
20	Pensions :—				
1	Pensions	27,666 69	21,436 75	41,651 65	
2	Gratuties	600 0	360 0	1,217 50	
3	Contribution towards Provident Fund	1,500 0		1,677 57	44,546 72
		29,766 69			
21	Loan repayment and interest —				
<i>Housing Scheme</i>					
1	Interest	226 80		226 80	
2	Principal refunded	5,670 0		5,670 0	
<i>General Loan</i>					
3	Interest	2,211 0		2,211 0	
4	Principal refunded	5,000 0		5,000 0	
<i>Minor River Pumping Schemes</i>					
5	Interest	927 83		927 83	
6	Principal refunded	8,585 77		8,585 77	22,621 40
		22,621 40			
22	Miscellaneous services —				
1	Lighting of Town Hall and Municipal Offices	1,400 0	920 0	2,281 31	
2	Upkeep of town clock	200 0		180 0	
3	Furniture and office equipment	1,350 0	1,003 0	1,608 80	
4	Plates, badges, faretables, and house numbers	600 0		406 70	
5	Rents of leased lands	710 0	14 70	724 70	
6	Destruction of dogs	3,000 0		2,898 91	
7	Legal expenses	2,000 0		1,601 75	
8	Survey of encroachment, &c	1,000 0	100 0	1,134 78	
9	Sundry charges	950 0	2,851 35	3,922 89	
10	Street barriers for Kandy Esala Porahera season	750 0		324 68	
12	Workmen's Compensation Fund	2,000 0		2,000 0	
13	Contribution towards building maternity and child welfare centres	250 0	450 0	706 50	
14	Revision of voters' list			—	
15	Fixing number plates	100 0		235 2	
	Duplicating Administration Report	300 0		250 0	
	Grant to Law Library	250 0		1,521 47	
	Purchase of yard measure		1,545 0	129 25	
	Food production		250 0	1,252 14	
	Duke of Gloucester's visit		3,272 52	23,408 32	
	Write off water charges, civil hospital		37,395 0	803 0	
	Pasteurization of milk—M V S. expenses		2,000 0	990 8	
	Civic reception to Governor-General		1,000 0	271 0	
	Write off grave fees		271 0	—	
	Census of unemployed		2,500 0	—	46,651 30
		14,860 0			
23	Capital expenditure —				
43	Completing construction of Gangawatte Path	2,000 0		891 85	
44	Constructing a further section of Watapuluwa Path	2,000 0		10,214 62	
45	Improvements to town pavements	12,500 0		3,671 68	
46	Re-grading Dodanwela Path	3,500 0		6,838 95	
47	Re-metalling and tarring a section of Brownigg Street	7,000 0		3,061 81	
48	Metalling and tarring Lady Anderson Road	5,500 0			
49	Constructing road to Huduhumpola	5,000 0			
50	Constructing road from Lady Manning Drive to Wattarantenne	500 0			
51	Construction of Glen Avenue Road	500 0		33 22	
52	Acquisition and construction of Siyambalagastenne Road	500 0			
53	Acquisition of Nittawela to Lady Havelock's Drive Road	500 0			
54	Acquisition and construction of Bahnawakande and Annawatte Road	500 0			
55	Constructing Mulgampola Cemetery Road	500 0			
56	Constructing path leading from General Cemetery to Welikande	500 0			
57	Street name boards	2,500 0			
		43,500 0			
<i>Bridges, Culverts, and Retaining Walls</i>					
58	Re-erecting bridge at Glen Avenue	575 0		400 2	
59	Constructing rubble wall from fair market along Torrington Road diam	3,500 0		3,004 40	
		4,075 0			
<i>Drains</i>					
60	Constructing a section of Hal-ela	10,000 0		4,718 83	
61	Covering the open drain in Kirk Street	2,600 0		2,440 45	
62	Constructing drain from Heerassagala-Peradeniya Road Junction towards Peradeniya Bridge (section)	2,000 0			
63	Constructing drains along Katugastota Road	3,500 0			
		18,100 0			

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<i>Buildings</i>					
64	Constructing Clinic at Buwehkado ..	30,000 0		24,298 29	
65	Constructing hall for Community Centre at Katukelo ..	8,000 0		—	
66	Constructing hall for Community Centre at Mahayaya ..	5,000 0	857 0	5,856 48	
67	Construction of walls and roof of Plumber's quarters ..	2,000 0		1,729 21	
68	Improvements to Kandy market fish stalls ..	1,250 0		—	
69	Extension to Ayurvedic dispensary ..	1,880 0		1,607 74	
70	Improvements to labour lines at Mahayaya F Block ..	7,500 0		4,292 47	
71	Installing lights to new stalls in the market ..	2,300 0		1,236 77	
72	Re-wiring Phoenix Tea Gardens ..	500 0		81 29	
73	Installing lights to model tenements at Deiyannewela (section) ..	8,500 0		3,256 4	
74	Installing lights to model tenements at Mahayaya (section) ..	2,000 0			
75	Re-wiring of public market ..	10,000 0			
		<u>82,430 0</u>			
<i>Latrines</i>					
76	Improvements to latrines at Mahayaya ..	1,500 0			
77	Improvements to set of latrines at Buwoikada ..	1,500 0			
78	Constructing public latrine near Malwatte Temple ..	3,500 0			
79	Constructing urinal near Wembley Theatre ..	750 0		482 2	
80	Acquisition and construction of latrine near tamarind tree at Lewella ..	4,000 0			
		<u>11,250 0</u>			
<i>Wells and Bathing Places</i>					
81	Constructing bathing place below reservoir ..	850 0		543 28	
82	Constructing 2 wells at Deiyannewela ..	3,000 0		226 36	
83	Constructing bathing place at Pathaha ..	3,500 0		1,307 85	
84	Constructing bathing place below rock house ..	500 0		230 58	
85	Constructing well at Asgiriya (token vote) ..	10 0		156 95	
		<u>7,860 0</u>			
<i>Water Mains, Stand Posts</i>					
86	Erecting stand post along Hewaheta-Tilwatte ..	700 0		621 36	
87	Purchase of tank for water supply ..	550 0			
88	Laying 2-in. pipe from tank at Halolawa tunnel ..	5,000 0		1,259 60	
89	Providing 4 stand posts in Lewella area ..	4,500 0			
90	Acquisition of existing pumping station at Katugastota (token vote) ..	1,000 0			
91	Constructing storage tank at Ampitiya ..	15,750 0		16,474 34	
92	Constructing storage tank at Halolawa tunnel and providing electric pump ..	10,000 0		8,868 35	
		<u>37,500 0</u>			
<i>Playgrounds</i>					
93	Improvements to Bogambara playground, &c. ..	3,000 0		2,633 47	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>					
94	Acquisition of land for cemetery at Wattarantenne ..	3,000 0			
95	Constructing platform at new market stalls ..	2,500 0		2,188 6	
96	Purchase of van for dog seizing ..	5,000 0		4,370 0	
97	Construction of a dog pound ..	3,000 0			
		<u>13,500 0</u>			
	Total ..	<u>221,215 0</u>			
<i>Loan Funds and Government Grants</i>					
98	Re-building offices of Health Department ..	37,000 0			
99	High level reservoir ..	125,000 0			
		<u>162,000 0</u>			
<i>Poor Law</i>					
100	Constructing an orphanage (token vote) ..	1,000 0			
61/47	Re-building record room ..		2,610 65	501 75	
	Unemployment relief works ..		61,500 0	6,661 46	
57/48	Purchase of Bedford tanker ..		3,678 30	3,271 0	
				<u>127,430 55</u>	
101	Erect standpost near Railway Approach and Peradeniya Road Junction ..		350 0	245 62	
102	Purchase of 3 Chloronomes ..		15,520 0		
103	Cost of night soil depot in Torrington Road ..		6,000 0	2,007 79	
104	Cost of standposts at Mulgampola and Annawatte ..		380 0	207 73	
105	Cost of new road connecting Asgiriya Road with Mapanawatura Road ..		7,382 0	5,881 49	
106	Purchase of secondhand tipper for Works Department ..		4,000 0	4,000 0	
107	Cost of boat for life saving purposes on the lake ..		1,600 0	1,500 0	
108	Cost of vesting Crown lands in possession of the Council ..		1,215 0	1,215 0	
109	Acquisition of land for public well at 64, Mapanawatura Passage ..		90 0	90 0	
110	Acquisition of land for public well at 9, Bahirawakande ..		1,350 0	1,254 25	
111	Construction of 4 standposts at Deiyannewela ..		961 15	817 63	
112	Cost of 60-gallon capacity tar sprayer and 60-gallon capacity tar boiler ..		4,000 0		
53/46	Widening of Colombo Street-Castle Hill Street Junction ..		50 0	50 0	
63/46	Investigation of water scheme ..		2,527 15	410 78	
56/47	Purchase of fire hose and life saving apparatus ..		8,907 60	3,907 60	
59/48	Purchase of 900 gallons Bedford tanker ..		4,000 0		
62/48	Purchase of equipment to house fire station, erection of steel structure on present site ..	1,500 0			
	Temporary arrangements to house equipment ..	500 0			
	For painting the iron and zinc structure ..	1,128 0	3,128 0	5,530 44	
		<u>3,500 0</u>			

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE	Estimate for 1949		Supplemental Provision		Amount Incurred		Total	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
45/45 Construction of further section of Udamadapotha Road			1,062	14				
63/45 Purchase of Dodge truck and tipping gear			381	73				
49/47 Construction of retaining wall in Gregory Road			2,500	0				
60/47 Purchase of Mono pump for the Katugastota Pumping Station			5,500	0		5,500	0	
66/47 Construction of road from junction of Watarantenne to Lady McCallum's Drive			60	0				
82/47 Extension of water service from Pitakanda storage tank along Haloluwa Road			5,000	0		3,813	25	
91/47 Pumps and accessories for Peradeniya Pumping Station			12,000	0				
44/48 Improvements to Gangawatte Path			2,000	0				
47/48 Repairing barrel drains			1,584	18		1,303	40	
50/48 Half cost of building roadside drains opposite P S Bus Co in Peradeniya Road			1,002	50		1,002	50	
53/48 Construction of public latrines at bus stands and playgrounds			2,186	0				
58/48 Barbed wire fence in a section of Mahayaya cemetery			150	0		131	5	
60/48 Construction of high level reservoir			560	58				
67/48 Construction of Dodanwela footpath			500	0				
54/48 Truck for transport of meat from slaughter-house to market			12,500	0				
64/48 Installation of 4,000 gallon tank to supply water to Lady McCallum's Drive			2,000	0				
			Total			171,299	8	

Loans and Grants

	Supplemental Provision	Amount Incurred
	Rs c	Rs c
Mavilmada Housing Scheme	589,458 85	251,131 60
Getambe Resettlement Scheme	1,069,615 0	213,895 16

ELECTRICITY DEPARTMENT

Revenue Account for the Eleven Months, January 1 to November 30, 1949

Dr	EXPENDITURE	Estimate for 1949	Incurring from January 1 to November 30, 1949	Total	Incurring from January 1 to November 30, 1948
		Rs c	Rs c	Rs c.	Rs c.
Generation of electricity :—					
(1)	Fuel	135,900 0	102,520 61		106,098 58
(2)	Oil waste and engine room stores	53,000 0	48,893 35		45,686 66
(3)	Salaries and wages at works	28,448 63	27,204 34		26,105 58
(4)	Repairs and maintenance—				
	(a) Buildings	3,000 0	3,457 86		2,923 95
	(b) Engines, boilers, machinery, and plant	7,000 0	11,345 38	204,914 76	5,966 25
	(c) Spare parts for machinery	10,000 0	11,493 22		14,677 76
Distribution of electricity :—					
(5)	Salaries and wages—				
	(a) Repairs and maintenance of mains	16,787 44	18,868 28		14,687 12
	(b) Replacement of consumers' service mains	1,218 90	85 70		310 2
	(c) Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus	8,233 42	6,999 68	25,953 66	5,809 12
(6)	Materials—				
	(a) Repairs and maintenance of mains	12,000 0	11,055 79		11,416 38
	(b) Replacement of consumers' service mains	1,000 0	615 73		724 26
	(c) Repairs and maintenance of meters, switches, and other apparatus	500 0	443 10	12,114 62	415 10
Public lamps —					
(7)	Salaries and wages	8,483 24	7,321 95		6,190 88
(7A)	Repairs and maintenance	8,000 0	5,426 59	12,748 54	6,005 72
Works executed for customers :—					
(8)	Labour	13,132 96	10,171 29		11,269 46
(9)	Materials	20,000 0	27,070 33	37,241 62	20,198 12
Management and general expenses :—					
(10)	Salaries	55,400 95	44,161 46		48,734 23
(10A)	Commuted travelling allowances	2,370 0	1,838 49		2,155 0
(11)	Rent and lighting of engineer's bungalow	1,450 0	1,342 24		1,293 36
(12)	Printing and stationery	4,000 0	2,002 32		1,859 39
(13)	Fire insurance	750 0	672 92		444 8
(14)	Legal expenses	700 0	622 95		619 25
(15)	Telephone	485 0	322 33		485 0
(16)	Audit fees	850 0	—		—
(17)	Fees for inspections of the Power Station	300 0	—		—
(18)	Tools	900 0	1,097 91		1,207 32
(19)	Sundry charges	800 0	879 50		352 1
(19A)	Pensions	3,912 87	31,371 0		7,591 74
	Gratuities	—	285 0		—
	Provident fund	450 0	720 71		106 39
(19B)	Sick Pay	1,200 0	1,510 34		944 28
(20)	Hospital facilities and railway warrants	2,000 0	783 16		557 21
(21)	War allowance	78,000 0	99,737 45		84,354 98
(22)	Assessment rates	12,973 50	11,892 38		25,500 0
	Office equipment	800 0	765 55		—
	National cash register	4,000 0	—		—
	Compensation for loss of life by Electrocutation	—	1,000 0	201,005 71	—
Total amount of working expenses		498,046 91		493,978 91	454,869 20
Gross profit carried to net revenue account				168,753 79	111,165 84
		498,046 91		662,732 70	566,035 4

INCOME	Estimate for 1949		Accrued from January 1 to November 30, 1949		Total		Accrued from January 1 to November 30, 1948	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Sale of electricity :—								
(1) Private lighting and power and heating	345,000	0	370,696	70			327,744	45
(2) Public lighting	80,000	0	86,512	60			63,480	25
(3) Municipal Departments (lighting)	2,500	0	4,260	3			2,985	70
(4) Municipal Departments (power)	15,000	0	13,346	86			14,411	20
(5A) War fuel cost surcharge	80,000	0	40,664	96	515,481	15	36,028	12
Works executed for customers and goods sold :—								
(6) From customers	35,000	0	48,467	57			38,560	54
(6A) From Municipal Departments	150	0	769	51	49,237	8	198	76
Rent of meters :—								
(7) Recoveries from customers	125,000	0	11,493	4			10,744	56
(7A) Recoveries from Municipal Departments	250	0	223	0	11,721	4	248	50
Sundry revenue :—								
(8) Miscellaneous receipts	1,500	0	6,404	76			4,114	7
Government grant for payments of war allowance	76,600	0	79,888	67	86,293	43	67,518	89
Total	648,500	0			662,732	70	566,035	4

Municipal Office,
Kandy, February 15, 1950.

H. DE MEL,
Municipal Accountant

Nett Revenue Account for the Eleven Months, January 1 to November 30, 1949

Dr.	Rs.	c.	Cr.	Rs.	c.
To transfer to Depreciation Reserve	55,000	0	By balance from 1948	475,241	1
„ transfer to reserve for compensation under Workmen's Compensation Ordinance	916	68	„ Interest	1,297	33
„ Debts irrecoverable written off	221	90	„ Gross profit up to November 30, 1949	168,753	79
„ Nett profit unappropriated on December 31, 1948	475,241	1			
„ Nett profit up to October, 31, 1949	92,049	77			
„ Nett profit for November, 1949	21,862	77			
	113,912	54			
	589,153	55			
	645,292	13			
				645,292	13

Kandy, February 15, 1950.

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Balance Sheet, December 30, 1949

LIABILITIES	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
To Loans repaid :—						
Up to December 31, 1948					453,600	0
Revenue contributions towards capital outlay :—						
Up to December 31, 1948					1,161,908	29
Contributions from reserve funds towards capital outlay :—						
Up to December 31, 1948					108,753	45
					1,722,261	74
Sundry creditors :—						
Trade accounts					72,402	71
Deposit accounts—						
Customers—for current and work done					56,496	80
Sundry					11,247	32
Sundry securities					—	—
					67,744	12
					140,146	83
Outstanding wages					10,472	77
Reserves against depreciation of plant :—						
Reserve up to December 31, 1948					811,299	77
Add reserve provided—January to November 30, 1949					55,000	0
Add interest accrued on investments					6,226	81
					872,526	58
Reserve against workmen's compensation :—						
Up to December 31, 1948					4,329	95
Reserve provided—January to November 30, 1949					924	18
					5,254	13
Less compensation paid					2,400	0
					2,854	13
Reserve against stores					875,380	71
Investment valuation adjustment account					9,204	34
Nett revenue account					3,712	75
					589,153	55
					3,350,332	69

ASSETS AND CAPITAL OUTLAY	Capital Outlay up to 1948		Capital Outlay during the Year		Total Capital Outlay	
	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
By Acquisition of undertaking	150,000	0	—	—	150,000	0
Land for transformer station	810	0	—	—	810	0
Buildings	54,971	83	1,979	74	56,951	57
Engines, boilers, and other machinery	678,224	96	56,290	10	734,515	6
Tools and sundry plant	10,685	36	11,469	35	22,154	71
Mains service lamp standard and terminal boxes	729,156	30	93,867	57	823,023	87
Meters	91,698	29	13,321	56	105,019	85
Motor lorries and vans	6,715	0	—	—	6,715	0
	1,722,261	74	176,928	32	1,899,190	6
Sundry debtors:—						
For current and fittings supplied	109,498	40				
Less reserve against irrecoverables	100	0				
			109,398	40		
Hire purchase accounts			229	58		
					109,627	98
Stores in hand					121,552	75
Rails account					949	79
Advances:—						
To municipal officers to purchase motor vehicles			9,426	66		
Insurance premium			518	58		
General revenue			355,000	0		
Other advances			10	11		
					364,955	35
Loan to general revenue					117,400	36
Investments:—						
Depreciation fund—						
3½ per cent. Ceylon Government loan			105,000	0		
Fixed deposits in Mercantile Bank of India			—	—		
Fixed deposits in Bank of Ceylon			407,500	0		
Loans to the general revenue			52,195	68		
Workmen's compensation—						
Fixed deposit Mercantile Bank			—	—		
Cash awaiting investment			—	—		
					565,695	68
Fixed deposits:—						
At Mercantile Bank			—	—		
At Bank of Ceylon			40,000	0		
At National Bank			—	—		
Current account at Mercantile Bank			128,812	82		
In hand of shroff			1,924	26		
Petty cash account:—						
In hand of shroff			195	83		
In hand of M. E. E.			27	81		
					170,960	72
					3,350,332	69

Municipal Office,
Kandy, February 15, 1950

H. DE MEL,
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GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

General Meeting, Monday, October 31, 1949

The Council assembled this day at 3 p.m. pursuant to notice dated September 27, 1949.

Present—W. T. Wijekulasuriya, Esq. (Mayor), presiding; and A. D. H. Weeratunga, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, A. H. E. Fernando, E. D. Nagahawatte, B. M. Charles, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. Y. Weerasiri, R. B. M. Korlage, A. R. M. Thassim, H. K. Edmund, M. Abdul Rahuman, and F. Magdon Ismail.

1 The minutes of the General Meeting held on September 26, 1949, were amended by the insertion of the words "at the request of the Mayor" immediately before the words "the mover" in line 53, page 5.

The minutes of the general meeting held on September 26, 1949, as amended, were taken as read and confirmed.

2 Pursuant to notice, Mr. H. K. Edmund asked the following questions which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—Will the Mayor be pleased to state the reasons for not complying with the request of the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, made by letter No. EA 3/17, dated June 16, 1949, seeking the views of the Council?

A.—As the Council having considered all due representations, had already made its recommendations to the Chairman, Local Government Service Commission, and

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as no new circumstances had arisen since then to warrant a recommendation of the subject.

Arising out the reply to the question of Mr. H. K. Edmund, Mr. W. Dahanayake asked the following supplementary question:—"It is not a fact that a similar letter was placed before the Council?"

The Mayor: I am not aware.

3 Pursuant to notice, Mr. M. Abdul Rahuman asked the following questions which the Mayor answered:—

Q.—(1) Will the Mayor please state the name of the Muslim priests who were invited to the civic reception to the Prime Minister?

A.—His Holiness Maulana Sheik Jiffry and Maulavi H. L. Abdul Hamid.

Q.—(2) Is the Mayor aware that reply to my question No. (1) at the last meeting was incorrect?

A.—No.

Arising out of the reply to question (1), Mr. M. Abdul Rahuman asked the following supplementary question:—Was the Mayor aware of the fact that His Holiness Sheik Jiffry was not in Ceylon at the time the Prime Minister visited Galle?

The Mayor: I am not aware.

Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga: Might I know whether the member for Talapitiya gave any addresses of persons to be invited to the civic reception to the Prime Minister?

The Mayor: No.

(At this stage, Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri moved Council into Committee. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—Carried.)

Council in Committee.

4. Pursuant to notice, Mr M. Abdul Rahuman moved:—That this Council recommends to the Local Government Services Commission that the the post of Registrar and Investigating Officer be placed on the higher staff, on an approved scale of salary, in view of the fact that this post is on a par with that of an executive officer of the Council.—Mr. A. H. E. Fernando seconded. Mr. W. Dahanayake moved as an amendment that the application of the Registrar and Investigating Officer to be placed on the higher staff dated May 31, 1948, be placed before Council for its views. The Mayor ruled the amendment as out of order.

Mr. W. Dahanayake next moved as a further amendment that letter No. EA 3/17 dated August 16, 1949, of the L. G. S. C. calling upon the Council for its views on the application of the Registrar and Investigating Officer be placed before Council.

The Mayor ruled the further amendment as out of order.

The Motion of Mr. M. Abdul Rahuman was then put to the meeting and carried by 7 votes to 2.

Mr. H. K. Edmund called for a division which resulted as follows.—*For*: Messrs. D. S. Goonesekera, M. Abdul Rahuman, A. H. E. Fernando, W. Dahanayake, F. Magdon Ismail, B. N. Charles, and D. A. S. P. Dahanayake. *Against*: The Mayor and Mr. H. K. Edmund. *Declined to vote*: Messrs. A. R. M. Thassim, E. D. Nagahawatte, R. B. M. Koralage, D. Y. Weerasiri, and A. D. H. Weeratunga.

With the permission of Council, Mr. H. K. Edmund moved that the salary schemes already formulated for all the employees of the Council be revised. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded. The motion was put to the meeting and carried.

5. The following extracts from the meetings of the Standing Committee on Finance were laid on the table:—

(a) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 23, 1949*

(2) List of demobilised buildings in Ward Nos. 2, 7, 13 and 14.—Recommended that the rates due on the following premises be struck off:—*Ward No. 2*: Premises No. 119/1, Wackwella Road; *Ward No. 7*: Premises No. 47/1/A, Morris Road; *Ward No. 13*: Premises No. 154/5, Bope Road; 17/1, Kumbalwella Lane; 59/1, Kumbalwella Lane 1; 21/1, Wekunagoda Road; 40/13, Wekunagoda Road; 109, 111, 113, 115, Kumbalwella Road, and premises No. 44, Talagahahena Lane.

(3) Considered the question of waiving the rates due on premises No. 14/2, Kandewatte Mosque Lane, on the ground of poverty of the owner.—Recommended that the rates due on premises No. 14, Kandewatte Mosque Lane, from 3rd Quarter, 1947 to 1949, be waived on the ground of poverty of the owner.

(5) Considered an application from T. Sokkanathan, Ward Inspector, for a loan of Rs. 250 to purchase a bicycle.—Recommended that Mr. T. Sokkanathan, Ward Inspector, be granted a loan of Rs. 250 to purchase a bicycle and that it be recovered on the usual terms.

(6) Considered an application from P. V. Peter, Patrolman, Water Works Department, for a loan to purchase a bicycle.—Recommended that P. V. Peter, Patrolman, Water Works Department, be granted a loan of Rs. 160 to purchase a bicycle and that it be recovered on the usual terms.

(7) To fix a date of payment of the revised travelling allowances to non-L. G. S. C. employees of the Council's Service.—Recommended that the revised travelling allowances to non-L. G. S. C. employees be paid with effect from July 1, 1949.

(8) To consider the question of granting a travelling allowance to the Temporary Assistant Engineer, Mr. L. I. Coenraad, in the Works and Water Works Department.—Recommended that the Temporary Assistant Engineer, Mr. L. I. Coenraad, attached to the Works and Water Works Department be paid a car allowance

in accordance with the revised scheme of travelling allowance formulated by the Local Government Services Commission, as from the date of his appointment.

(9) Considered the question of fixing the duty hours of the monthly-paid watchers of the Council.—Recommended that, with a view to arrange eight-hour shifts for the watchers in the Council's Services three caretakers be appointed on the salary scale of Rs. 300—Rs. 720—20—Rs. 15, plus usual allowances.

(10) To sanction the following supplemental votes:—
(a) Rs. 200 under Vote E 7/11; (b) Rs. 135 under Vote L 7 (h), Distress Fund, (c) Rs. 200 under Vote D (b) 5—Maintenance of buildings—for renovation of the shed in M. C. Office for parking of vehicles; (d) Rs. 183.22 under Vote D (d) 1—Maintenance of stand posts—for the removal of the stand post near Messrs. Windsor Bros. in Main Street; (e) Rs. 125 under Vote N (a) 8—widening of Sea Street; (f) Rs. 298.76 under Vote N (e) 6—for the erection of a stand post at the Ice Mila Junction; (g) Rs. 207.35 under Vote B 1—Salaries, Rs. 106.81 under Vote B 3—Living allowance; and Rs. 10.37 under Vote B 4—Rent allowance—to meet the cost of difference of salary and other allowances due to Mr. L. Dias Abeysinghe, Revenue Inspector, in terms of L. G. S. C. letter No. AG 148 of July 28, 1949; (h) Rs. 684.33 under Vote N (e) 5—Erection of a stand post in Talbot Town; (i) a sum of Rs. 814.32 under the appropriate vote head to meet the extra personal emoluments consequent on the temporary posts of two clerks in the Works Department being made permanent; (j) a sum of Rs. 320 under Vote D (a) 3—Living allowance and Rs. 80 under Vote D (a)—Rent allowance for the payments to the temporary Assistant Engineer, Works and Water Works Department; (k) Rs. 1,460 under the appropriate vote head for the provision of a stand post in Minagoda; (l) a sum of Rs. 100 under Vote D (b) 5 for the provision of a new gate to the Municipal Office; (m) Rs. 200 under Vote D (b) 5—Maintenance of buildings for replacement of planked doors for M. C. building No. 19—Recommended that the supplemental votes be sanctioned.

(11) To approve the grant of 29 days lapsed vacation leave 1946-1947 to M. Corea, Overseer, Conservancy Department, in terms of leave by-law 7 (vi) on account of excess leave taken during the year 1949.—Recommended that the grant of 29 days lapsed vacation leave 1946-1947 to M. Corea, Overseer, Conservancy Department, in terms of leave by-law 7 (vi) on account of excess leave taken during the year 1949, be approved.

(12) Considered whether in the case of daily-paid employees of the Council who have been appointed to permanent daily-paid posts and whose periods of service in the temporary posts have been continuous with their permanent posts, their period of service in the temporary posts should be counted for the purpose of leave by-laws.—Recommended that in the case of daily-paid employees of the Council who have been appointed to permanent posts and whose periods of service in the temporary posts have been continuous with their permanent posts, their periods of service in the temporary posts be counted for the purposes of the leave by-laws.

(13) Considered the question of giving on lease or otherwise the fruit trees in the Hiyare Reservoir premises.—Recommended that the fruit trees in the Hiyare Reservoir premises be leased to the Curator of the Hiyare reservoir on a monthly rental of Rs. 5.

(14) Applications from K. L. H. Dias, Kangany, Health Department, I. W. G. A. Thegiris, Kangany, Health Department and K. N. L. Nicholas Dias Peon, Municipal Office, respectively, for leave preparatory to retirement.—Recommended that the leave which K. L. H. Dias, Kangany, Health Department, I. W. G. A. Thegiris, Kangany, Health Department, and K. N. L. Dias, Peon, Municipal Office, are entitled to preparatory to retirement be granted to them, and that immediate steps be taken to recruit substitutes to act for these employees at Council's expense.

(16) To consider, further, letter No. EA 3/16 from the Local Government Services Commission dated November 10, 1948, forwarding a memorandum by the Municipal Commissioner regarding the salary scale

assigned to his post.—Recommended that the L. G. S. C. be requested to revise the salary scale of the Municipal Commissioner, Galle, and fix it at Rs. 7,800—10 × Rs. 480—Rs. 12,600 by virtue of its seniority and the scope of its organization should be comparable more with those of these of the Kandy Municipal Council than with those of the recently created Municipal Councils.

(17) Considered the question of applying the scheme of travelling allowances drawn by the L. G. S. C. to officers in the Council who are entitled to travelling allowances.—Recommended (1) that the following allowances be attached to the following posts:—

Post	Allowance
1. Municipal Commissioner ...	Motor Car
2. Municipal Accountant ...	do.
3. Registrar and Investigating Officer ...	do.
4. Revenue Inspector ...	Bicycle
5. Cemetery Keeper ..	do.
6. Electrical Engineer ...	Motor Car
7. Chief Assistant to the Electrical Engineer ...	do.
8. Draughtsman ..	Bicycle
9. Meter and Installation Inspector ..	do.
10. Medical Officer of Health ...	Motor Car
11. Chief Ward Inspector ..	Bicycle
12. Ward Inspector ..	do.
13. S. A. P. C. ...	do.
14. M. C. D. ...	do.
15. M. S. D. ...	do.
16. Public Health Nurses ...	Rickshaw
17. Midwives ...	do.
18. Works and Water Works Engineer ..	Motor Car
19. Buildings Inspector ...	do.
20. Inspector of Works ..	do.
21. Park Keeper ...	Bicycle
22. Waste Detection Officer ..	do.
23. Water Works Inspector ..	do.
24. Motor Licensing Clerk ..	do.
25. Shroff ...	do.
26. Road Overseer ...	do.

(2) that the L. G. S. C. be informed that considerable amount of travelling is being done by the Municipal Electrical Engineer, the Works and Water Works Engineer, and the Medical Officer of Health of the Council and that it be requested to treat these cases as those where special circumstances exist and to fix the travelling attached to these posts at Rs. 150 per mensem, and (3) that the Local Government Services Commission be requested to fix the operative date of the scheme as July 1, 1949, as requested by Council.

(21) Considered the question of re-numbering of properties within the Municipal limits.—Recommended (1) that the tax collector be entrusted with the work of re-numbering of properties within the Municipal limits, (2) that he be required to use only copper nails in fixing the number plates to premises, and (3) that a supplemental expenditure of Rs. 2,284 be provided under Vote L 14 to meet the cost of remuneration for this work to the tax collector.

(22) Considered the question of waiving the balance licence duty due on motor vehicle No. X 9358 amounting to Rs. 22.50 for the period January 1, 1949, to July 12, 1949, consequent on it being included in the list of untraceable vehicles by the C. M. T. as from July 12, 1949, in terms of C. L. G's Circular No. C 1345 of March 18, 1941.—Recommended (1) that the balance licence duty on motor vehicle No. X 9358 amounting to Rs. 22.50 for the period January 1, 1949, to July 12, 1949, be waived consequent on it being included in the list of untraceable vehicles by the C. M. T. as from July 12, 1949, in terms of C. L. G's Circular No. C 1345 of March 18, 1941, and (2) that the refund of the full sum of Rs. 30 already paid as licence duty while the matter was *sub judice*, be approved.

(23) Considered the question of waiving the balance licence duty on motor vehicle No. Z 2693 amounting to Rs. 50 for the period January 1, 1949, to August 14, 1949, consequent on change of possession in terms of

C. L. G's Circular No. 1345 of February 3, 1942.—Recommended that the balance licence duty due on motor vehicle No. Z 2693 amounting to Rs. 50 for the period January 1, 1949, be waived consequent on change of possession in terms of C. L. G's Circular No. C 1345 of February 3, 1942.

(25) To sanction the payment of revised gratuities under rule 21 of the Galle Municipal Pension Minute to E. W. Fernando and W. S. Y. Marthenis, labourers of the Health Department.—Recommended the payment of revised gratuities under rule 21 of the Galle Municipal Pension Minute, to E. W. Fernando and W. S. Y. Marthenis, labourers of the Health Department.

(26) To sanction the award of a pension of Rs. 103.59 per month to Inspector T. D. Abeywardena of the Health Department under section 27 of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 43 of 1947.—Recommended that the award of a pension to Inspector T. D. Abeywardena, Inspector of the Health Department, under section 47 of the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 43 of 1947, be sanctioned.

(27) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 5,000 and re-vote of the unexpended balance of Rs. 15,531.21 in 1948, under Vote CR 3/1 to meet the expenditure that has already been incurred in connection with electricity extensions to lanes.—Recommended that a supplemental vote of Rs. 5,000 and a re-vote of the unexpended balance of Rs. 15,531.21 in 1948, under Vote CR 3/1 to meet the expenditure that has already been incurred in connection with electricity extensions to lanes be approved.

(29) To approve the transfer to Vote N (c)—Construction of New Bucket Carts Rs. 5,000 provided under Vote C (d) 7—New Bucket Carts, and Rs. 1,500 provided under Vote C (d) 8—Upkeep of Carts.—Recommended that the transfer be approved.

(30) To provide a sum of Rs. 3,000 under the appropriate vote for effecting repairs to M. C. drain running by the dairy off Dangedera Street.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 3,000 under the appropriate vote be provided for effecting repairs to M. C. drain running by the dairy off Dangedera Street.

(31) To provide a sum of Rs. 250 for the construction of a screen wall for the latrine at Steele Road.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 250 be provided under the appropriate vote for the construction of a screen wall for the latrine at Steele Road.

(32) To provide under the appropriate vote a sum of Rs. 550 for gravelling of Malwatte Temple Lane.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 550 be provided under the appropriate vote for gravelling of Malwatte Temple Lane.

(33) To provide under the appropriate vote a sum of Rs. 600 for effecting repairs to the I. D. H.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 600 be provided under the appropriate vote for gravelling of Malwatte Temple Lane.

(34) To provide a sum of Rs. 900 under the appropriate vote for widening of Halls Road.—Recommended that a sum of Rs. 900 be provided under the appropriate vote for widening of Halls Road.

(35) Considered an application from Mr. G. C. Nanayakkara, Municipal Accountant, for the purchase of a motor car.—Recommended the grant of a loan of Rs. 6,240 to Mr. G. C. Nanayakkara, Municipal Accountant, for the purchase of a motor car on the usual terms governing the grant of such loans to be recovered in sixty monthly instalments.

(36) To sanction a supplemental vote of Rs. 500 under Vote B 16—Overtime—to pay the officers who worked overtime in connection with the closing of arrears of work for the year 1949.—Recommended that the supplemental vote be sanctioned.

RESOLUTION

With regard to Item 5 (a) (18), it was resolved that the recommendation be referred to the Finance Committee for re-consideration.

It was resolved that the remaining recommendations be adopted.

(b) *Extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 23, 1949*

(1) Considered the grades in which the various posts (in the graded service) of the Council's service should be placed.—Recommended that the future cadre of the Council should consist the following posts:—

(a) *Health Department.*

- (i) One Chief Inspector in the Special Grade.
- (ii) Six Inspectors in Grade II
- (iii) Two qualified Public Health Nurses
- (iv) One Supervisor, Anti-Plague Campaign
- (v) One Clerk in Grade I
- (vi) One Clerk in Grade II
- (vii) One Stenographer in Lower Grade
- (viii) One Assistant Clerk

It was further recommended (1) that the post of Chief Inspector in the Special Grade should not be filled until the present holder of the post retires from service; and (2) that the post of S. A. P. C. should not be in a Grade below Grade II prescribed for qualified Sanitary Assistants, and that, the holder of the post should possess a training in anti-plague work and should not be an unqualified Sanitary Assistant.

(b) *Works and Water Works Department*

- (i) Two Road Overseers in Grade II
 - (ii) One Cart-shed Overseer—Grade II
 - (iii) One Clerk in Grade I
 - (iv) Two Clerks—Grade II
 - (v) One Assistant Clerk
- (c) *Finance Department.*
- (i) Assistant to Accountant—Clerk in Special Grade B of the L. G. Clerical Service
 - (ii) Book-keeper—Clerk in Grade I
 - (iii) Chief Revenue Clerk—Clerk in Grade I
 - (iv) *Assessment Branch*—One Clerk in Grade I, three Clerks in Grade II
 - (v) *Conservancy Branch*—One Clerk in Grade II
 - (vi) *Accounts Branch*—Five Clerks in Grade II, one Clerk (Assistant Clerks Grade)
 - (vii) *Markets*—One Clerk in Grade II
 - (viii) *Tea Boutiques, Eating Houses, Water, &c.*—One Clerk—Grade II
 - (ix) *Electricity Branch*—Three Clerks—Grade II

(d) *Secretariat:*

- (i) One Correspondence Clerk—Grade I
- (ii) One Clerk in Grade II
- (iii) Motor Licensing Clerk—Grade I
- (iv) Record Keeper—Grade II of the Clerical Service
- (v) Two Stenographers—Lower Grade

(e) *Electricity Department:*

- (i) One Clerk in Grade I
- (ii) One Clerk in Grade II

(f) *Poor Law Department:*

- (i) One Clerk in Grade II

(g) *Municipal Court—*

- (i) One Clerk in Grade II

RESOLUTION

With regard to item 5 (b), it was resolved that consideration be deferred, and that in the meantime, an extract of the Committee's recommendation be forwarded to the Galle Municipal Staff's Union for its views.

6. To consider what action should be taken with regard to the part played by the Inspector of Works in the light of a report by the Mayor on the construction of the Bikke Road.

Mr. A. H. E. Fernando moved that the Inspector of Works be interdicted from service and that he be reported to the Local Government Service Commission. Mr. M. Abdul Rahuman seconded.

On the suggestion of Mr. W. Dahanayake, Mr. A. H. E. Fernando, with the consent of the seconder and with the permission of Council amended his original motion as follows.—That the report of the Mayor and all connected papers with regard to the construction of Bikke Road be forwarded to the Local Government Service Commission with a request to the Commission to hold an inquiry into the part played by the Inspector of Works in the matter of construction of that road. Mr. M. Abdul Rahuman seconded. The motion, as amended, was put to the meeting and carried.

7. With the permission of Council, Mr. A. H. E. Fernando moved that this Council is of opinion that the certificate issued by the Principal of a Vidyalaya in Galle to one A. A. Tudor with the intention of securing a job be handed over to the C. I. D. for such action as it may deem it necessary. Mr. W. Dahanayake seconded.—Carried.

8. Considered the question of extending the operation of the Galle Municipal Council (Differential Rates) Ordinance, No. 31 of 1938.—Resolved that the Commissioner of Local Government be requested to take necessary steps to have the operation of the Galle Municipal Council (Differential Rates) Ordinance, No. 31 of 1938, extended for a further period of one year from January 1, 1950, as it will not be possible for the Council to have the supply of electricity extended throughout the town by December 31, 1949.

9. Considered recommendations of the Chief Engineer and Manager, Department of Government Electrical Undertakings, with regard to the tenders received for the new 200-300 K. W. engine alternator set and the Municipal Electrical Engineer's comments thereon.—Resolved (1) that the recommendation of the Department of Government Electrical Undertakings favouring the acceptance of the tender of Messrs Hoare & Co for a Mirrless generating set be accepted; and (2) that before a decision is arrived at with regard to the installation of another generating set, the tests of the Mirrless set that is now being installed be awaited.

10. Considered the report of the Auditor-General for the year ended December 31, 1947.—Resolved that the report of the Auditor-General for the year ended December 31, 1947, be adopted.

11. To consider the letter No. ERO 8 from the Chairman of the Local Government Services Commission with regard to the duty hours of the Power Station Staff.—Resolved that the paper be referred back to the standing Committee on Electricity for consideration and report, and that a copy of the letter be forwarded to the Secretary of the Galle Electricity Workers' Union.

12. Considered papers relating the over-payment of wages to the labourers engaged in the Galle Unemployment Relief Scheme.

The Mayor informed the Council that all labourers were paid at the flat rate of Rs. 1 50 per diem pending clarification of certain points in the circular on the subject by the Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Galle, and the Commissioner of Labour, Colombo. From September 1, he (the Mayor) had made order for the payments to be made in accordance with the Treasury Circular. The wages entitled to by a labourer, according to the Treasury Circular, is Rs. 1 34 per diem.—Resolved that the excess of payment of wages to the labourers in the Galle Unemployment Relief Schemes on this account be borne by the Council.

Mr. H. K. Edmund moved that a deputation of the Council do wait on the Minister of Labour and Social Services with a view to obtaining an increased rate of pay to the labourers engaged in the Unemployment Relief Schemes. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—Carried.

It was resolved that the deputation do consist of the following:—The Mayor and Messrs D. S. Goonesekera and W. Dahanayake.

13. Considered the question of extending the date of payment of assessment rates for the third quarter, 1949, without warrant costs till December 31, 1949.—Resolved that the date of payment of assessment rates without recovering of warrant costs for the third quarter, 1949, be extended to December 31, 1949.

14 To approve the order of the Mayor granting permission to use the small esplanade to the Galle Boy Scouts Association for holding their Scouts Corroborree.—Resolved that the order of the Mayor granting permission to use the small esplanade to the Galle Boy Scouts Association for holding their Scouts Corroborree be approved.

15. Considered acting arrangements whenever the Works and Water Works Engineer is prevented from attending work.—Resolved that, whenever the Works and Water Works Engineer is on leave or is otherwise prevented from attending to his duties, Mr. L. I. Coenraad, Temporary Assistant Engineer in the Works and Water Works Department, be required to act for and perform the duties of the Works and Water Works Engineer.

16. To consider, further, a report of the sub-committee of the Galle Public Assistance Committee on the working of the Galle Women's Co-operative Weaving School.—Resolved that consideration be deferred, and that in the meantime the papers on the subject be circulated amongst the members of Council.

17. At this stage, the Mayor desired that the question of constructing a Town Hall be considered further in the light of information placed at the disposal of the members of the Council by Miss Minnette de Silva, A.R.I.B.A., before the commencement of the meeting.

Mr. W. Dahanayake said that he was very much impressed by the lucid exposition of the Architect with regard to the proposal for the construction of a Town Hall for Galle. The Architect, without committing the Council to any decision or expense, had been good enough to advise it on the most suitable structure for a Town Hall. He, however, suggested before coming to a final decision in the choice of an Architect, the other Architects who had communicated with the Council on the subject should be afforded an opportunity, if they so desired of meeting the members of the Council and of personally explaining their proposal as Miss de Silva had done. It should be made quite clear to those Architects, who would be so informed, that their availing themselves of the opportunity should be purely voluntary and at their own expense.

It was resolved that before a final decision was arrived at in regard to the choice of an Architect for the proposed Town Hall, the other leading Architects who had already communicated with the Council on the subject also be afforded an opportunity of meeting the Mayor and members of Council informally and of explaining their views on the subject without any expense to the Council.

The Mayor moved that the Council do resume from the Committee stage and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—Carried.

18. The following documents were laid on the table:—

(1) Report relating to the closure of a foot-path leading from Gallindawatte in the Madawalamulla ward;

(2) Letter No V 79/7001/61091 dated August 22, 1949, from the acting Postmaster-General with regard to the proposal to open a sub-post office at Kahaduwwatte;

(3) Statement of receipts and disbursements for the month of September, 1949;

(4) Statement of the Municipal Accountant with regard to the arrears of work in the Accounts Department; and

(5) Reports of the field officers of (a) Health Department; (b) Works and Water Works Department.

W. T. WIJEKULASURIYA,
Mayor.

The Municipal Office, Galle.

APPENDIX.

Mayor's Report on the Construction of Bikke Road

THE inspection of Bikke Cross Road to Elliot Road by me along with the Deputy Mayor and several other members of the Council has revealed some glaring de-

fects in the reports submitted to me by the Works Inspector of your department. According to plan filed in this case by the Works Inspector for the purpose of my decision, the construction of this road would have been achieved without much difficulty. In other words, there was no indication on the plan to show the nature of the ground, obstacles that had to be cleared, and the difficulties ordinarily involved therein. The plan merely gave a tracing of the road without showing most of the things that I discovered at my inspection.

It would be not out of place to state here that, in my opinion, the road as is indicated by the trace drawn by the Works Inspector runs through a most uneven track of land involving in the surmounting of serious obstacles, cutting down of a number of hills, and filling up a number of valleys. In my opinion which, although a lay one, is shared by the other members of the Council who were with me at the inspection, the complete cost of the construction of this road would be in the neighbourhood of a couple of lakhs of rupees. This is confirmed by the fact that the amount spent already on this road amounts to Rs. 13,938, while the work that is left over due for completion constitutes about 14/15 of the total work. The misrepresentation by the Works Inspector, that I referred to earlier, is brought out more forcibly when one peruses the estimates that have been made by him for the road which amounted to Rs. 35,000. This figure has later been revised and certain items scored off in pencil reducing the estimate to a sum of Rs. 19,500. The period during which this road was estimated to have been finished was put down as 4½ months, later struck off, rectified in pencil to 12 months. I do not know in what circumstances these alterations have come to be brought about on the estimates and other papers in the file. But it is abundantly clear that estimates, before and after amendment, fall far short of the correct estimate, in point of view of the nature of the work itself, the expenditure involved, and the time taken for the completion thereof. These gross inaccuracies suggest a very bad type of carelessness, or deliberate misrepresentation on the part of this officer. I would ordinarily have put this matter down as carelessness, if I am told, that the officer did not visit the scene, but where he has already gone to the extent of preparing a sketch-plan and therein marked certain redeeming features at the spot, one cannot be too sure that it was carelessness that brought about this lapse.

It would appear that from the papers available in this file, one Mr. O. W. Bultjens owns a property on the right side of this road between the Buddhist temple premises and Bikke reservoir. This gentleman has signed the original papers that were submitted to me by Mr. Yoga Weerasiri, M.M.C. I am also made to understand that this gentleman is the father of the Works Inspector and was extremely anxious to obtain a cart road to his land to which he is expected to go into residence. This is confirmed to some extent by the fact that Mr. O. W. Bultjens, since the construction of this road has started effecting major alterations to a smaller house on his land, referred to above, which ordinarily would not have been of much use to him, if not for the construction of this road. It has been alleged, therefore, that the Inspector of Works, with the sole idea of having a road constructed to help his father, Mr. O. W. Bultjens with a cart road, thought he might, by process of setting the ball rolling in this matter, get one constructed at Council's expense, and for that purpose submitted deliberately false and incorrect reports misrepresenting the true nature of the facts regarding the work of this road, thereby inducing me to give my consent to the start being made in the construction thereof. I cannot but say at this stage that although a specific order of mine does not appear to be found along with these papers, I was made aware of the fact that the work on this road was to begin and, I did give my assent thereto, moved to a very great extent by confirmation of these reports of the Works Inspector, by my Deputy Mayor, namely, Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri. Mr. Weerasiri's note to me to the effect that "the land owners through whose land the proposed road runs have submitted a letter of permission requesting me to start work on the road", was an indication that all the preliminaries had been attended to by Mr. Weerasiri himself, and that there was nothing to withhold the start of the work. I very much regret to say that although I acted on Mr. Weerasiri's representations by

that minute of his dated June 28, 1948, after inspection of the road itself, I feel that I have not been told the whole truth. I have already made an order as regards the further construction of the road, but I would like to pursue this matter against the Works Inspector for the part he has played in this rather dubious transaction. The Works Inspector should be called upon to show cause why he should not be punished for making misrepresentations to me by way of incorrect reports, plans, estimates, &c., with the intention of serving his own private ends.

In conclusion, I would like to place on record my warm appreciation of the manner in which Mr. A. H. E. Fernando, M. M. C. for Dangedara Ward, assisted me in the course of my inquiries in this matter at much inconvenience to himself. As has already been recorded elsewhere, Mr. Fernando had occasion to bring this matter to the notice of the Council and the lively interest he has displayed in this matter was highly commendable.

July 21, 1949.

Intd. W. T. W.,
Mayor of Galle.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Special Meeting, Monday, November 7, 1949

The Council assembled this day at 4 p.m., pursuant to notice dated May 2, 1949.

Present—W. T. Wijekulasuriya, Esq (Mayor), presiding; A. D. H. Weeratunga, Esq (Deputy Mayor), Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. H. E. Fernando, B. M. Charles, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. Y. Weerasiri, R. B. M. Koralage, A. R. M. Thassim, H. K. Edmund, M. Abdul Rahuman, and F. Magdon Ismail.

1. Considered tenders received for the leases for 1950, in respect of the following:—(a) Bazaar beef market; (b) mutton stalls 3 and 14; (c) mutton stall to be opened at the old offal market; (d) Kaluwella beef and mutton market; (e) Dewata beef and mutton market; (f) fish auction shed rights; and (g) poultry mart.

(The Mayor moved Council into Committee. Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri seconded.—Carried).

Council in Committee

With regard to (a) Bazaar beef market, Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga moved that, although the highest tender received was for Rs. 37,111.11 from a butcher in Colombo, the lease of the Bazaar beef market be offered to the present lessee who is a local man at Rs. 35,000.—Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte seconded.

Mr. B. M. Charles moved as an amendment, that the tender of K. N. M. Uduman for Rs. 37,111.11 being the highest received for the lease of the Bazaar beef market be accepted.—Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri seconded.

At this stage, Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga, with the permission of Council, withdrew his original motion and moved as an amendment that the lease of the Bazaar beef market be offered to M. I. M. Shaffy, the present lessee, at Rs. 37,111.11.—Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and carried.

With regard to (b) mutton stalls 3 and 14, it was resolved that the following tenders being the only tenders received be accepted:—Mutton Stall No. 3, A. R. M. Hussain Rs. 1,101.21; Mutton Stall No. 14, A. R. A. Wadood Rs. 2,821.17.

With regard to (c) mutton stall to be opened at the old offal market, it was resolved that the only tender received from M. I. M. Shaffy at Rs. 611.11 be accepted.

With regard to (d) Kaluwella Beef and Mutton Market, it was resolved that in view of the fact that the highest tenderer, M. S. K. Seeni Mohamed, who was present at the meeting, had declined to accept the lease, it be offered to the next highest tender of A. H. M. Hussain at Rs. 4,521.71.

With regard to (e) Dewata Beef and Mutton Market, it was resolved that in view of the fact that the highest tenderer K. M. M. Kamradu at Rs. 3,111.11, had failed to be present at the meeting and accept the lease, it be offered to the next highest tenderer at Rs. 2,411.71.

With regard to (f) fish auction shed rights, it was resolved that it be offered to the present lessee, H. V. David, at Rs. 21,600 being the amount in the highest tender received.

With regard to (g) poultry mart, it was resolved that the tender of M. I. M. Shaffy being the highest tender received at Rs. 3,221.21 be accepted.

2. To consider the conditions for the lease of the lease of the poultry mart

Resolved that the following new condition be approved, and that it be embodied in the agreement for the lease of the poultry mart in future.—“The Council shall have the right to alter the conditions regarding the manner in which poultry shall be sold or disposed of at the stalls.”

3. To consider the disposal of leases for 1950 of M. C. shops other than those reported on by the Special Committee of Council.—Resolved that the leases of the M. C. shops for 1950, other than those reported on by the Special Committee of Council, and except M. C. shop No. 74A, Green Market Street, for the lease of which for the year 1950 tenders should be called, be offered to the present lessees on the same rentals as for 1949.

4. Considered an application by the Galle Boys Scout Association for a suitable site to put up a Headquarters building for the Galle District Boys Scout Association. The Mayor pointed out that the proposed site which was behind the Galle bus waiting hall had contained a plantation but since its removal this portion of ground presented a van appearance. A building as proposed by the Boys Scouts Association would, however, add to the aesthetic view of the place.

Mr. D. S. Goonesekera moved. (1) that the site mentioned by the Mayor be given on lease to the Galle Boys Scouts Association for the purpose of erecting a Headquarters building for the Association, (2) that the Galle Boys Scouts Association be requested to submit plans for the approval of Council; and (3) that the conditions of the lease be submitted to Council at a later date for approval.—Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake seconded. Mr. W. Dahanayake spoke against the motion. Mr. H. K. Edmund moved as an amendment, that a Special Committee of Council be appointed to report on the application of the Galle Boys Scouts Association.—Mr. W. Dahanayake seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost, 3 voting for and 4 against, the division being as follows:—*For*: Messrs. H. K. Edmund, W. Dahanayake, and B. M. Charles. *Against*: Messrs. A. D. H. Weeratunga, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, and R. B. M. Koralage. *Declined to vote*: The Mayor, Messrs. E. D. Nagahawatte, A. H. E. Fernando, D. Y. Weerasiri, A. R. M. Thassim, M. Abdul Rahuman, and F. Magdon Ismail.

The substantive motion was then put to the meeting and carried.

The Mayor moved that the Council to resume from the Committee stage, and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—Carried.

W. T. WIJEKULASURIYA,
The Municipal Office, Galle. Mayor.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

General Meeting, Monday, November 28, 1949

The Council assembled this day at 3 p.m. pursuant to notice dated November 23, 1949.

Present: W. T. Wijekulasuriya, Esq. (Mayor), presiding; A. D. H. Weeratunga, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. H. E. Fernando, B. M. Charles, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, R. B. M. Koralage, A. R. M. Thassim, H. K. Edmund, M. Abdul Rahuman, M. L. de S. Jayasekera and F. Magdon Ismail.

1. The minutes of the general meeting held on October 31, 1949, and of the special meeting of November 7, 1949, having been previously submitted to the Mayor for his approval and copies thereof having been furnished to each member, were taken as read and confirmed.

2 In the absence of Mr D Y Weerasiri, the following questions which stood against his name were deferred —

(1) Was Mr C M Nandoris the tenant of the M C premises No 18, Main Street, in the year 1946 up to the end of March?

(2) Did he pay all dues to the Council up to that date when he was ejected on a warrant issued by the Commissioner?

(3) Was the said premises closed up during the whole of April, 1946?

(4) Was it auctioned again and did Mr C M Nandoris become its tenant on a monthly rental of Rs 253 75 per mensem on a fresh agreement?

(5) Did the Council renew the rent again on the recommendation of a Committee?

(6) Did the Council agree to accept Rs 46 87 per mensem from August 1, 1946?

(7) How much of Mr Nandoris' money was in the hands of the Council at this stage?

(8) When the Council renewed the rent on the recommendation of the Committee did they include the months of January, February and March, 1946, and get him to pay Rs 75 for those months?

(9) What authority had the Council to make him pay for the months of January, February and March on an enhanced scale when there was no agreement or any due to the Council from him for three months?

(10) Is Mr C M Nandoris not entitled to a refund of all the excess rent charged for those months (January, February and March, 1946)?

(11) Will the Mayor or the Commissioner or some authority look into this matter and make a refund of the excess money taken for the months of January, February and March, 1946, or appoint a Committee to review this question again and make a refund?

3 Pursuant to notice, Mr W Dahanayake asked the following questions which the Mayor answered —

Q — (1) When did Mrs Ummul Fukura submit plans for a latrine at 195/25, Saranankara Road?

A — On July 5, 1949

Q — (2) Why have these plans not been approved?

A — In view of the fact that the site was not considered suitable

Q — (3) Why was she prosecuted?

A — For commencing building operations without a permit

Q — (4) What happened to the prosecution?

A — A fine of Rs 10 was imposed

Q — (5) Why could not the prosecution be stayed pending the approval of plans?

A — As a prosecution was instituted for building without a permit and as, in any case, the site was not considered suitable for a latrine

Arising out of the reply to question (5), Mr W Dahanayake asked the following supplementary question — Was she informed prior to the institution of the case?

The Deputy Mayor. On hearing that an unauthorized building was coming up, I went to the spot and requested the party to stop work but she had not paid any heed to my request Hence the prosecution

4 Pursuant to notice, Mr M Abdul Rahuman moved — "That this Council requests the Hon'ble the Minister of Labour and Social Services to exempt all business places in Galle, outside the Municipal markets limits, from the operation of the Shops Act and to allow their closing hour to be extended to 8 p m "

The mover, with the permission of Council, amended his original motion to read as follows — "This Council requests the Hon'ble the Minister of Labour and Social Services to amend the Shops Act to enable all business places in Galle, outside the markets limits, to be opened upto 8 p m "

The motion, as amended, was seconded by Mr A. H. E. Fernando

Mr H K Edmund moved as an amendment that this Council requests the Hon'ble the Minister of Labour and Social Services (1) to amend the Shops Act to enable all business places in Galle, outside the Municipal markets limits, to be opened up to 8 p m, and (2) to adjust the actual period of transaction of business so as to prevent an extension of the working period as provided in the Shops Act Mr E D Nagahawatte seconded The amendment was put to the meeting and carried by 5 votes to 2 The division was as follows — For Messrs H K Edmund, D A S P Dahanayake, D S Goonesekera, R B M Korallage, and E D Nagahawatte Against Messrs W Dahanayake and A D H Weeratunga Declined to vote The Mayor, M Abdul Rahuman, B M Charles, M L de S Jayasekera, A H E Fernando, F Magdon Ismail, and A R M Thassim

(At this stage, the Mayor moved Council into Committee. Mr W Dahanayake seconded — Carried)

Council in Committee

5 Pursuant to notice, Mr F Magdon Ismail moved — (1) That water pipes at the southern section of Leyn Baan Street from Pedlar Street—Leyn Baan Street junction be removed and new pipes be laid, and (2) pending the laying of new pipes, the old pipes be cleaned Mr H K Edmund seconded Resolved that the motion, in the first instance, be referred to the Standing Committee on Municipal Works for consideration and report

6 At this stage, Mr A. D. H. Weeratunga gave notice of the following motion — "This Council resolves to open a current account with Municipal Funds in the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd, Galle Branch, in addition to the account with the Bank of Ceylon "

7 The following extracts from the Minutes of the Standing Committees were laid on the table —

(a) Standing Committee on Municipal Works of November 21, 1949

(5) Considered an estimate of Rs 1,600 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for the construction of a side drain along Upper Dickson Road — Recommended that the estimate of Rs 1,600 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for the construction of a side drain along Upper Dickson Road be approved, and that it be referred to the Finance Committee for necessary financial provision

(6) Considered an estimate of Rs 2,500 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for the construction of a side drain by the boundary wall of the bungalow of Mr R. A. Kale in Upper Dickson Road — Recommended that the estimate of Rs 2,500 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for the construction of a side drain by the boundary wall of the bungalow of Mr R. A. Kale in Upper Dickson Road be approved, and that it be referred to the Finance Committee for necessary financial provision

(8) Considered an estimate of Rs 83 50 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer to shift a stand post in Abeysondera Road to another site on the same road — Recommended that the estimate of Rs 83 50 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer to shift a stand post in Abeysondera Road to another site on the same road be approved, and that it be referred to the Finance Committee for necessary financial provision

(10) Considered an estimate of Rs 1,017 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for providing locking arrangements for sluice or scour valves of the Galle Water Supply Scheme — Recommended that the estimate of Rs 1,017 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for locking arrangements for sluice or scour valves of the Galle Water Supply Scheme be approved, and that it be referred to the Finance Committee for necessary financial provision

(11) Considered papers relating to the lighting of the Clock Tower — Recommended that the matter be taken up with the Budget for 1950 for consideration.

(12) Considered an estimate of Rs 8,000 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for renovating the Beeke Reservoir bungalow.—Recommended that the estimate of Rs. 8,000 submitted by the Works and Water Works Engineer for renovating the Beeke Reservoir bungalow be approved and that it be referred to the Finance Committee for necessary financial provision.

Resolution

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Municipal Works be adopted

(b) Standing Committee on Market and Sanitation of November 21, 1949

(2) Considered the grant of a T B subsidy to T H. Gunapala of 372, Matara Road.—Recommended that no action be taken as the patient is reported dead

(3) Considered the grant of a T. B. subsidy to B. G. Cyril of 388, Wackwella Road.—Recommended the payment of a T. B. subsidy of Rs. 12.50 per mensem to B. G. Cyril of Wackwella Road with effect from September 1, 1949

(4) To approve the payment of a T. B. subsidy of Rs. 25 for the months of September and October, 1949, to late S. W. Darlin of Siyambalagahawatte, Katugoda, who died in October, 1949.—Recommended that the payment be approved

(5) Considered the grant of a T. B. subsidy to Abdul Latiff Mohamed Hussen of 52/1, Richmond Hill Road, Galle.—Recommended the grant of a T. B. subsidy of Rs. 12.50 per mensem to Abdul Latiff Mohamed Hussen of 52/1, Richmond Hill Road, Galle, with effect from October 1, 1949.

(6) Considered the grant of a T B subsidy of Rs 12.50 to Alfred Edward Janz of Icwatte, Kumbalwella, with effect from September 1, 1949.—Recommended the payment of a T B subsidy of Rs. 12.50 per mensem to Alfred Edward Janz of Icwatte, Kumbalwella, with effect from September 1, 1949

(7) Considered the grant of a T. B. subsidy to Mohamed Haniffa of Taperumawatte, 5/2, Kanampitiya Road.—Recommended the grant of a T. B. subsidy of Rs. 12.50 per month to Mohamed Haniffa of Taperumawatte, 5/2, Kanampitiya Road, with effect from November 1, 1949.

(8) Considered a memorandum by the Municipal Commissioner with regard to the incidence of T. B. in the Municipal Office.—Recommended that the Council should come to a decision on the memorandum as the Committee was of opinion that the only remedy was to shift the M. C. Offices from the present premises.

(9) Considered C. L. G's Circular No. AE 205 dated June 25, 1949 in regard to the pollution of sea-beaches.—Recommended (1) that the previous recommendation of the Committee on November 19, 1949, (a) that the one time practice and programme of beach patrolling be revived; and (b) that the M. O. H. be authorized to engage the services of two patrolmen and two beach labourers for the present; and (2) that the Works and Water Works Engineer be requested to put up, in consultation with the M. O. H., notice boards along the sea beach within the M. C. limits warning against pollution of sea-beach.

Items 10 and 11 on the agenda were considered together.

10. To consider papers relating to the compulsory inoculation of dogs against rabies.

11. To consider the draft of the proposed amendment to the regulations under the Contagious (Animals) Ordinance, a copy of which was forwarded by the C L G. for the observations of the Council.—Recommended that consideration be deferred pending the settlement of the major question of the appointment of a Veterinary Surgeon for the Council.

Resolution

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Markets and Sanitation be adopted

(c) Standing Committee on Electricity of November 21, 1949

(2) Considered papers relating to the Low Tension Feeder Panel in Wackwella Road.—Recommended (1) that the scheme to split the L. T. Feeder to Wackwella

Road submitted by the Municipal Electrical Engineer, viz., (i) to obtain one additional feeder panel (Elliot Road); (ii) to lay a U G cable from this feeder panel up to the Municipal Office junction; and (iii) to put up a three-phase line from the Municipal Office junction along lower Dickson Road to Cripps Road junction, be approved; and (2) that the work in connection with items (i) and (ii) be given on contract.

(3) To approve the purchase of two H. T. transformers and two H. T. switch gear for the Electricity Department.—Recommended that the purchase of two H. T. transformers and two H. T. switch gear for the Electricity Department be approved.

(4) To consider provisions of the resolutions of Council of June 28, 1947, as regards temporary supply extensions.—Recommended that the provisions of the resolution of Council of July 28, 1947, as regards temporary supply extensions be not implemented until a normal supply of electricity can be given to consumers.

Resolution

Resolved that the recommendations of the Standing Committee on Electricity be adopted.

(d) Standing Committee on Finance of November 22, 1949

(2) Considered the question of waiving the rates due on premises No 124/8, Bope Road, on the ground of poverty of the owner.—Recommended that the rates due from 1st Quarter, 1948, and for the year, 1949, on premises No. 124/8, Bope Road, be waived on the ground of poverty of the owner.

(3) Considered the question of waiving the rates due on premises No 547/4, Colombo Road, on the ground of poverty of the owner.—Recommended that the rates due on premises No 547/4, Colombo Road, for the years 1948 and 1949 be waived on the ground of poverty of the owner.

(4) Considered the question of waiving the rates due on premises No. 124/7, Bope Road, on the ground of poverty of the owner.—Recommended that the rates due on premises No. 124/7, Bope Road, from 2nd Quarter, 1948, and for the year 1949 be waived on the ground of poverty of the owner.

(5) Considered the question of waiving the rates due on premises No 55, Kumbalwella Lane 1, on the ground of poverty of the owner.—Recommended that the rates due on premises No. 55, Kumbalwella Lane 1, from 1st Quarter, 1949, up to the end of 4th Quarter, 1949, be waived on the ground of poverty of the owner

(6) Considered the supplemental budget for the year ended December 31, 1949.—Recommended that the supplemental budget for the year ended December 31, 1948, be adopted.

(7) To sanction the following supplemental votes:—
(a) Rs 750 under Vote B 10—Advertisements; (b) Rs 500 under Vote C (b) 9—T B. subsidies; (c) Rs. 303 25 under Vote L 13—Contingencies; (d) Rs. 237.50 under Vote B 15—Office equipment; (e) Rs 5,835 under Vote E 1/10—Hire of generating plant (new vote); (f) Rs. 10.82 under Vote C (a) 2—Travelling allowances; (g) Rs 250 under Vote E 7/7—Telephones.—Recommended that the supplemental votes be sanctioned

(8) To approve the transfer of a sum of Rs. 1.83 from Vote K 10—Contingencies to Vote K 7—Printing.—Recommended that the transfer of a sum of Rs 1 83 from Vote K 10—Contingencies to Vote K 7—Printing. be approved.

(9) Considered, further, papers relating to the recruitment of 2 additional foremen to the Electricity Department.—Recommended that the Local Government Service Commission be requested to recruit 2 foremen to the Electricity Department on the salary scale applicable to Electrical Foremen of Urban Councils in Grade I.

(10) Considered the question of remunerating on an overtime basis, the Book-keeper who had been required to act for the Chief Revenue Clerk.—Recommended that the Book-keeper who had been required to act for the Chief Revenue Clerk in addition to his own duties be remunerated in accordance with by-law 21 (i) of the Chapter of By-laws relating to leave.

(11) Considered the conditions under which the portion of land on the minor esplanade, opposite Sydney Hotel, is to be offered to the Galle Gymkhana Club for the purpose of opening a Children's Playground.—Recommended that the portion of land on the minor esplanade, opposite Sydney Hotel, as shown in the sketch prepared by the Inspector of Works on November 7, 1949, be offered to the Galle Gymkhana Club on the following terms and conditions for the purpose of opening a Children's Playground:—(i) on a ten-year lease of the land with the option of renewal of the lease at the end of that period, (ii) on an annual rental of Re. 1 payable yearly in advance, and (iii) provided that either side should give one year's notice of termination of lease.

(12) Considered the terms and conditions under which a portion of land on the minor esplanade be offered to the Galle Boys Scouts Association for the purpose of putting up a storeyed building for its Head Quarters building.—Recommended that the lease of the required land in extent 100 ft. x 100 ft. on the minor esplanade be offered to the Galle Boys Scouts Association on the following terms and conditions:—

(i) The plan for the proposed building be approved by the Council; (ii) the site to be leased for a period of fifty years on a rent of Rs. 12 per annum payable in advance; (iii) the building to vest in the Council at the end of the period, the Galle Boys Scouts Association having no claim whatsoever to ask for compensation; (iv) the Council to have the power to terminate the lease within this period, in which case compensation to the extent of the full cost of the building, less depreciation, calculated at 2 per cent. per annum be paid.

(13) Considered what action should be taken in regard to a breach of the conditions of agreement relating to a loan taken by Mr. D. A. Amaratunga, Electrical Inspector, for the purchase of a motor car.—Recommended that as Mr. D. A. Amaratunga, Electrical Inspector, has been responsible for a breach of conditions of agreement relating to the loan granted to him for the purchase of a motor car, he be called upon immediately to furnish within a month, security for the outstanding amount of the loan to the satisfaction of the Mayor.

(14) Considered an application from the Municipal Electrical Engineer, Mr. A. V. Chinniah, for a loan of two years' salary re-payable in sixty monthly instalments for the purchase of a motor car.—Recommended that the Municipal Electrical Engineer, Mr. A. V. Chinniah, be granted a loan of two years' salary re-payable in sixty monthly instalments on the usual terms and conditions governing the grant of such loans for the purchase of a motor car.

(15) Considered an application by the M. O. H. (Dr. G. H. Arndt) for a fresh loan to purchase a motor car.—Recommended that the M. O. H. (Dr. G. H. Arndt) be granted, on settlement of the loan outstanding, a fresh loan equivalent to 14½ months of his salary, re-payable in sixty monthly instalments, and on the usual terms and conditions governing the grant of such loans for the purchase of a motor car.

(20) Considered, further, papers relating to the retirement of P. D. Luwis, Watcher of the Victoria Park, and certain general conditions regarding pension rights, &c., arising thereby.—Recommended (1) that the post of watcher held by P. D. Luwis be declared pensionable by virtue of the powers vested in the Council by the Local Government Service Ordinance, No. 37 of 1947; (2) that his period of service on daily pay from September 1, 1938, to July 28, 1939, be reckoned for pension purposes; (3) that he be required to give fresh notice of his intention to retire; and (4) that he be given three months' leave preparatory to retirement if he applies for it.

(22) To consider the question of placing the skilled workmen of the Electricity Department who are now on a daily-paid basis on a monthly-paid basis.—Recommended that a schedule of all workmen in the Electricity Department who are now on a daily-paid basis be forwarded to the Local Government Service Commission requesting it to place them on suitable monthly-salary scales.

(23) Considered, further, papers relating to stall No. 220, Green Market.—Recommended that the person responsible for unauthorized occupation of stall No. 220, Green Market, be not prosecuted in view of the fact that the lease of this stall has since been granted to the next-of-kin of the previous stall holder.

(24) Considered audit query No. 12 IM of March 4, 1947.—Recommended that the sum of Rs. 35 due from the lessee of fish market stall No. 22 during the year 1946 be waived as irrecoverable, as the lessee is reported to be dead.

(28) Considered the following motion introduced in Council on June 7, 1949:—"That S. M. Podisingho; who was one time an employee of the Electricity Department, be given employment."—Recommended that no action be taken.

(30) To consider letter No. CS/13/16 dated November 17, 1949, from the Director of Livestock Supply, regarding the settlement of a balance of Rs. 595.84 due to him from the Council on account of cattle supplied to the Council in 1944.—Recommended that the balance of Rs. 595.84 due to the Director of Livestock Supply on account of cattle supplied to the Council in 1944 be paid to him, and that further steps be taken to recover the amount due to the Council on this account from the defaulting butcher, S. H. Mafool.

31. To sanction the award of a pension to N. K. L. H. Dias, Scavenging Kangany of the Public Health Department, under rule 16 of the Galle Municipal Pension Minute.—Recommended that the payment of a pension to N. K. L. H. Dias, Scavenging Kangany of the Public Health Department, under rule 16 of the Galle Municipal Minute, be approved.

Resolution

With regard to item (9), Mr. W. Dahanayake moved as an amendment that the recommendation be referred back to the Finance Committee to explore the possibility of recruiting the foremen from among the present employees of the Electricity Department. Mr. D. S. Goonesekera seconded.—Carried.

With regard to item (12), the recommendation was adopted, Mr. W. Dahanayake dissenting.

With regard to item (26), it was resolved that no action be taken but that when a suitable vacancy in the Electricity Department occurs, the claim of S. M. Podisingho be considered along with the others who would apply for such post.

It was resolved that the remaining recommendations of the Standing Committee on Finance be adopted.

8. Considered, further, the following extract from the Minutes of the Standing Committee on Finance of October 23, 1949:—

(1) Considered the grades in which the various posts in the graded service of the Council's service should be placed.—Recommended that the future cadre of the Council should consist of the following.—

(a) Health Department:

- (i) Chief Inspector in the Special Grade.
- (ii) Six Inspectors in Grade II.
- (iii) Two qualified Public Health Nurses.
- (iv) One Supervisor, Anti-Plague Campaign.
- (v) One Clerk in Grade I.
- (vi) One Clerk in Grade II.
- (vii) One Stenographer in lower grade.
- (viii) One Assistant Clerk.

It was further recommended—(1) that the post of Chief Inspector in the Special Grade should not be filled until the present holder of the post retires from service; and (2) that the post of S. A. P. C. should not be in a Grade below Grade II prescribed for qualified Sanitary Assistants, and that, the holder of the post should possess a training in anti-plague work and should not be an unqualified Sanitary Assistant.

(b) Works and Water Works Department:

- (i) Two Road Overseers in Grade II.
- (ii) One cart shed Overseer—Grade II.
- (iii) One Clerk in Grade I.
- (iv) Two Clerks in Grade II.
- (v) One Assistant Clerk.

(c) *Finance Department.*

- (i) Assistant to the Accountant—Clerk in Special Grade B of the L. G. Clerical Service
- (ii) Book-keeper—Clerk in Grade I.
- (iii) Chief Revenue Clerk—Clerk in Grade I
- (iv) Assessment Branch—One Clerk in Grade I. Three clerks in Grade II
- (v) Conservancy Branch—One Clerk in Grade II
- (vi) Accounts Branch—Five Clerks in Grade II. One Clerk, Assistant Clerks scale.)
- (vii) Markets—One Clerk in Grade II.
- (viii) Tea Boutiques, Eating Houses, Water, &c.—One Clerk—Grade II.
- (ix) Electricity Branch—One Clerk in Grade I, Five Clerks in Grade II.

(d) *Secretariat.*

- (i) One Correspondence Clerk—Grade I.
- (ii) One Clerk in Grade II
- (iii) Motor Licensing Clerk—Grade I.
- (iv) Record Keeper—Grade II of the Clerical Service.
- (v) Two Stenographers—Lower Grade
- (e) Poor Law Department—One clerk in Grade II.
- (f) Municipal Courts—One clerk in Grade II.

After discussion, it was resolved that the recommendations of the Finance Committee be considered further at a joint meeting of the Four Standing Committees of the Council.

9. Considered an application from the Hony Secretary, Ruhuna Sport Club, for a lease of the Municipal land at Jail Road, for the purpose of constructing a building for a free Reading Room—Resolved that the matter be referred to the Works and Water Works Engineer for report

10. Considered a petition from the ratepayers of China Garden protesting against building in Rope Walk

After discussion Mr A. D. H. Weeratunga moved that steps be taken to acquire the Rope Walk and the adjacent territory with a view to remove the slum area. Mr E. D. Nagahawatte, seconded—Carried.

11. Considered, further, a recommendation from the Works Committee on August 30, 1949, on letter No TR 167 dated February 10, 1949, from the C. M. T. with regard to a route licence to the Galle Motor Bus Co., Ltd—Resolved that the Commissioner of Motor Transport be informed that the Council has no objection to a route licence being granted to the Galle Motor Bus Co on the section of the road referred to in C. M. T.'s letter No. TR 167 dated October 7, 1948, provided the right is retained to the Council to withdraw the permission granted.

12. Considered an application by the Director of Fisheries to make available to him a stall in the fish market for the sale of fish by his department.—Resolved (1) that the Director of Fisheries be given the lease of three stalls in the fish market at Rs 15 to Rs. 13 a month per stall; and (2) that the Department of Fisheries be informed that it will have to conform to the rules and regulations which are imposed by Council on other stall-holders of the fish market

13. Considered tenders received for extensions to the power house, new switch board, &c.—Resolved (1) that the following recommendations of the C. E. and M. E. U. contained in his report No LS 16/N4 dated November 17/26, 1949, be accepted:—

- (i) to accept the tender of Messrs Walker Sons & Co for section I, amounting to Rs 102,790;
- (ii) to accept the Tender of Messrs Brown & Co., Ltd., for a total sum of Rs 149,032 for sections 2, 3 and 4 of the work; and
- (iii) to accept the tender of Messrs Brown and Co., Ltd., for Rs 12,392 for the extras necessary at A to F in the schedule furnished by the C. E. and M. E. U.;

(2). that the Mayor be authorized to accept a tender for a new overhead tank, if necessary, and for the synchronous electric clocks after further details have been obtained by the C. E. and M. E. U. and a recommendation made by him, and (3) with regard to the extras necessary at (g) and (h) in the schedule, the Mayor

be authorized to accept a tender for these, after further details have been obtained and recommendations made by the C. E. and M. E. U.

14. Considered the question of revising the electricity tariff and to fix a date for the implementing of the Council's Resolution dated September 26, 1949, on the subject—Resolved that consideration be deferred

(The Mayor moved that the Council do resume from the Committee stage and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded—Carried)

15. The following documents were laid on the table:—

- (i) Statement of receipts and disbursements for the month of October, 1949;
- (ii) Statement of the Municipal Account with regard to the arrears of work in the Accounts Department;
- (iii) Reports of the Field Officers of. (a) Health Department, (b) Works and Water Works Department, and (c) Electricity Department.

W. T. WIJEKULASURIYA,
Mayor

The Municipal Office, Galle.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

General Meeting, Thursday, December 22, 1949

The Council assembled this day at 2.30 pm. pursuant to notice, dated December 15, 1949

Present.—W. T. Wijekulasuriya, Esq (Mayor), presiding; A. D. H. Weeratunga, Esq (Deputy Mayor), Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. H. E. Fernando, B. M. Charles, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. Y. Weerasiri, R. B. M. Korulage, A. R. M. Thassim, H. K. Edmund, M. Abdul Rahuman, and F. Magdon Ismail

1. The Minutes of the General Meeting held on November 28, 1949, were amended by the insertion of the following recommendation of the Finance Committee immediately after Item (15) on page 6—“(17) considered the question of remunerating the acting store keeper in the Works and Water Works Department—Recommended that the acting Store Keeper in the Works and Water Works Department, be remunerated in terms of by-law 21 (i) of the Chapter of by-laws relating to leave”

The Minutes of the General Meeting of November 28, 1949, as amended, were then taken as read and confirmed

2. Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake presented a petition submitted by the scavenging labourers of the Health Department. It was resolved that the petition be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

3. Pursuant to notice Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri asked the following questions which the Mayor answered.—

Q.—(1) Was Mr. C. M. Nandoris the tenant of M. C. premises No 18, Main Street, in the year 1946, up to the end of March?

A.—Yes.

Q.—(2) Did he pay all dues to the Council up to that date when he was ejected on a warrant issued by the Commissioner?

A.—No.

Q.—(3) Was the said premises closed up during the whole of 1946?

A.—Yes

Q.—(4) Was it auctioned again and did Mr. C. M. Nandoris become its tenant on a monthly rental of Rs 253 75 per mensem on a fresh agreement?

A.—Yes

Q.—(5) Did the Council renew the rent on the recommendation of a Committee?

A.—Yes.

Q.—(6) Did the Council agree to accept Rs. 46.87 per mensem from August 1, 1946?

A.—No

Q.—(7) How much of Mr. Nandoris' money was in the hands of the Council at this stage?

A.—Rs. 648.12.

Q—(8) When the Council renewed the rent on the recommendations of the Committee did it include the months of January, February and March, 1946, and get him to pay Rs 75 per month for those months?

A—Yes

Q—(9) What authority had the Council to make him pay for the months of January, February and March on an enhanced scale when there was no agreement or any dues to the Council for three months?

A—Voluntary agreement of the tenant

Q—(10) Is Mr C M Nandana not entitled to a refund of all excess rent charged for those months (January, February, and March, 1946)?

A—Does not arise as no excess was charged

Q—(11) Will the Mayor or the Commissioner or some authority look into this matter and make a refund of the excess money taken for the months of January, February and March 1946, or appoint a Committee to review this question again and make a refund?

A—The necessity does not arise

4 Pursuant to notice, Mr F Magdon Ismail asked the following questions which the Mayor answered—

Q—(1) From which ward does the Council derive the highest amount by way of rates and taxes?

A—Bazaar ward No 3

Q—(2) How much did it get from the Fort ward for the last year?

A—Rs 67,751 73

Q—(3) Which ward gives the second highest income?

A—Fort ward No 1

5. Pursuant to notice Mr A D H Weeratunga moved—This Council resolves to open a current account with Municipal funds in the Mercantile Bank (India), Limited, Galle Branch, in addition to the account with the Bank of Ceylon—Mr F Magdon Ismail seconded

(At this stage, Mr W Dahanayake moved Council into Committee Mr A D H Weeratunga seconded—carried)

Council in Committee

Mr. H. K. Edmund moved as amendment that consideration of the motion be deferred to be taken up by the new Council in 1950. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost 4 voting for and 6 against

The motion was then put to the meeting and carried by 8 votes to 3. The division being as follows—*For* Messrs A D H Weeratunga, M Abdul Rahuman, A H E Fernando, A R M Thassim, E D Nagahawatte, R B M Kotalage, F Magdon Ismail and B M Charles. *Against* Messrs H K Edmund, D A S P Dahanayake and W Dahanayake. *Declined to vote:* The Mayor, and Messrs D S Goonesekera and D Y Weerasiri.

6 Pursuant to notice, Mr. H. K. Edmund moved—“That in view of the onerous and responsible nature of the duties that are required to be performed by the stenographer and meetings clerk of this Council, this Council recommends to the Local Government Service Commission that the present holder of the post be granted a personal allowance of Rs 60 per mensem as from the date on which the revised salary scales to the Local Government Service employees became operative.—Mr D A S P Dahanayake seconded—Resolved that the motion in the first instance be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report

7 Pursuant to notice, Mr F. Magdon Ismail moved—That a Committee of this Council be appointed to suggest such alterations as may be necessary in the delegation of powers effected under the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 29 of 1947—Mr A D H Weeratunga seconded. Resolved that the motion be referred for necessary action to the Special Committee of Council appointed to consider the delegation of powers to the executive and other officers of the Council under section 33 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 29 of 1947.

8 The following extracts from the Standing Committee on Finance of November 12, 1949 were laid on the table—

(1) Considered the question of providing the necessary funds to enable the payment of arrears of salary due to officers of the Council consequent on the revised scales of salary by the Local Government Service Commission being brought into operation with effect from March 1, 1948—Recommended that the following supplemental expenditure be sanctioned for the payment of arrears of salary and allowances to officers of the Council consequent on the revised scales of salary by the Local Government Service Commission being brought into operation with effect from March 1, 1948—

(a) Secretariat—

(i) Rs 2,827 26 under Vote B 1—Salaries,

(ii) Rs. 515 02 under Vote B 3—Cost of living allowance

(iii) Rs 358 25 under Vote B 4—Rent allowance.

(b) Health Department—

(i) Rs 2,235 19 under Vote C (a) 1—Salaries,

(ii) Rs 1,071 88 under Vote C (a) 3—Cost of living allowance

(iii) Rs 327 under Vote C (a) 4—Rent allowance.

(c) Works and Water Works Department—

(i) Rs 150 27 under Vote D (a) 1—Salaries,

(ii) Rs 17 25 under Vote D (a) 3—Cost of living allowance.

(iii) Rs 14 50 under Vote D (a) 4—Rent allowance

(d) Slaughter House—

(i) Rs 49 35 under Vote H 1—Salary of slaughter house keeper,

(ii) Rs 4 93 under Vote H 4—Rent allowance.

(e) Poor Law Department—

(i) Rs 61 24 under Vote K 2—Salaries,

(ii) Rs 9 18 under Vote K 5—Rent allowance.

(f) Electricity Department—

(i) Rs 659 90 under Vote E 7/1—Salaries,

(ii) Rs 118 26 under Vote E 7/3—Cost of living allowance.

(iii) Rs. 75 20 under Vote E 7/20—Rent allowance.

(2) Considered the question of fixing a date from which the revised scales of salary to non-L G S. C. employees of the Council should become operative and the provision of the necessary supplemental expenditure for payment of arrears—Recommended (1) that the revised scales of salary to non-L G S C employees of the Council be brought into operation with effect from March 1, 1948, and (2) that the necessary supplemental expenditure required for the purpose be sanctioned under the appropriate vote heads

(3) Considered an application by Mr G C. Nanayakkara, Municipal Accountant, for a loan of further sum of Rs 1,500 equivalent to three months salary to purchase a motor car—Recommended that Mr G C Nanayakkara, Municipal Accountant, be granted a further advance of Rs 1,500 being the equivalent of three months salary be sanctioned and that he be required to enter into a further agreement in respect of the aggregate of the advance, viz, Rs 7 800 to be repaid in sixty monthly instalments on the usual terms and conditions

(4) Considered an application by Mr G S A P. Sahabandhu, Electrical Inspector, for a further advance of one year's salary in addition to the loan he had already obtained for the purchase of a motor car—Recommended that Mr G S A P Sahabandhu, Electrical Inspector, be advanced a further sum equivalent to one year's salary, and that he be required to enter into a fresh agreement in respect of the aggregate of the loan to be repaid in sixty monthly instalments on the usual terms and conditions governing the grant of such loans.

(5) Considered an application by Mr. D. A. Amarantunga, Electrical Inspector, to revise the terms and conditions under which a loan equivalent to one year's salary was granted to him for the purchase of a motor car—Recommended that Mr. D. A. Amarantunga, Electrical Inspector, be required to enter into a fresh agreement so

that he may be given the concession of repaying the outstanding balance of his loan in sixty monthly instalments minus the number of instalments he has already paid provided, that security to the satisfaction of the Mayor is furnished by him in respect of the loan, as already directed by Council.

Resolution

Resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee on Finance be adopted.

9. Considered the question of tenders that were called for, for the construction of scavenging carts for the Health Department.—Resolved that, as no tenders had been received, a fresh notice be published in the Press calling for tenders, and that pending the approval of Council, the Mayor be authorized to accept a tender.

10. Considered tenders received for the lease of M. C. shop 74A, Main Street.—Resolved that the present lessee of M. C. shop 74A, Main Street, be offered the lease for 1950, at a rental of Rs. 151 per mensem, the amount being the highest tendered by Mr. A. E. A. Dewadasan, and if this amount is not acceptable to the present lessee, the lease of these premises be given to the highest tenderer Mr. Dewadasan.

11. Considered the question of extending the date of termination of the contract, viz., December 6, 1949, in respect of the power plant hired to the Power Station.—Resolved that the date of termination of the contract, December 6, 1949, in respect of the power plant hired to the Power Station be extended by one month from December 6, 1949.

12. Considered the question of fixing the rates of house allowance payable to non-L. G. S. employees in the Council's service.—It was resolved that the non-L. G. S. monthly paid officers of Council be paid a house allowance at the rates already directed by Council, i.e., 15 per cent. for married officers and 10 per cent. for unmarried officers.

Arising out of this question, and with the permission of Council Mr. W. Dahanayake moved that this Council protest against the recent decision of the Local Government Service Commission to reduce the rent allowance of L. G. S. employees of this Council. Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake seconded.—*Carried.*

Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, with the permission of Council, next moved that all labourers under the Council be paid a house allowance of Rs. 7.50 per mensem.—Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri seconded. It was resolved that this motion be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

13. To consider further action to be taken with regard to the construction of the proposed Town Hall and Municipal Offices.

The Mayor referred to the informal meetings of members of Council held earlier to obtain the views of a number of architects and stated that Council should now proceed after consideration of such views to entrust the preparation of plans and specifications, &c., for the Town Hall to any suitable architect. The Mayor also brought to the notice of Council that a senior partner of the firm of Messrs. Billimoria and De Silva was present and if Council desired to see him also before a final decision was arrived Council could do so.

The Council having agreed, Mr. S. H. Pieris, A.I.A.A. (Lond.), was called in and interviewed.

After considerable amount of discussion, it was finally resolved that preparation of plans and specifications, &c., be entrusted to the firm of Messrs. Billimoria and De Silva, and for that purpose steps be taken to open negotiations with the said firm without delay.

14. To consider a petition by the lessees and stallholders of the Green Market requesting the abolition of the water and lighting rates levied on these stalls.—Resolved that the petition be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration.

15. Considered tenders received for the construction of a set of public latrines.—Resolved that the tender of W. V. Gināsena, for Rs. 1,516 being the lowest tender received for the construction of a public latrine at Tangalumulla in Devata be accepted.

16. To determine date from which a rental of Rs. 50 should be charged from the Galle Motor Bus Company, Limited, in respect of the site allowed to the Company for the erection of a waiting hall.—Resolved that February 4, 1949, be determined as the date from which a rental of Rs. 50 per mensem should be charged from the Galle Motor Bus Company for the site leased to the Company for the erection of a waiting hall.

The Mayor moved that the Council do resume from the Committee Stage and that the resolution of Council in Committee be adopted.—Mr. W. Dahanayake seconded.—*Carried.*

17. The following documents were laid on the table.—

- (1) Copy of notes of a conference held in the office of the Ministry of Transport and Works on April 30, 1949, with regard to improvements to the Port of Galle.
- (2) Statement of receipts and disbursements for the month of November, 1949.
- (3) Statement of the Municipal Accountant with regard to the arrears of work in the Accounts Department.
- (4) Reports of the field officers of (a) Health Department, (b) Works and Water Works Department, (c) Electricity Department, and (d) Finance Department.

The Municipal Office, W. T. WIJEKULASURIYA,
Galle. Mayor.

Special Meeting, Thursday, December 22, 1949

The Council assembled this day immediately after the General Meeting held at 2.30 p.m. pursuant to notice, dated December 15, 1949.

Present.—W. T. Wijekulasuriya, Esq. (Mayor); A. D. H. Weeratunga, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, A. H. E. Fernando, E. D. Nagahawatte, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, R. B. M. Koralage, B. M. Charles, H. K. Edmund, A. R. M. Thassim, M. Abdul Rahuman, F. Magdon Ismail, and D. Y. Weerasiri.

The Mayor placed before the meeting the draft Budget for 1950, as approved by the four Standing Committees.

(Mr. W. Dahanayake moved Council into Committee. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—*Carried.*)

Council in Committee

The draft budget was amended as follows:—

General Revenue

- (1) An increase of Rs. 10,000 under Revenue Head A—Rates.
- (2) An increase of Rs. 650 under Revenue Head C 2—Petroleum.
- (3) A decrease of Rs. 125 under Revenue Head H 1—Pavilion.
- (4) An increase of Rs. 500 under Revenue Head H 2—Encroachments and Sunshades.
- (5) An increase of Rs. 1,000 under Revenue Head H 6—Motor Bus Stand.

(Expenditure General)

- (1) An increase of Rs. 2,000 under Vote C (b) 9 Subsidies—T. B. patients.
- (2) A decrease of Rs. 3,660 under Vote C (d) 1—Wages of labourers.
- (3) A decrease of Rs. 3,660 under Vote C (e) 1—Wages of labourers.
- (4) An increase of Rs. 500 under Vote D (b) 1—Maintenance of drains, roads and culverts.
- (5) The provision of Rs. 3,000 under a fresh vote head D (b) 17—Maintenance and repairs to public latrines and depots.
- (6) A decrease of Rs. 5,000 under Vote D (c) 1—Maintenance of mains and stand posts.
- (7) A decrease of Rs. 62,000 under Vote J 1—cost of current and maintenance
- (8) An increase of Rs. 7,492 under Vote K 1—Poor Relief by Local Sub-committees.

- (9) An increase of Rs. 500 under Vote K (S) (b)—Child Welfare Association.
- (10) The deletion of Rs. 1,500 under Vote K (S) (e) Municipal Free Ayurvedic Dispensary at Milliduwa.
- (11) A decrease of Rs. 2,000 under Vote L 3—Destruction of stray dogs and construction of dog pound.
- (12) Vote L 7 (S) to Gramasanwardhana Society Ethiligoda Dispensary Fund.
- (13) The provision of a sum of Rs. 500 under Vote L (9)—Civic Receptions.
- (14) The provision of a sum of Rs. 35,000 under Vote N (a) (3)—Construction of bridge at Circular Road.
- (15) The provision of a sum of Rs. 8,000 under Vote N (a) 4—Construction of bridge at Gangarama Road.
- (16) The provision of a sum of Rs. 12,000 under Vote N (a) 5—Renovating Bope bridge.
- (17) The provision of a sum of Rs. 8,000 under Vote N (a) 6—Construction of Moris Road.
- (18) The provision of a sum of Rs. 2,500 under Vote N (a) 7—Construction of Kandewatte bridge.
- (19) The provision of a sum of Rs. 3,000 under Vote N (a) 8—Construction of Trungate bridge.
- (20) The provision of a sum of Rs. 5,000 under Vote N (a) 9—Improvements to Bus Stand.
- (21) A decrease of Rs. 5,500 under Vote N (b) 2—Balance payment for Diesel Roller.
- (22) An increase of Rs. 4,000 under Vote N (b) 4—New bucket carts (conservancy).

Electricity Revenue

A reduction of Rs. 62,000 under Revenue Head R 1/2 Street lighting.

It was resolved (1) that the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and Manager, Department of Government Electrical Undertakings, to impose a temporary overall surcharge of 25 per cent. on the basic tariffs be adopted in view of the increased cost of fuel and lubricating oils, and (2) that the temporary surcharge be brought into force with effect from January 1, 1950.

2. Mr. W. Dahanayake moved.—“That early steps be taken to amend section 9 of the Chapter of by-laws of the Council, petroleum (Minor Installation and Transport) Rules of the Galle Municipal Council under the Petroleum Ordinance, 1935, by the substitution of the following new rates to be charged:—

	Rs. c.
(i) Where the quantity to be possessed at any one time does not exceed 40 gallons	5 0
(ii) Where the quantity to be possessed at any one time exceeds 40 gallons but does not exceed 160 gallons	10 0
(iii) Where the quantity to be possessed at any one time exceeds 160 gallons but does not exceed 500 gallons	20 0
(iv) Where the quantity to be possessed at any one time exceeds 500 gallons but does not exceed 2,000 gallons	50 0
(v) Where the quantity to be possessed at one time exceeds 2,000 gallons but does not exceed 10,000 gallons	150 0
(vi) Where the quantity to be possessed at one time exceeds 10,000 gallons but does not exceed 20,000 gallons	250 0
For every additional 10,000 gallons or part thereof	25 0

Mr. H. K. Edmund seconded.—*Carried.*

With regard to the Poor Law Scheme, Mr. W. Dahanayake moved (1) that provision be made in the budget for 1950, so that each of the wards is allocated a sum of Rs. 1,500, (2) that the present recipient of Poor Law

Allowances do continue be relieved at the present rates, (3) that if the sums allocated for any of the wards happens to be exhausted before the end of the year, the local sub-committee of that ward be requested to report to Council to enable it to consider the special circumstances of the case and make a further allocation if it is found necessary, and (4) with effect from January 1, 1950, the local sub-committees be required to function.—Mr. H. K. Edmund seconded. After discussion the motion was put to the meeting and carried.

3. The Mayor moved.—“ (1) That the 1949 rates and taxes on the following vehicles be in force for the year 1950:—

	Rs. c.
(a) Rickshaw	1 0
(b) Pony carts	2 0
(c) Buggy carts	2 0
(d) Hackery	2 0
(e) Single-bullock carts	2 0
(f) Double-bullock carts	2 0
(g) Hand-carts	2 0

(2) that the budget for 1950, as amended, be adopted, (3) that the rates and taxes as specified be imposed and levied for the year 1950, and (4) that the draft Poor Law Scheme for the year 1950 subject to the amendment that all the functions conferred and imposed upon or vested by the Poor Law Ordinance, No. 30 of 1937, be delegated to the local sub-committees instead of the Public Assistance Committee and that all payments be approved by each of the Local Sub-Committees instead of by the Public Assistance Committee.—Mr. W. Dahanayake seconded.—*Carried.*

The Mayor moved that the Council do resume from the Committee Stage and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted.—Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—*Carried.*

The Municipal Office, Galle. W. T. WIJEKULASURIYA, Mayor.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Meeting under section 14 (1) of Ordinance No. 29 of 1947

Tuesday, January 10, 1950

The first meeting of the Municipal Council of Galle for the year 1950, was held this day at 10 a.m. pursuant to notice, dated January 4, 1950, issued by the Municipal Commissioner in terms of section 14 (1) of Ordinance, No. 29 of 1947, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and a Deputy Mayor.

The Municipal Commissioner (Mr. W. A. Goonetilleke presided).

Present.—Messrs. W. Dahanayake, D. S. Goonesekera, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. H. E. Fernando, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, B. M. Charles, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. Y. Weerasiri, A. R. M. Thassim, A. D. H. Weeratunga, H. K. Edmund, A. I. H. A. Wahab, T. D. Abeyewardena, M. Thaha Cassim (Snr.), and L. E. Mendis.

Election of a Mayor

1. Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab proposed that Mr. A. R. M. Thassim be elected Mayor.—Mr. A. H. E. Fernando seconded.

2. Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri proposed that Mr. D. S. Goonesekera be elected Mayor.—Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake seconded.

The Council then proceeded to elect the Mayor by secret ballot which resulted in Mr. A. R. M. Thassim receiving 8 votes and Mr. D. S. Goonesekera 7 votes.

Whilst the secret ballot was in progress, Mr. W. Dahanayake requested it to be recorded (i) that the manner in which Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab voted was seen by Mr. A. R. M. Thassim, and (ii) that the way in which Mr. Thaha Cassim voted was seen by him (Mr. W. Dahanayake).

The Municipal Commissioner declared Mr. A. R. M. Thassim duly elected Mayor of Galle for the year 1950.

Election of a Deputy Mayor

1. Mr A I H. A. Wahab proposed that Mr H K Edmund be elected Deputy Mayor.—Mr A H. E. Fernando seconded.

2. Mr. T. D. Abeywardena proposed that Mr A. D. H. Weeratunga be elected Deputy Mayor.—Mr E. D. Nagahawatte seconded

Thereafter when the ballot papers were being prepared to be handed over to the councillors, Mr A. D. H. Weeratunga intimated his desire to withdraw from the contest in favour of Mr. H. K. Edmund but the Municipal Commissioner informed that councillor that no provision was made in the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 29 of 1947, for a councillor to withdraw from a contest in that manner after his name has been proposed and seconded with his consent in the first instance. The Municipal Commissioner then ruled that as there was no provision in the Municipal Councils Ordinance for withdrawal from a contest after a councillor's name had been duly proposed and seconded, the councillor must proceed with the election as provided in section 14 (3) of the said Ordinance

The Council then proceeded to elect the Deputy Mayor by secret ballot which resulted in Mr H. K. Edmund receiving 8 votes and Mr A. D. H. Weeratunga 7 votes. The Municipal Commissioner declared Mr. H. K. Edmund duly elected Deputy Mayor of Galle for the year 1950

The Municipal Commissioner invited the Mayor to preside. The Mayor thereupon presided and thanked the councillors for the confidence placed in him in electing him as the Mayor of Galle.

The Deputy Mayor also thanked the councillors.

Messrs. W. Dahanayake, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, A. D. H. Weeratunga, A. H. E. Fernando, D. S. Goonesekera, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. I. H. A. Wahab and T. D. Abeywardena also spoke.

The meeting then terminated

The Municipal Office, A. R. M. THASSIM,
Galle. Mayor.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

General Meeting, Wednesday, January 25, 1950

1. The Council assembled this day at 3 p.m. pursuant to notice dated February 17, 1950

Present.—A. R. M. Thassim, Esq. (Mayor), presiding, and H. K. Edmund, Esq. (Deputy Mayor); Messrs. W. Dahanayake, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. D. H. Weeratunga, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, A. H. E. Fernando, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, D. Y. Weerasiri, B. M. Charles, A. I. H. A. Wahab, T. D. Abeywardena, L. E. Mendis, and M. Thaha Cassim.

1. The minutes of the General Meeting held on December 22, 1949, were amended by the deletion of the words "Pursuant to notice, Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri asked the following questions which the Mayor answered" in Item 3 and the substitution thereof of the following—"In the absence of Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri, Mr. W. Dahanayake asked the following questions which the Mayor answered."

The minutes of the General Meeting held on December 22, 1949, as amended, the minutes of Special Meeting held on December 22, 1949 and the meeting held under section 14 (1) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 29 of 1947 on October 10, 1950, having been submitted to the Mayor for his approval and copies thereof having been furnished to each member were taken as read and confirmed.

2. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga presented a petition on behalf of the canal labourers in the Council's service.

It was resolved that the petition be referred to the Standing Committee on Finance for consideration and report.

3. Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri gave notice of the following question—Will the Mayor please table the voluntary

agreement that was entered into by C. M. Naudoris in respect of M. C. shop No 18 for the payment of rent at Rs 75 per mensem for the months of January, February and March 1946

4. Pursuant to notice, Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake moved—That in the case of temporary Kaugames who have served the Council from time to time as substitutes for periods of five years or more, the requirements of the educational qualification of the 7th standard in English, Sinhalese or Tamil be waived provided the head of the department is of opinion that they are suitable for the posts. Mr. D. Weerasiri seconded

After discussion, the motion was referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report.

At this stage, Mr. W. Dahanayake moved Council into Committee. Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya seconded.—Carried.

Council in Committee

5. With the permission of Council, Mr. T. D. Abeywardena moved—This Council strongly protests against the decision of the Central Government to establish a hospital for tuberculosis patients at Kitulampitiya, Galle, as the proposed site being situated in a crowded area and in close proximity to a vast number of residential houses, may become a source of grave danger and a serious menace to the safety and health of the ratepayers of the Madawalanulla ward particularly and the town in general. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded.—Carried.

6. To consider a memorandum by the Municipal Commissioner with regard to the incidence of tuberculosis.—Resolved that consideration be deferred, and that, in the meantime, papers on the subject be circulated amongst the members of Council

7. To elect, by ballot, members to form the four Standing Committees for 1950 in terms of section 27 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 27 of 1947

The Council then proceeded to elect, by ballot, the four Standing Committees. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga raised a point of order whilst the results of the ballot were being announced, viz., that the procedure by which the Standing Committees were elected was ultra vires of the provisions of the Municipal Councils Ordinance in that the Ordinance specifically required that a ballot should be taken for each of the Committees separately and not collectively as was done

The Mayor overruled the objection but permitted a debate after which Mr. H. K. Edmund moved that a fresh ballot be taken to elect the four Standing Committees one by one. Mr. E. D. Nagahawatte seconded.—Carried.

The Council then proceeded to elect, by ballot, the Standing Committees.

The Mayor declared the result of the ballot as follows:—

Finance Committee.—Messrs. T. D. Abeywardena, E. D. Nagahawatte, A. D. H. Weeratunga, D. A. S. P. Dahanayake, and A. I. H. A. Wahab.

Electricity Committee.—Messrs. A. H. E. Fernando, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, B. M. Charles, L. E. Mendis, W. Dahanayake and M. Thaha Cassim (snr).

Works Committee.—Messrs. H. K. Edmund, D. S. Goonesekera, D. Y. Weerasiri, A. H. E. Fernando, A. I. H. A. Wahab and D. A. S. P. Dahanayake

Markets and Sanitation.—Messrs. T. D. Abeywardena, H. K. Edmund, W. Dahanayake, W. T. Wijekulasuriya, B. M. Charles and D. Y. Weerasiri.

8. To elect a member in place of Mr. H. K. Edmund who has been elected Deputy Mayor for 1950, and Mr. F. Magdon Ismail who has ceased to be a member of Council to serve on the Special Committee of Council appointed to consider the question of delegation of powers to the executive and other officers of the Council under section 33 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 27 of 1947.

Mr. A. I. H. A. Wahab raised a point of order on the ground that it was not in order for a new Council to fill any vacancies in any Special Committee appointed

by a previous Council to which the Committee had not submitted a final report before the expiry of its life.

The Mayor upheld the point of order

It was resolved that a Special Committee consisting of the following be appointed to consider the question of delegation of powers to executive and other officers of the Council under section 33 of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No 27 of 1947.—The Mayor, the Deputy Mayor, Messrs A D H Weeratunga, W Dahanayake, D Y. Weerasiri, T D. Abeyewardena and A. I. H. A. Wahab

9. Considered papers relating to the disciplinary action recommended by the Medical Officer of Health to be taken against Mr N P B. Wijesekera. S A P C, for misconduct consequent on insubordination.

Mr D. A S P Dahanayake moved that no action be taken in the matter in view of the apology that had been tendered by the officer concerned to the Medical Officer of Health Mr. D Y Weerasiri seconded — Carried

10 Considered an application by the Mutual Aid Association. Pettigalawatte for a grant from Council.— Mr W Dahanayake moved that no action be taken in the matter Mr. A D H Weeratunga seconded — Carried.

11 Considered papers relating to the retirement of midwife W. G. Alice from service

Mr W. Dahanayake moved that (1) the services of midwife W G Alice be retained pending the final settlement of the question of her pension rights, and (2) that the Local Government Service Commission be requested to take steps to declare all posts of midwives in the service of the Council pensionable Mr E. D. Nagahawatte seconded — Carried

With the permission of Council, Mr W. Dahanayake moved that this Council requests the Municipal Accountant to prepare a statement of all cases of L. G. S employees in the Council's service whose posts have been to be either pensionable or as entitled to gratuities Mr. H. K. Edmund seconded — Carried

12 To consider, further, the question of laying down street lines for roads in the Municipal area — Resolved that the matter be referred to the Standing Committee on Works.

13 To consider the question of extending the date of payment of assessment rates without warrant costs for the 4th quarter, 1949.

Resolved that the date of payment of rates without warrant costs be extended to February 28, 1950

14 To consider a report of the Official Committee on Local Government Finance forwarded by the Commissioner of Local Government for the observations of Council

Resolved that a special Committee of the Council consisting of the following be appointed to consider and submit its observations on the report to Council.— The Mayor, the Deputy Mayor, Messrs W Dahanayake, W. T Wijekulasuriya, A I H A Wahab, E D Nagahawatte and A D H. Weeratunga

15. Considered a report by Dr M. O T Iyengar of the World Health Organization on the control of filariasis and what further consultation is necessary with Dr Iyengar

It was resolved that Dr M. O T Iyengar be invited to meet the Councillors on a date between February 4 and 11 in order to obtain his specific proposals for effective control of the incidence of filariasis in Galle

16 Considered the election of members to the local sub-committees in accordance with the Council's Poor Law Scheme for 1950

Resolved that consideration be deferred

17. To fix a salary scale to the resident Kangany at the Hiyare reservoir.

Mr. H. K. Edmund moved that a salary scale of Rs 600—Rs 30—Rs 1,200 be attached to the post of resident Kangany at the Hiyare reservoir—Mr D. A S P. Dahanayake seconded.

After discussion, Mr T D. Abeyewardena moved as an amendment that since the appointment was to be made from amongst members of the permanent staff, the Kangany appointed should continue on his present salary scale and, that the question of fixing a new salary scale be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration and report Mr B. M Charles seconded

The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost, the division being as follows —*Pro* Messrs T. A. Abeyewardena, B M Charles, A D. H. Weeratunga, M Thaha Cassim, and E D Nagahawatte *Against* The Mayor, Messrs H K Edmund, W Dahanayake, D Y. Weerasiri, A H E Fernando, W T. Wijekulasuriya, and D. A. S P Dahanayake

The motion was, then, put to the meeting and carried by 7 votes to 6 It was further resolved that the appointment do take effect from February 1, 1950

The Mayor moved that the Council do resume from the Committee stage and that the resolutions of Council in Committee be adopted. Mr. H. K. Edmund seconded — Carried

17. The following documents were laid on the table:—

- (1) Letter No G 1346/49 from the Assistant Superintendent of Police, S P, with regard to the educational certificate issued to A. A. Tudor, Electricity Apprentice.
- (2) Report of the Municipal Accountant with regard to arrears of work in the Accounts Department
- (3) Statement of Receipts and Disbursements for the month of December, 1949.
- (4) Reports of the field officers of (a) Health Department; (b) Works and Water Works Department; (c) Electricity Department; and (d) Finance Department.

A. R. M. THASSIM,
Mayor of Galle.

The Municipal Office, Galle.

GALLE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Special Meeting

Monday, February 13, 1950

The Council met this day at 4 p.m. pursuant to notice dated February 11, 1950

Present—A. R. M. Thassim, Esq. (Mayor), presiding, and H. K. Edmund, Esq. (Deputy Mayor), Messrs W. Dahanayake, A H E Fernando, D. Y. Weerasiri, A I H. A Wahab, L E Mendis, T. D. Abeyewardena, D A S. P. Dahanayake, B. M Charles, A D. H. Weeratunga, and M Thaha Cassim (Snr)

1 Considered the adoption of an anti-filariasis campaign in Galle.

The Mayor informed the meeting that Dr M. O. T. Iyengar had previously met the members of the Council informally and recommended that anti-filariasis measures of a preventive nature, viz, of mosquito control in Galle. He had expressed the wish that he be given the opportunity before he left the island to organize a scheme for Galle To begin with Dr. Iyengar had suggested a control squad of one sanitary inspector, three overseers and 12 labourers. Dr C. T. Williams, the Assistant Director of Medical and Sanitary Services had informed members that, subject to the approval of the Minister of Health and Local Government he would be pleased to make available to Council the services

of a trained sanitary inspector. According to Dr. Iyengar, the cost of the campaign would be less than Rs. 15,000 per annum.

After discussion, Mr. H. K. Edmund moved that this Council do provide a sum of Rs. 10,000 for organizing anti-filariasis measures in Galle as from March 1, 1950. Mr. A. D. H. Weeratunga seconded. Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake moved as an amendment that the proposed anti-filariasis work in Galle be started after obtaining an assurance from the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government that this Council would be given a grant by the Central Government for the purpose. Mr. B. M. Charles seconded. The amendment was put to the meeting and declared lost two voting for and 11 against. Mr. D. A. S. P. Dahanayake called for a division which resulted as follows:—

For: Messrs D. A. S. P. Dahanayake and B. M. Charles. *Against*: The Mayor, Messrs. H. K. Edmund, W. Dahanayake, A. H. E. Fernando, D. Y. Weerasiri, A. I. H. A. Wahab, L. E. Mendis, T. D. Abeyewardena, A. D. H. Weeratunga, M. Thaha Cassim (Snr.) and W. T. Wijekulasuriya.

The motion was then put to the meeting and carried by 11 votes to 2.

Mr. W. T. Wijekulasuriya moved that this Council do meet the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government in deputation to press for a grant or subsidy for the proposed anti-filariasis control in Galle. Mr. D. Y. Weerasiri seconded.—Carried.

It was resolved that the deputation do consist of the Mayor, the Deputy Mayor and Messrs. W. Dahanayake and A. D. H. Weeratunga.

2. Considered the question of relief to the victims of the recent cyclone

It was resolved (1) that the Inspector or Inspectors of the Department of Labour and Social Services and the Registrar and Investigating Officer of the Council be entrusted with the work of assessing the damage caused—their reports to reach by 3.30 p.m. on February 16, 1950; (2) the damage to the owner and tenant to be assessed separately; (3) that damage to jak, breadfruit, coconut trees and plantain bushes be not assessed; (4) damage to food crops such as paddy or vegetable be assessed provided that such food crops were the sole means of livelihood of the person or persons who sustained such damage; (5) loss of livestock be assessed provided such livestock was the only means of livelihood of the person or persons who sustained such loss; (6) the maximum amount payable as compensation be fixed at Rs. 300; (7) that damage to property of persons whose monthly income exceeds Rs. 100 be not assessed as they are not entitled to receive any compensation; (8) the distribution of free rations be continued upto the week ending February 19, 1950; (9) arrangements be made to give half compensation as assessed by the authorized officers on February 18, 1950; and (10) a sum of Rs. 15,000 be provided to meet the cost of compensation

A. R. M. THASSIM,
Mayor of Galle

The Municipal Office, Galle.

Notices under the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance

BERUWAL-ALUTGAM-MALEWAN BADDA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

IT is hereby notified for general information that Mahamood Lebbe Marikar Mohamed Ibrahim has been nominated by the Minister for Health and Local Government, under the proviso to section 36 (3) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, as member of Beruwal-Alutgam-Malewan Badda Village Committee to represent Ward No. 13.

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

Colombo, March 13, 1950.

KALUTARA BADDA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

NOTICE is hereby given under section 37 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that Tikiriyadura Tharalis Silva has been elected to represent Ward No. 17, Etagama, of the Kalutara Badda Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 18, 1950.

WELIGAMA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

NOTICE is hereby given under section 37 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that Don Gunatilaka Nanayakkara has been elected to represent Ward No. 21, of the Weligama Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 16, 1950.

GALBODA KORALE VILLAGE COMMITTEE

NOTICE is hereby given under section 37 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that Wijesoori Basnayake Mudiyansele Kiribanda has been elected to represent Ward No. 14, Udumulla, of the Galboda Korale Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 16, 1950.

DONDRA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

NOTICE is hereby given under section 37 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that Charlie Abeyasekera has been elected to represent Ward No. 19, Naotuuna, of the Dondra Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 17, 1950.

UDDISPATTU NORTH (U.D.) VILLAGE COMMITTEE

NOTICE is hereby given under section 37 of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that Kurukohogama Udaha Walauwe Kuda Banda Seneviratne has been elected to represent Ward No. 14 of the Uddispattu North (U.D.) Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 20, 1950

Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946

NOTICE is hereby given under section 36 (2) of the Local Authorities Elections Ordinance, No. 53 of 1946, that on the nomination day appointed in accordance with section 27 (1) and on the second nomination day appointed in accordance with section 36 (1) of the Ordinance, no candidates were duly nominated for election in respect of Ward No. 8, Arawa and Pinnagolla, of the Palwatte-Aralupitiya Village Committee.

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

Colombo, March 16, 1950.

Statements of Revenue and Expenditure

NEGOMBO URBAN COUNCIL

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1949

REVENUE	Rs.	c.
A.—General revenue	322,593	27
B.—Thoroughfares	4,799	98
C.—Resthouses and ambalams	32,001	4
D.—Council lands and buildings	8,706	52
E.—Public health	77,764	9
F.—Public recreation, 170 (6) 172 (1) (g)	17,208	5
G.—Cemeteries—(Cemeteries Ordinance Chapter 181)	406	0
H.—Dog Registration (Dog Registration Ordinance, Chapter 334, and Rabies Ordinance Chapter 333)	741	0
I.—Weights and Measures (Weights and Measures Ordinance, Chapter 127)	143	43
J.—Electricity Department	227,414	98
K.—Fire protection	—	—
L.—Supply of fruit trees	—	—
M.—Reading rooms and libraries	—	—
MM.—War emergency measures	—	—
Total revenue	691,778	36

OTHER RECEIPTS

Deposits	43,453	72
Advances	78,404	61
Government grant for slum clearance and housing scheme	34,000	0
Government grant for housing scheme, Munnakkara	157,400	0
Chairman's Fund	120	30
Amount transferred from current account at National Bank of India, Ltd., to Colombo Kacheheri	262,000	0
Total receipts	1,267,156	99
Balance on December 31, 1948	136,173	2
	1,403,330	1

EXPENDITURE

	Rs.	c.
A.—General expenditure	102,519	19
B.—Thoroughfares	159,609	55
C.—Resthouses and ambalams	27,465	30
D.—Council lands and buildings	23,284	56
E.—Public health	252,765	68
F.—Public recreation, 170 (6) 172 (1) (g)	18,234	45
G.—Cemeteries—Cemeteries Ordinance (Chapter 181)	5,710	37
H.—Dog Registration—Dog Registration Ordinance Chapter 334, and Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333)	996	10
I.—Weights and measures	12	0
J.—Electricity department	220,507	89
K.—Fire protection	70	80
L.—Supply of fruit trees	—	—
M.—Reading rooms and libraries	2,270	0
MM.—War emergency measures	—	—
Total expenditure	813,445	89

Deposits	33,112	68
Advances	66,226	3
Government grant for slum clearance and housing scheme	33,309	43
Government grant for housing scheme, Munnakkara	114,327	80
Government loan for the purchase of generator sets	47,500	0
Chairman's Fund	30	0
Amount transferred from current account at National Bank of India, Ltd., to Colombo Kacheheri	262,000	0
Total payments	1,369,951	83
Balance on December 31, 1949	33,378	18
	1,403,330	1

Statement of Assets and Liabilities as at December 31, 1949

LIABILITIES	Rs.	c.
Deposits	74,955	83
Government grant for slum clearance and housing scheme	44,417	49
Reserve for depreciation on electricity distribution system	11,000	0

	Rs.	c.
Government loan for purchase of generator sets	5,000	0
Chairman's Fund	90	30
	135,463	62

Deficit on December 31, 1949

	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
Surplus on December 31, 1948		58,357 54
Revenue for 1949	691,778 36	
Expenditure for 1949	813,445 89	
		63,309 99
		72,153 63

ASSETS

	Rs. c.
Advances—Aided latrine scheme	116 40
Advances—Miscellaneous	34,996 15
Deposit in Ceylon Savings Bank	3,662 90
Cash at Colombo Kacheheri	3,091 97
Cash at National Bank of India, Ltd.	30,286 21
	72,153 63

EARLE DE ALWIS,
Municipal Commissioner,
Negombo.

Negombo, March 14, 1950.

PANADURE URBAN COUNCIL

True Abstract of the Account of Receipts and Payments for the Year 1949

REVENUE	Rs. c.	Rs. c.
A.—General :—		
Property tax	76,765	83
Vehicles and animals tax	973	50
Licence duties	50,044	31
Refund of Stamp Duties and other revenue	5,131	41
Refund of overpayments	2,225	96
Miscellaneous	2,823	1
Warrant costs, &c.	1,815	31
Contribution from Electrical Department	3,000	0
Contribution by Government for war allowance	90,988	48
Block grants from Central Government	—	—
	233,767	81
B.—Thoroughfares :—		
Contributions by Government	135	0
		135 0
C.—Resthouses and ambalams	—	—
D.—Council lands and buildings :—		
Rents	8,476	0
		8,476 0
E.—Public health :—		
(1) General	6,457	50
(2) Scavenging	665	66
(3) Conservancy	25	50
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound	2,541	92
(5) Water supply	—	—
(6) Hospitals	—	—
(7) Markets, galas and grain stores	26,004	50
		35,695 8
F.—Public recreation :—		
Rents and performance licences	703	50
Entertainment tax	2,731	24
		3,434 74
G.—Cemeteries :—		
Burial fees, &c.	798	0
		798 0
H.—Dog Registration	156	50
		156 50
I.—Weights and measures	60	0
		60 0
J.—Electricity Department :—		
(1) Sale of current	154,329	90
(2) Rent of meters	10,064	30
(3) Works executed for customers	9,750	83
(4) Miscellaneous	1,125	58
(5) Refunds	—	—
(6) Contribution by Government for war allowance	13,856	52
		189,127 13
K.—Fire protection	—	—
L.—Supply of fruit trees	—	—
M.—Reading rooms and libraries	—	—
MM.—War emergency measures	—	—
Total Revenue	471,650	26

Other Receipts		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Total revenue brought forward	..			471,650	26
Deposits	..			21,103	99
Provident Fund	..			115	25
Housing Scheme Fund	..			8,000	0
Current Account at Bank	..			20,600	0
Advances—					
Water sealed latrines	..			741	90
Bicycles	..			2,432	31
I. D. H.	..			757	44
Dishonoured cheques	..			1,349	59
Hospital charges	..			113	2
Spectacles	..			10	0
Pensions	..			345	57
Salvage	..			27	53
Overpaid salaries	..			15	20
Distraing fees	..			120	0
Cement	..			3	40
				5,916	1
Total Receipts				527,385	51
Surplus on December 31, 1948				11,116	36
				538,501	87

Other Payments		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
Total expenditure brought forward	..			490,363	25
Deposits	..			18,527	45
Provident Fund	..			115	25
Housing Scheme Fund	..			5,211	96
Fixed deposits at Bank (withdrawals)	..			10,300	0
Advances—					
Water sealed latrines	..			291	52
Bicycles	..			3,186	50
I. D. H.	..			989	64
Dishonoured cheques	..			1,349	59
Hospitals charges	..			419	25
Pensions	..			315	85
Overpaid salaries	..			76	0
Unpaid salaries	..			2,713	76
Distraing fees	..			120	0
				9,462	11
Total Payments				533,980	2
Surplus on December 31, 1949				4,521	85
				538,501	87

EXPENDITURE		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.
A.—General :—					
Salaries and pensions	..	21,030	43		
Establishment expenses and war allowance	..	28,934	44		
Refunds	..	150	79		
Contributions and grants	..	1,800	0		
				51,915	66
B.—Thoroughfares :—					
Salaries and wages and war allowance	..	17,199	60		
Maintenance, plants and tools	..	12,951	26		
Lighting	..	36,279	53		
Acquisitions	..	16,221	64		
Improvements and surveys	..	9,280	95		
New works, &c.	..	4,488	29		
Street lines and Motor Warning Sign Boards	..	2,134	80		
				98,556	7
C.—Resthouses and ambalams					
D.—Council lands and buildings :—					
Wages and war allowance	..	4,406	70		
Maintenance and furniture	..	5,059	95		
Loan charges	..	360	0		
				9,826	65
E.—Public health :—					
(1) General	..	48,204	70		
(2) Scavenging	..	28,337	45		
(3) Conservancy	..	70,411	44		
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound	..	52	0		
(5) Water supply	..	7,804	76		
(6) Hospitals	..	12	0		
(7) Markets, galas and grain stores	..	46,281	21		
				201,103	56
F.—Public recreation :—					
Wages and war allowance	..	1,179	20		
Maintenance	..	338	41		
Entertainment tax	..	427	50		
				1,945	11
G.—Cemeteries :—					
Wages and war allowance	..	4,043	78		
Maintenance	..	1,762	0		
				5,805	78
H.—Dog Registration					
				685	80
I.—Weights and measures					
				58	75
				58	75
J.—Electricity Department :—					
(1) Generation of electricity	..	44,554	93		
(2) Repairs and maintenance	..	4,645	92		
(3) Service and house connections	..	6,713	39		
(4) Management and general expenses	..	39,117	42		
(5) Loan charges	..	—	—		
(6) Extensions	..	25,144	91		
(7) Depreciation electric lighting and distribution system	..	—	—		
(8) Refunds	..	12	50		
				120,189	7
K.—Fire protection					
				276	80
				276	80
L.—Supply of fruit trees					
M.—Reading rooms and libraries					
MM.—War emergency measures					
Total Expenditure				490,363	25

Deposit Account on December 31, 1949		Rs.	c.	
Receipts	..	21,103	99	
Balance, December 31, 1948	..	26,477	61	
			47,581	60
Payments	..	18,527	45	
Balance on December 31, 1949	..	29,054	15	
			47,581	60

Statement of Assets and Liabilities on December 31, 1949		
LIABILITIES		
Deposits—Balance	..	29,054 15
Depreciation Fund Electricity Lighting Scheme	..	29,777 99
Housing Scheme Fund—Unexpended balance	..	6,658 4
		65,490 18
ASSETS		
Advance—		Rs. c.
P. M. G. Trunk Calls	..	10 0
I. D. H.	..	736 68
Bicycles	..	2,471 75
Factory Engineer—Purchase of an		
Electrical Plant	..	4,000 0
Water sealed latrines	..	1,989 55
Pensions	..	310 28
National savings	..	9 72
Drainage scheme	..	125 0
Hospital charges	..	306 21
Unpaid salaries	..	2,713 76
Overpaid salaries	..	60 80
		12,733 75
Fixed Deposits at Bank	..	29,777 99
Cash in Current Account at Bank	..	12,755 46
Less uncashed cheques	..	8,900 48
		3,854 98
Add cheques received not realised in Bank	..	297 6
Add cost of cheque book debited in Bank not debited in Council's books	..	6 0
Add cash in hand	..	363 81
Total expenditure on December 31, 1949	..	490,363 25
Total revenue on December 31, 1949	..	471,650 26
Deficit for the year	..	18,712 99
Surplus on December 31, 1948	..	256 40
Deficit on December 31, 1949	..	18,456 59
		65,490 18

Statement of New Health Unit Office Loan Account for 1949

Instalment	Amount	Date Raised	Rate of Interest Per Cent.	Amount of Annual Payment	Present Amount Outstanding	Date of Extinction
	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
1st Instalment ..	17,500 0	1.6.1938	4	875 0	7,875 0	1.6.1958

Statement of New Grain Stores Loan Account for 1949

Instalment	Amount	Date Raised	Rate of Interest Per Cent.	Amount of Annual Payment	Present Amount Outstanding	Date of Extinction
	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
1st Instalment ..	15,000 0	3.7.1940	4	600 0	9,600 0	3.7.1965
2nd ,, ..	15,000 0	6.9.1940	4	600 0	9,600 0	6.9.1965

Statement of Housing Scheme Loan Account for 1949

Instalment	Amount	Date Raised	Rate of Interest Per Cent.	Amount of Annual Payment	Present Amount Outstanding	Date of Extinction
	Rs. c.			Rs. c.	Rs. c.	
1st Instalment ..	4,000 0	19.7.1948	4	200 0	3,800 0	19.7.1968
2nd ,, ..	4,000 0	25.6.1949	4	200 0	4,000 0	25.6.1969
3rd ,, ..	4,000 0	4.7.1949	4	200 0	4,000 0	4.7.1969

I, Noel Theodore Mendis, Chairman, Urban Council, Panadura, do hereby affirm that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief a true and correct account of all monies received and paid by virtue of the Urban Council's Ordinance No. 61 of 1939, on account of the Panadura Urban Council during the year 1949, and that the foregoing is a correct statement of assets and liabilities of the said Council as on December 31, 1949.

NOEL T. MENDIS,
Chairman.

I certify that the above statement is correct.

D. A. WIJESIRIWARDENA,
Member.

Affirmed to on this 13th day of March, 1950, at Panadura before me.

D. W. J. PERERA,
Justice of Peace.

The Urban Council Office,
Panadura, March 13, 1950.

POINT PEDRO TOWN COUNCIL

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the Year 1949

REVENUE	Rs. c.
A.—General revenue ..	65,180 71
B.—Thoroughfares ..	4,844 9
C.—Council lands and buildings ..	145 95
D.—Public health ..	11,293 91
G.—Dog registration ..	43 0
Total ..	81,507 66
Electricity department ..	110,363 82
Total ..	191,871 48
Other Receipts:—	
(1) Deposits ..	3,892 12
(2) Advances ..	16,567 73
(4) Loan account ..	174,109 25
(8) Revenue collection account—	
(a) Property rate ..	19,160 14
(c) Electricity dues ..	50,246 83
(9) Sundry creditors ..	6,403 4
Balance on December 31, 1948 ..	15,525 38
Total ..	477,775 97
EXPENDITURE	Rs. c.
A.—General expenditure ..	17,916 48
B.—Thoroughfares ..	21,226 27
C.—Council lands and buildings ..	1,406 14
D.—Public health ..	31,798 56
G.—Dog registration ..	122 70
J.—Reading rooms and libraries ..	200 0
Total ..	72,670 15
Electricity department ..	111,390 66
Total ..	184,060 81
Other Payments:—	
(1) Deposits ..	1,631 22
(2) Advances ..	93,669 25
(4) Loan account ..	91,659 25
(8) Revenue collection accounts—	
(a) Property rate ..	21,907 55
(c) Electricity dues ..	52,593 24
Balance on December 31, 1949 ..	32,254 65
Total ..	477,775 97

Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Point Pedro Town Council as at December 31, 1949

LIABILITIES	Rs. c.
Deposits ..	7,917 21
Surplus on December 31, 1948 (General) ..	23,209 13
Revenue as at December 31, 1949 ..	81,507 66
Expenditure as at December 31, 1949 ..	72,670 15
Surplus on December 31, 1948 (Electricity) ..	7,955 82
Expenditure as at December 31, 1949 ..	111,390 66
Revenue as at December 31, 1949 ..	110,363 82
Sundry creditors ..	6,928 98
Total ..	53,295 87
ASSETS	
Advance for electricity capital—	
Expenditure from general account ..	5,476 70
From electricity account ..	5,520 31
Property rate ..	10,997 1
Electricity dues ..	5,143 30
Cash in hand ..	4,900 91
Cash at Kachcheri ..	100 0
Total ..	35,827 89
Cash in transit ..	35,927 89
Total ..	3,290 65
Less payment orders uncashed ..	39,218 54
Total ..	6,963 89
Total ..	32,254 65
Total ..	53,295 87

I, Namasivayam Nadarajah, Chairman, Town Council, Point Pedro, do hereby affirm that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief true and correct statement of the Liabilities and Assets of the Point Pedro Town Council on December 31, 1949.

Town Council Office,
Point Pedro, March 20, 1950.

N. NADARAJAH,
Chairman.

Certified as correct.

S. NAGALINGA MUDALY,
Member.

Town Council Office,
Point Pedro, March 20, 1950.

Certified as correct.

S. NAGALINGA MUDALY,
Member.

Affirmed to before me this 20th day of March, 1950.

M. ESURAPADHAM,
Justice of the Peace.

Affirmed to before me this 20th day of March, 1950.

M. ESURAPADHAM,
Justice of the Peace.

Statement of Deposit Account as at December 31, 1949

	Rs.	c.
Balance due to depositors on December 31, 1948	5,656	31
Add receipts since January 1, 1949	3,892	12
	9,548	43
Deduct payments since January 1, 1949	1,631	22
Balance due to depositors on December 31, 1949	7,917	21

I, Namasivayam Nadarajah, Chairman, Town Council, Point Pedro, do hereby affirm that the above is to the best of my knowledge and belief a true and correct statement of the Deposit Account of the Town Council, Point Pedro, on December 31, 1949.

Town Council Office,
Point Pedro, March 20, 1950.

N. NADARAJAH,
Chairman.

Certified as correct.

S. NAGALINGA MUDATY,
Member.

Affirmed to before me this 20th day of March, 1950.

M. ESURAPADHAM,
Justice of the Peace.

Budgets

COLOMBO MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
Supplemental Budget, 1950. (No. 2)

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 1950, (No 2) will be open to public inspection for seven days commencing from March 27, 1950, at the Office of the Municipal Treasurer, Colombo.

Town Hall,
Colombo, March 23, 1950.

KUMARAN RATNAM,
Mayor of Colombo

TANGALLA URBAN COUNCIL
Supplementary Budget for 1948

EXPENDITURE

	Rs.	c.
A.—General expenditure—		
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)		
(b) Clerks and revenue inspectors	928	24

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

Urban Council Office,
Tangalla.

D. P. ATAPATTU,
Chairman.

Sanctioned by the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government on March 13, 1950.

E. B. WIRATUNGA,
for Commissioner of Local Government.

Colombo, March 13, 1950.

L. G. D.—DB. 172A.

WATTALA-MABOLE-PELIYAGODA URBAN COUNCIL

Fourth Supplementary Budget for 1949

Head, Sub-head and Item	Supplementary vote applied for	Rs.	c.
A.—(2) (a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)	5	63	
A.—(2) (c) Commission to tax collectors	18	9	
A.—(2) (e) Legal expenses	28	80	
A.—(2) (f) Stationery, printing, &c.	1,267	1	
A.—(2) (k) War allowance	178	57	
B.—(4) Lighting	15	0	
D.—(3) Rent of office	12	12	
E.—(1) (b) Allowances	375	55	
E.—(1) (c) Anti-malaria measures	272	40	
E.—(2) (c) Sotres	8	10	
E.—(3) (a) Wages	1,925	15	
E.—(3) (g) Construction	142	0	
E.—(3) (h) War allowance	1,191	34	
E.—(4) (f) War allowance	43	72	
E.—(5) (c) Maintenance	11	25	
E.—(7) (a) Wages	4	8	
G.—(1) Wages	6	0	
J.—(1) (d) Purchase of current	670	97	
J.—(2) (d) Maintenance of supply mains, &c.	1	2	
J.—(4) (b) Salaries (outdoor staff)	111	38	
J.—(4) (d) Sundries	3,003	55	
J.—(10) War allowance	146	67	
J.—(11) Rent allowance	4	45	
Total	9,442	85	

Settled and adopted by the Council at its meetings on November 12, 1949, December 10, 1949, and January 28, 1950.

Urban Council Office,
Wattala, February 16, 1950.

D. V. JAYAWARDENE,
Chairman.

Sanctioned by the Hon. Minister of Health and Local Government on March 13, 1950.

K. ANANTHAM,
for Commissioner of Local Government.

Colombo, March 15, 1950.

TELDENIYA TOWN COUNCIL
Budget for 1950

PART I—GENERAL BUDGET

Heds of Revenue	Estimate for 1950	Rs.	c.
A.—General revenue —			
(1) Property rate, 173 (1)	2,000	0	
(2) Vehicle and animals tax, 175 (1) (a)	75	0	
(3) Licence duties	2,000	0	
(4) Other taxes, 175 (1) (c)	—	—	
(5) Refund of stamp duties (Schedule VI)	100	0	
(6) Refund of liquor licences	—	—	
(7) Compensation for opium revenue	—	—	
(8) Fines by court (not included elsewhere)	150	0	
(9) Auctioneers' and brokers' licences (Cap. 93)	—	—	
(10) Interest	90	0	
(11) Sale of old stores	—	—	
(12) Refund of overpayments	—	—	
(13) Warrant costs	100	0	
(14) Subsidy on account of war allowances	9,246	0	
(15) Miscellaneous	800	0	
(16) Grant-in-aid from Government	1,776	0	
Total	16,337	0	

B.—Thoroughfares —

(1) Subsidy in lieu of Labour Tax	409	0
(2) Other collections, e.g., fines for injuries, &c. (98), fines on and proceeds of sale of stray cattle (104 (2)), sale of badges and faretables, &c.	75	0
Total	484	0

C.—Council lands and buildings (not included elsewhere) —

(1) Rents	—	—
(2) Sale of produce	100	0
(3) Sale of lands	—	—
Total	100	0

D.—Public health —

(1) General—		
(a) Fines under Part IV	—	—
(b) Fees for services of midwife	—	—
(c) Maternity Home and Child Welfare Clinic—		
(1) Government grant	—	—
(2) Other receipts	—	—
(2) Scavenging—		
(a) Fees 170 (9) (b)	—	—
(b) Sale of refuse, 132	25	0
(c) Fines on contractors and labourers	—	—
(3) Conservancy—		
(a) Rate, 143 (b)	—	—
(b) Fees, 170 (9) (b)	1,200	0
(c) Sale of refuse, 132	—	—
(e) Fines on contractors and labourers	25	0
(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
(a) Fees, 170 (10) (a)	400	0
(b) Sale of refuse	—	—
(5) Water supply—		
(a) Water rates, 143 (b), 148	550	0
(b) Private water service fees	100	0
(c) Distraming fees	—	—
(d) Works executed for customers	—	—
(e) Rent of meters	—	—
(f) Private water service connections	—	—
(6) Hospitals—		
(a) Contributions from Government	—	—
(b) Rent of hospital grounds	—	—
(7) Markets and galas—		
(a) Rents	700	0
(b) Boutiques and stalls, 170 (11)	—	—
(c) Licences for private markets, 152 (3)	—	—
(d) Licences, 165 (2)	—	—
(e) Grain store rents	200	0
Total	3,200	0

Heads of Revenue		Estimate for 1950 Rs. c.	Heads of Expenditure		Estimate for 1950 Rs. c.
E.—Public recreation, 170 (6) :—			C.—Council lands and buildings (not charged elsewhere) :—		
(1) Rents	.	—	(1) Wages	.	—
(2) Cattle grazing fees	.	—	(2) Commission to collectors	.	180 0
(3) Licences for public performances	.	—	(3) Rent of office	.	—
(4) Entertainment tax	.	—	(4) Maintenance	.	—
Total	.	—	(5) Furniture	.	—
			(6) Loan charges	.	—
			(7) New works	.	1 000 0
			(8) War allowance	.	—
			Total		1,180 0
F.—Cemeteries (Cap 181) .—			D.—Public health —		
(1) Fees	.	50 0	(1) General—		
(2) Hire of hearse	.	—	(a) Salaries—		
(3) Graves sold for erecting monuments	.	—	(1) Sanitary Inspectors	.	—
Total	.	50 0	(2) Public health nurse	.	—
			(3) Midwives	.	—
			(b) Wages	.	—
			(c) Allowances	.	—
			(d) Uniforms	.	—
			(e) Printing	.	—
			(f) Disinfectants	.	100 0
			(g) Instruments and drugs (midwife)	.	—
			(h) Drainage construction	.	500 0
			(i) Drainage compensation	.	—
			(j) Expenses of health week	.	50 0
			(k) Fees for milk analyses	.	—
			(l) Anti-plague measures	.	50 0
			(m) Anti-smallpox measures	.	—
			(n) Maternity home and child welfare clinic	.	500 0
			(o) War allowance	.	—
			(2) Scavenging—		
			(a) Wages	.	1,850 0
			(b) Carts, bulls and lorries	.	400 0
			(c) Stores	.	—
			(d) Incinerator	.	100 0
			(e) War allowance	.	2,864 0
			(3) Conservancy—		
			(a) Wages	.	2,240 0
			(b) Carts, bulls and lorries	.	360 0
			(c) Stores	.	—
			(d) Rent of night soil depot	.	—
			(e) Maintenance of latrines	.	300 0
			(f) Acquisition	.	—
			(g) Construction	.	—
			(h) War allowance	.	3,382 0
			(4) Slaughter-house and cattle pound—		
			(a) Wages	.	—
			(b) Maintenance	.	300 0
			(c) Acquisition	.	—
			(d) Construction	.	—
			(e) Cattle disease	.	—
			(f) War allowance	.	—
			(5) Water supply—		
			(a) Wages	.	—
			(b) Stores	.	—
			(c) Maintenance	.	1,500
			(d) Acquisition	.	—
			(e) Construction	.	—
			(f) Loan charges	.	—
			(g) Commission to collectors	.	—
			(h) Public baths	.	—
			(i) War allowance	.	—
			(6) Hospitals—		
			(a) Wages	.	—
			(b) Maintenance	.	—
			(c) Paupers	.	—
			(d) War allowance	.	—
			(7) Markets and gallas—		
			(a) Wages	.	—
			(b) Maintenance	.	750 0
			(c) Printing, &c.	.	—
			(d) Construction	.	—
			(e) Compensation	.	—
			(f) Acquisition	.	—
			(g) Loan charges	.	—
			(h) War allowance	.	—
			Total		15,246 0
G.—Dog registration (Caps 334 and 333) —			E.—Public recreation, 170 (6) :—		
(1) Registration fees	.	25 0	(1) Wages	.	—
(2) Fines	.	—	(2) Maintenance	.	—
(3) Sale of dog collars	.	—	(3) Allowance to band	.	—
(4) Seizing fees	.	—	(4) Acquisition	.	—
Total	.	25 0	(5) Contributions and grants	.	—
			(6) War allowance	.	—
			Total		—
H.—Weights and measures (Cap 127) .—			Total		
(1) Fees for stamping	.	—			
(2) Fines	.	—			
Total	.	—			
I.—Fire protection —					
(1) Fees	.	—			
J.—Reading rooms and libraries —					
(1) Grants	.	—			
(2) Subscriptions	.	—			
Total	.	—			
Grand Total			Estimate for		
		20,196 0	1950		
			Rs. c.		
Heads of Expenditure					
A.—General expenditure .—					
(1) Salaries of officers (not otherwise charged)—					
(a) Secretary	.	2,280 0			
(b) Clerks	.	709 0			
(c) Revenue Inspectors	.	—			
(e) Peons	.	540 0			
(e) Cost of technical advisers	.	—			
(f) Pensions	.	—			
(g) War allowance	.	3,000 0			
(2) Establishment expenses—					
(a) Allowances (not otherwise charged)	.	290 0			
(b) Travelling	.	300 0			
(c) Commission to tax collectors (not otherwise charged)	.	350 0			
(d) Assessor's fees	.	150 0			
(e) Legal expenses	.	50 0			
(f) Stationery, printing, advertising and stamps	.	700 0			
(g) Cost of vehicle and boat plates	.	30 0			
(h) Cost of audit	.	200 0			
(i) Holiday railway tickets	.	250 0			
(j) Incidental expenses	.	50 0			
(k) Office furniture and equipment	.	1,200 0			
(3) Refunds	.	—			
(4) Contributions and grants	.	—			
Total	.	10,039 0			
B.—Thoroughfares :—					
(1) Salaries and wages—					
(a) Superintendent of works (Salary/allowances)	.	180 0			
(b) Overseers	.	—			
(c) Labourers	.	—			
(2) Maintenance	.	500 0			
(3) Plant and tools	.	—			
(4) Street lighting	.	500 0			
(5) Dust laying	.	—			
(6) Cost of badges and faretables	.	—			
(7) Acquisition	.	—			
(8) Improvements	.	—			
(9) Loan charges	.	—			
(10) Shade trees	.	—			
(11) Surveys	.	—			
(12) New works	.	750 0			
(13) War allowance	.	—			
Total	.	1,930 0			

<i>Heads of Expenditure</i>	<i>Estimate for 1950</i>		<i>Heads of Expenditure</i>	<i>Estimate for 1950</i>	
	<i>Rs.</i>	<i>c.</i>		<i>Rs.</i>	<i>c.</i>
F.—Cemeteries (Cap. 181) :—			I.—Fire protection :—		
(1) Wages	—	(1) Cost of fire extinguishers, refills, &c. ..	..	25 0
(2) Maintenance	150 0			
(3) Construction	—	Total ..	..	25 0
(4) War allowance	—			
Total	150 0	J.—Reading rooms and libraries :—		
			(1) Salaries .. .. .	..	—
G.—Dog registration (Cap.s 334 and 333) :—			(2) Wages .. .. .	..	—
(1) Destruction of dogs	25 0	(3) Books and periodicals .. .. .	..	—
(2) Commission to collectors	—	(4) Furniture .. .. .	..	—
(3) Cost of dog collars	25 0	(5) Maintenance .. .. .	..	—
(4) Fees to seizers	—	(6) War allowance .. .. .	..	—
(5) Maintenance of dog pound	—	Total ..	..	—
(6) Construction	—	Grand Total ..	..	28,680 0
Total	50 0			
			Settled and adopted by the Council at its meeting on January 30, 1950, subject to revision by the Commissioner of Local Government.		
H.—Weights and measures (Cap. 127) :—			Town Council,	K. B. SAMARAKOON,	
(1) Fees to inspectors	—	Teldeniya, February 7, 1950.	Chairman.	
(2) Stores	—	Revised and sanctioned.		
Total	—		E. B. WIRATUNGA,	
				for Commissioner of Local Government.	
				Colombo, March 13, 1950.	

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WATTEGAMA URBAN COUNCIL

Application under Urban Council Financial Rule 12 (ii)—Budget for 1949

THE utilization of savings from votes to meet corresponding excess on other votes as shown below has been settled and adopted by the Council at its meeting held on December 20, 1949, subject to the sanction of the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government :—

SAVINGS		EXCESS	
<i>Head, Sub-head and Item</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Head, Sub-head and Item</i>	<i>Amount</i>
	<i>Rs. c.</i>		<i>Rs. c.</i>
J.—(3) (b) Labour (temporary) .. .. .	.. 43 54	J.—(1) (c) Salaries and wages at works .. .. .	.. 43 54
E.—(1) (b) Allowances .. .. .	.. 50 0	E.—(3) (a) Wages .. .. .	.. 50 0
J.—(2) (b) Engine boilers, machinery and plant .. .. .	.. 354 24	J.—(4) (b) Salaries, &c. (Otudoor staff) .. .. .	.. 95 54
		J.—(10) War allowance .. .. .	.. 258 70

Urban Council Office,
Wattegama, January 11, 1950.

A. J. FERNANDO,
for Chairman.

Sanctioned by the Hon. the Minister of Health and Local Government on March 10, 1950.

Colombo, March 11, 1950.

K. ANANTHAM,
for Commissioner of Local Government.

Miscellaneous

BY virtue of the provisions of section 14 (6) of the Municipal Councils Ordinance, No. 29 of 1947, and with the consent of Council conveyed by the resolution of Council dated December 8, 1947, I, Kumaran Ratnam, Mayor of the Colombo Municipal Council, being the Licensing Authority under the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938, for the area within the administrative limits of the Colombo Municipal Council, do, by this Order in writing, specially authorize Paul Marcus

Jayarajan, Municipal Commissioner, Colombo, to exercise, perform and discharge the powers, duties and functions imposed upon me by the Motor Car Ordinance, No. 45 of 1938

KUMARAN RATNAM,
Mayor of the Colombo Municipal Council.

The Municipal Office,
Town Hall,
Colombo, February 22, 1950.

BERUWALA URBAN COUNCIL

Danger of Rabies

IN terms of section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), notice is hereby given that there is danger of rabies within the administrative limits of the Beruwala Urban Council.

Any dog found in any place or road or any other place other than a private building, compound or garden, within the said limits and not tied up or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith by any person authorized by me in writing.

This proclamation shall take effect from April 1, 1950, and shall be in force till September 30, 1950.

I. MICHAEL FERNANDO,
Urban Council Office,
Beruwala, March 17, 1950.
Chairman.

KALPITIYA TOWN COUNCIL

Rabies

NOTICE is hereby given in terms of section 11 of the Rabies Ordinance (Chapter 333), of the Legislative Enactments of Ceylon, that there is danger of rabies within the administrative limits of this Council.

Any dog found in any public place or road or any place other than private buildings, compound or garden, within the limits of this Council, and not being tied up or led, shall be liable to be destroyed forthwith by any person authorized by me in writing.

This proclamation shall be in force for six months from March 15, 1950.

S. M. NAINA MARIKAR,
Town Council Office,
Kalpitiya, March 15, 1950.
Chairman.

POLGAHAWELA TOWN COUNCIL

Proclamation under section 10 A (1) of the Rabies Ordinance, 1893

THE area within the limits of the Town Council, Polgahawela, is hereby proclaimed under section 10A (1) of the Rabies Ordinance, 1893, as an area within which there is danger of rabies and that the public are hereby warned that any dog found in any public place or road, or any place other than a private building, compound or a garden, within the Town Council limits of Polgahawela not being tied up or led, will be destroyed forthwith by any person authorised by me in writing.

K. B. EPAKANDA,
Town Council Office,
March 14, 1950.
Chairman.

MINUWANGODA VILLAGE AREA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

The Butchers Ordinance

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 of the Butchers Ordinance (Chapter 201), as amended by section 6 of the Ordinance No. 44 of 1947, that the person mentioned in the schedule hereto, has made an 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 1950

Any person residing within the limits of the Minuwangoda Village Committee area, who desires to object to the issue of the licence, 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 the licence.

SCHEDULE

Name of Applicant.	Name of premises at which the trade is to be carried.
S. Asandeen of Minuwangoda	Meat Stall in Gorakagahawatte at Wegowwa, belonging to Mrs. A. M. J. Fernando.

Village Committee Office,
Minuwangoda, March 20, 1950.
D. J. SENANAYAKE,
Chairman.

EGODAPOTHA VILLAGE COMMITTEE

The Butchers Ordinance

NOTICE is hereby given under section 7 (2) of the Butchers Ordinance (Chapter 201), as amended by section 6 of the Ordinance No. 44 of 1947, that the person mentioned in the schedule hereunder has made an application to me to issue him a licence to carry on the trade of a butcher, in the premises stated against his name in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1950.

Any person residing within the limits of the Village Committee area of Egodapotha V. A., who desires to object to the issue of a licence, should furnish to me in duplicate, within fourteen days from the date of the publication of this notice in the *Gazette*, a written statement of the grounds of his objection to the issue of the licence.

SCHEDULE REFERRED TO ABOVE

Name and Address of applicant	No. and place of the premises at which the trade is to be carried on
Kanganige Joseph Fernando, Nittambuwa	Pork Stall at 510, on the land Ambagahawatta, Attanagalla Road at Nittambuwa Junction

A. W. C. SENAVIRATNE,
V. C. Office, Attanagalla,
Urapola, March 15, 1950.
Chairman.

HANWELLA UDUGAHA PATTU VILLAGE COMMITTEE, COLOMBO DISTRICT

The Butchers (Amendment) Ordinance, No. 44 of 1947

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 in the premises stated against his name in the aforesaid schedule, during the year 1950.

Any person residing within the limits of the Hanwella Udugaha Pattu Village Committee area, who desires to object to the issue of the 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 for the issue of the licence.

SCHEDULE

Name of applicant	Name of premises
A. L. M. Jaber	... Niripola

W. M. WICKRAMARATNE,
Chairman.

Office of the V. C.,
Hanwella Udugaha Pattu V. A.,
Waga, March 20, 1950.

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ජ. බිච්ලිම්. කන්තන්තර, මොහොත්ත මා ප්‍රදේශ පාලනය පිළිබඳ අමාත්‍ය කාරණිංගයේ සාමාජික ලේකම්තුමා.

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බේකර්, බන්කඩ, රැස්වෝරන්විකාලා සහ තේ හා කෝපිකඩ 1. මේ අතුරු මාවතාමල—

- "බේකර්" සන්තෙන් මිනිසුන්ගේ කෑම් සඳහා අහාරයක් ලෙස මිනිස් මිදිම පාන්, විස්කෝතු හෝ රසකැපිලි වඩි පුම්මතු රබ්බාණ්ඩු සාහාද, ඒ කෑම් මිනි පිළියෙල කරන සාහාණ මා ඊට බුම්මතා මිබුබාතිරුදිග ගබ්බාකර තිබෙන සාහාද අදහස්කරනු ලැබේ;
- "ප්‍රධානතුමා" සනුවෙන් කාරණි හතාවේ ප්‍රධානතුමා අදහස් කරනු ලැබේ;
- "කාරණි හතාව" සනුවෙන් බුන්තල ගම් ප්‍රදේශයේ, මම් කාරණි හතාව අදහස්කරනු ලැබේ;
- "ගම් ගම්බද මෙලදපලක් සබ්බාණ්ඩුගේ මෙලදමපලකව අසන් ප්‍රදේශය" සනුවෙන් 88 මැති අතුරු මාවතාමා මිසින් කරන ලද ප්‍රදේශය අදහස්කරනු ලැබේ;
- "අප්‍රියමු හෝ අන්තරයදහසක බුම් කම්පනය" සනුවෙන් 111 මැති අතුරු මාවතාමා සඳහන් මිනැම් කම්පනයක් අදහස්කරනු ලැබේ;
- "මම් ප්‍රදේශය" සනුවෙන් බුන්කල ගම් ප්‍රදේශය අදහස් කරනු ලැබේ.

2. (1) ඒ සඳහා මොහොත්ත පිළිබඳ මෙවැනි නිර්ධාරණයන්ගේ මෙහෙයන පිට ප්‍රධානතුමා විසින් නිකුත්කරනු ලබන බලපත්‍රයක් පිට මිස හැත්තම් කිසිවකු විසින් බේකර්ගේ පිම්බුම් හෝ පිම්බුම් කිසිවක් බේකර්ගේ පවත්වාගෙනයාම් හෙමින් එහි පාන් පුම්මා මිනිස් ම කොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) මේ අතුරු මාවතාමා යටතේ නිකුත්කරන ලද සෑම බලපත්‍රයක්ම එක නිකුත්කරන ලද අවුරුද්දේ දෙපැමිබර් මස හිස්මත් මැතිදව අම්මානවත්තේන.

3. බේකර්ගේ මිසයෙන් පාවිච්චිකිරීමට මලාමොරොන්තුම් හොම්තැපිලි පහත සඳහන් කියවන සේට අනුකූලව නොමැති නම් 2 මැති අතුරු මාවතාමා යටතේ කිසිවකු ඒ සඳහා බලපත්‍රයක් ලැබීමට අයිතිවෙන්නෙක් නැත. එනම්—

- (a) ඒ හොම්තැපිලි හොදම මානාලය ඇතිවන ලෙසත්, හොදම මිලින් මැටෙන ලෙසත් පිම්මා කිසිවක් යුතුයි;
- (b) බිත්ති හුණු මිදුමෙන් කපලා රුකොට ඒමාගේ සිදු හුණු හා කිසිවක් යුතුයි;
- (c) බිම් සිමෙන්ති දමා කිසිවක් යුතුයි;
- (d) ඒ සාහාණේ සෑහෙන තරම් වැසිකිට්ටි පහසුකම් හා කාණු ප්‍රමාණවත් පරිදි සපයා තිබිය යුතුයි;
- (e) මහලින් කුණු හා දුම්බ මැටි මිලක්වැලීමට—සුසු පුම්ම මිලක් සාදන ලද සිම්බුම් කිසිවක් යුතුයි;
- (f) කිසිවක් කුණු මිලක් සිට, මැහිදම කිසිවක් පෝර හොම්ක සිට, මැහිකිසිවක් සිට හෝ අවරණයකරනු නොලැබූ කාණු මිලක් සිට අම් පහසක් ඇතුළත ඒ සාහාණ පිම්මා නොතිබිය යුතුයි;
- (g) ඒ සාහාණේ මිටි පදමකර ඇතිම සඳහා පමණක් අම් 12ක් දියවූද, අම් 10ක් පලල්වූද ප්‍රමාණයකට අම් නොබු මතුපිට බිම් ප්‍රමාණයක් ඇති වෙනම කාමරයක් සාද තිබිය යුතුයි;
- (h) දෙරමල් හෝ ජනෙල් ඇති පිටි පදමකරන කාමරයේ අම් ගණයෙන් පැති දෙකකින් වත්, පිටත කිසිවක් ලෙස මානාලය ඇතිවීම සඳහා පලල්වූද ප්‍රමාණයකට අම් නොබු ප්‍රමාණයකට ඉඩ පහසු සලස්වා තිබිය යුතුයි;

(i) පෝරණු කාමරයේ දෙර මිටි පදමකරන කාමරය ඇතුළුව එක එල්ලේම මිසාන කොමන ලෙස පිළියෙලකර තිබිය යුතුයි;

4. බේකර්ගේ බලපත්‍රකාරණා විසින්—

- (a) බේකර්ගේ පාවිච්චිකරන හෝ බේකර්ගේ අයිති සියලුම උපකරණ, ලිඛිත හා මෙනත් බුම්මතා පුම්මා පිරිසිදුම් කඩාගැනීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (b) බේකර්ගේ මෙහෙවල උඩ තවුම් හොදින් සකස්කොට පරකරණක් නැතිවන සේ සම්කරණලද රුලිම්ලින් හෝ අනතුරුදහසක නොවන දිය කිනොකන්තා පුම්මා කින් පිළියෙලකරවා ඒ මෙහ දිනපතාම සුරු දමා පිරිසිදුකරවන්නාවද;
- (c) අම්බුම් ගණයෙන් පැහ මිසිහකරනව එක මරක් බැහින්වත් බේකර්ගේ බිම් අතුමාමා එකි කුණු මහාම බුම්බයක් ඇතිවූද සිදුරු රකිනුදහා ජනාකම දම්බිමා දිනපතා ඉවත්කරවන්නාවද;
- (d) බේකර්ගේ පිම්බුම් ගුම්බාහස සිරිසිදුම් කඩාගැනීමටත් යම්කිසි කාණුවක්ත්, වැසිකිසිවක් හෝ කුණු මිලක් හා එබඳු මෙන යම් අවහිරයකින් කිසිවක් කඩා ගැනීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (e) බේකර්ගේ පාවිච්චිකරන පිටි මොළොමේ සිට අම්බුම් ගණයේ අම් තුනක්වත් උස ඇති මෙහෙයක් මත තැබීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (f) බේකර්ගේ පිම්මා ඇති ගුම්බාහසෙන් සියලුම කුණුකළ ඉවත්කරවා දිනපතාම කාණු හෝ දවන්නාවද;
- (g) ඒ ගුම්බාහසේ මිටි පදමකර අනෙක කාමරයෙන් පිටත හාත් හැදීමේ කවසුතුමල යෙදීමට අසවලක්ව පහසු වෙන් පැමිණීම හැකි යම්කිසි සාහාණය අම්බුම් ගණයෙන් පවත්නම් දෙකක්වත් කැබීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (h) පාන් හැදීමේ කවසුතුමල යෙදීමට අසවලක්ව ප්‍රකෝජනය සඳහා ඒ සාහාණයේ පිරිසිදු වතුර, පිරිසිදු තුම්බ, කිසිවෙකු ගුම්බාහසේ මුරුසු හා සබන් ගත මේවා තැබීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (ii) බේකර්ගේ බවකිසියක්වූ මේ අතුරු මාවතාමා පිටපතක් බේකර්ගේ සියලුදෙනාටම පෙනෙන සාහාණයක මලා කැබීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;

මහාම.

5. බේකර්ගේ බලපත්‍රකාරණා විසින්—

- (a) බේකර්ගේ නිදහසීමේ සාහාණයක් මිසයෙන් හෝ කිසිවක් සහකු හෝ බේකර්ගේ කවසුතුමලට බුම්මතාකරන බුම්බුලින් නොරවු වෙන කිසිවක් බුම්බුම් කඩාගැනීමේ සාහාණයක් මිසයෙන් හෝ පාවිච්චිකිරීමට ඉඩකැරීම;
- (b) නිසිපරිදි සාදන ලද දුමුදු මිසයෙන්ට ඇතුල්විය නොහැකිවූද පිරිසිදු වූද පෙම්බිමල කඩා මිස යම්කිසි පාන් විස්කෝතු හෝ රසකැපිලි වඩි මෙලදම ම කැබීමට ඉඩකැරීම;
- (c) පාන්, විස්කෝතු හෝ රසකැපිලි වඩි හැදීමේ කවසුතුමල යෙදීමට කිසිවකුට ඒ සඳහා අපරාධ බුම් හා අගපත්වූ පිටි, මතුර හෝ මෙනෙම් දුම්බයක් පාවිච්චිකිරීමට ඉඩකැරීම;
- (d) බිම් ගුම්බු පවිච්චිකිරීමේ පහසුවෙන් එකමෙහා කෙනහො නොහැකිවූ කිසිවක් ලි බුම්බුක් හෝ උපකරණයක් බේකර්ගේ ඇතුළත කඩාගැනීම හෝ පාවිච්චිකිරීම; හෝ
- (e) බේකර්ගේ අයිතිවූ ගුම්බාහසේ කිසිවකුට කිසිවක් හුදුමක් කිරීමට හෝ නොහික්සුණු ලෙස කැබීමට ඉඩකැරීම; හෝ කොකළ යුතුයි.

6. පාන්, විස්කෝතු හෝ රසකැපිලි වඩි හැදීමේ හෝ පිටිවීමේ කවසුතුමල යෙදීමට සෑම අගසු මිසින්ම ඒ කවසුතුමල යෙදීමට පෙර කමින්ගේ අත් යෙදීමකො, පපුම්, කිසිවක් හා හිරිගත් මැසෙන පරිද්දෙන් පිරිසිදු සුසු මිසින් ඇද (කියෙහි) නොපවියක් හෝ කලපවක්ද පැලෑදිය යුතුයි.

7. කිසිවකු විසින් බේකර්ගේට අයිති ගුම්බාහස ඇතුළත කෙළහැකිම සඳහා සපයා තිබෙන හෙක්කමක් ඇතුළට මිස මෙන තැනක කෙළ නොහැකිය යුතුයි.

8. බෝමෙන රෝගයකින් හෝ සම රෝගයකින් හෝ වසංගත රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන හෝ ලගදී පෙරහන හෝ එබඳු රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන කෙනකුට ලගදී සාහාණයකින් යෙදීමට කිසිවකුට එකී රෝගය බෝවීමට හා රෝග මිජයන් මෝරනු ලැබීමට හෙවන කාරණ පසුම්මතකෙන් බේකර්ගේට ඇතුල්වීමට හෝ පාන්, විස්කෝතු හෝ රසකැපිලි වඩි හැදීමේ හෝ මිනිස් මිල කවසුතුමලට සබ්බාණ්ඩු හෝ බේකර්ගේ හාරම් සිටින අය විසින් ඉඩනොදිය යුතුයි.

9. (1) සුදුසු ගැමි විවේකදී හා පිටි ඇතිම හෝ පාන් පිළිපිටි කරනු ලබන ගිණුම් දේශනකදී ප්‍රධානතුමාට හෝ භෞධාන පිළිබද දේවස්ථානිකවරයාට හෝ භෞධාන පරිකාශකවරයාට හෝ ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලය පවරනලද ගිණුම් නිර්ධාරිතයට බැර වෙතරියට ඇතුළු පරිකාශනීයව නිදහස ලබනු ලබන බැවිනි.

(2) වෙනත් විවේක කාරණා පිසින් හෝ එසේ භාරව පිටින ගිණුම් ප්‍රධානතුමාට හෝ දේවස්ථානිකවරයාට හෝ භෞධාන පරිකාශකවරයාට හෝ ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් බලය පවරනලද ගිණුම් නිර්ධාරිතයට බැර වෙතරියට ඇතුළු පරිකාශනීයව ඉඩදී ඒ ප්‍රධානතුමාට හෝ එකී නිර්ධාරිතයට ඒ සඳහා ගිණුම්කරන ගැමි රාජකාරකයෙකු දිය යුතුයි.

10. වෙනත් පිළිබදවූ ගිණුම් අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරවලින් ගිණුම් අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරක් කඩකිරීමේ නිසා දෙවරක් හෝ ඊට වැඩි වාර ගණනක් ගෙවිලි ලබාදීමකදී පිරිදකාරණාකරනු ලැබූ බලපත්‍ර කාරණාවට ඒ ප්‍රධානතුමාගේ නියමකරන වෙනත් ගිණුම් දැනුම්කරුට අමතර වශයෙන් බහුගේ බලපත්‍රය අවලංගු කිරීමටද නීතිප්‍රකාර බලය තිබේ; නවද එසේ බලපත්‍රය අවලංගු කිරීමේ ගැන බලපත්‍රකාරණාව කිසිම අදාළයන් අයකරගැනීමට අයිතිවෘත්තියක් නැත.

11. (1) ඒ සඳහා භෞධාන පිළිබද දේවස්ථානිකවරයාගේ රෙකමන පිට ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් නිකුත්කරනලද බලපත්‍රයක් පිට මිස ගැනනම් කිසිවකු විසින් කිසිකම බක්කඩයක්, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක් හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක් පිහිටුවීම හෝ වෙනත් පිණිස පවත්වාගෙනයාම හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) මේ අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරය යටතේ නිකුත්කරනු ලබන ගැමි බලපත්‍රයක් 19 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරයට අවලංගු නොකරනලද්දී නව එය නිකුත්කරනලද අවුරුද්දේ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් හෝ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් නැත. එනම්—

- 12. බත් කඩයක්, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක් හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක් පැමිණවීමට බලාපොරොත්තුවන ගොවිතැනිලි පහත සඳහන් නියමයන්ට අනුකූලව නොමැති නම් 11 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරය යටතේ ඒ සඳහා බලපත්‍රයක් ලැබීමට කිසිවකුට අයිතිවෘත්තියක් නැත. එනම්—
- (a) ඒ ගොවිතැනිලි හොඳව ව්‍යාපූර්ණ ඇතිවන ලෙසත්, හොඳව එළිය වැඩෙන ලෙසත් පිණිස නිසි කළ යුතුයි;
- (b) බත් කිසිකම බඳුමෙන් කපාලාද කොට ඒවාගේ කුඩු කුඩු හා කිසිකම නැත;
- (c) බත් කඩයක් තිබීම නිසි කළ යුතුයි;
- (d) මහලිය කුණු හා දුමිලි වැඩිම වළක්වාලීමට සුදුසු ද්‍රව්‍ය වලින් යුක්තව පිහිටිමින් සපයා තිබිය යුතුයි;

13. බත් කඩයක, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක බලපත්‍රකාරණා පිසින්—

- (a) ඊට අයිති ගුණිතය ගැබ් පවිත්‍ර ලෙසත්, සාධාරණයක සාධකයක් කඩාහැරීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (b) බත් කඩය, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයට පාරිභෝගිකයන් ඊට අයිති සැලසුම් උපකරණ ලී බඩු හෝ වෙනත් බඩු බාහිරදිය පිරිසිදුව හා සැනවීම සලස්වන්නාවද;
- (c) බත් කඩය, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩය ඇතුළත හෝ ඊට අයිති ගුණිතයෙන් ඇති සිංදුට කුණු රෙදුම් හා දුමිලි අහුගාමා දිනපතා දැමුවට දෙවරක් වැඩිත් ඉවත්කරන්නාවද;
- (d) එහිදී ගොවිතැනිලිවලට වෙනත් වෙනත් සිංදු පිරිසිදු කිරීමෙන්, රෙකමනීය හා වෙනත් ආශාර පිරිසිදු කිරීමෙන් ඉන්ද්‍රියයෙන් වැඩිත් දැනුම් සිසි පරිදි යාදන ලද්දකී ව්‍යුහ වලට පිටවීමට කැපවත්කරන්නාවද;
- (e) බහුල ගුණිතයෙන් රෙදුම්, කෝපි රෙදුම් හෝ කිරි හා කැමිලියන් ඉතිරි කොටස් නොදම හෝ සන්නිවේදන පිණිස හෝ වුවහස් මැස්සන්ට ඇතුළු වන ගොවිතැනි පාඨකාරකට එකතුකරමා දිනපතා දැමීමකට දෙවරක් වැඩිත් එකී ගුණිතයෙන් ඉවත්කරන්නාවද;
- (f) කැමිලියන් ගෝ ඛිණි සෑදීමදී, පිණිස මෙදී හා පාරිභෝගික කිරීමේදී ප්‍රයෝජනයට ගනු ලබන සිංදු උපකරණ ගැමි පැමිණිකාරණාට දෙවරක් වැඩිත් බඳුන් හා වෙනත් වෛද්‍යවත්තාවට;
- (g) කිසිවකු පිසින් කෘටන් ගෝ කිසිකම පාරිභෝගිකවට ප්‍රයෝජනයට ගන්නාලද ගැමි උපකරණයක් හෝ පාඨකාරණයක් එසේ ප්‍රයෝජනයට ගත් විනාම වෙනත් අයකු පිසින් එය ප්‍රයෝජනයට ගැනීමට පෙර වෛද්‍යවත්තාවද;
- (h) පරිකාශන බැලීමට පුළුවන්වන පරිද්දෙන් ඒ සාහසේ වැඩිකරන සිංදු දැමීමෙන් ම නව හා දවුන්ව ලීසු ලැබෙන පිලිබදවලට සඳහන් ලැබූ මුදුන් සියලුම සියලු කල්කිම එකී කැඩීමට සලස්වන්නාවද;

14. බත් කඩයක, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක බලපත්‍රකාරණා පිසින්—

- (a) කිසිකම ඉවත දමන හෝ රෙදුම්, කෝපි රෙදුම් හෝ කැමිලියන් අහුගාමන වෙනත් අතුරු කොටස් බලපත්‍ර ලත් සාහසේ කිසි ඉතිරිවන්නාවද; හෝ
- (b) බලපත්‍ර ලත් සාහසේ කිසිකම සුදුවත් හෝ නොතින්දු කැඩීම්වත් ඇතිවීමට; හෝ ඉවතොදන යුතුයි.

15. බත් කඩයක, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක, හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක බලපත්‍රකාරණා පිසින් ගැමි කල්කිම එකී වැඩ කරන අයට වෙන්ම ඒ සාහසේ පැමිණෙන අඩුත්තන්ව පහසුමක් ප්‍රයෝජනයට ගන්නාකි වන පරිද්දෙන් ඒ බලපත්‍ර ලත් සාහසේ අඩුගණයෙන් පවත්කම් දෙකක්වත් නැතිමට සැලැස්මිය යුතුයි.

16. කිසිවකු පිසින් බත් කඩයක හෝ රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක ගුණිතයන් ඇතුළත කෙළඳාම් සඳහා සඳහා තිබෙන පවත්කමක් ඇතුළුව මිස වෙන කැනන කෙළ නොගැනිය යුතුයි.

17. බෝවෙන රෝගයකින් හෝ සම රෝගයකින් හෝ වෛෂය රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන්නාවූ හෝ ලකදී පෙරෙනාවූ හෝ එබඳු රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන්නා කෙළඳාමට ලකදී සන්ධනිකරීමේ හෝ සිටියාවූ කිසිකම කෙනෙකුට එකී රෝගය බෝවීමට හා රෝග බිජුයන් දෝරැඳුම් වූවානොහොත් කාලසීමා පසුවන කෙසේ වත් කඩයක්, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක් හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩයක් භාරව සිටින කිසිවකු පිසින් එබඳු සාහසයන් ඇතුළුව හෝ එකී සිසියම් කැමුක් හෝ බිසිසු සෑදීම හෝ විනිශ්චිත වෛද්‍යවත්තාවට සැලැස්මිය යුතුයි.

18. සුදුසු ගැමි විවේකදී ප්‍රධානතුමාට හෝ භෞධාන පිළිබද දේවස්ථානිකවරයාට හෝ භෞධාන පරිකාශකවරයාට හෝ ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලය පවරනලද ගිණුම් නිර්ධාරිතයට බැර වෙතරියට ඇතුළු ගිණුම් නිර්ධාරිතයට බැර වෙතරියට බලපත්‍රකාරණාවට හෝ භෞධාන පරිකාශකවරයාට හෝ ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් බලය පවරනලද ගිණුම් නිර්ධාරිතයට බැර වෙතරියට ඇතුළු පරිකාශනීයව ඉඩදී ඒ සඳහා බහුට වුවහොත් ගැමි රාජකාරකයෙකු දිය යුතුයි.

19. බත් කඩ, රෙස්ටෝරන්ට් ගාලාවක හෝ හෝ කෝපි කඩ පිළිබදවූ ගිණුම් අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරයකට අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරයක් කඩකිරීමේ නිසා දෙවරක් හෝ ඊට වැඩි වාර ගණනක් ගෙවිලි ලබාදීමකදී පිරිදකාරණාකරනු ලැබූ කිසියම් බලපත්‍රකාරණාවට ඒ ප්‍රධානතුමාගේ නියමකරන වෙනත් ගිණුම් දැනුම්කරුට අමතර වශයෙන් බහුගේ බලපත්‍රය අවලංගු කිරීමටද නීතිප්‍රකාර බලය තිබේ. එසේ බලපත්‍රය අවලංගු කිරීමේ ගැන බලපත්‍රකාරණාව කිසිම අදාළයන් අයකරගැනීමට අයිතිවෘත්තියක් නැත.

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20. ඒ සඳහා ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් නිකුත්කරනු ලබන බලපත්‍ර යන් පිට මිස ගැනනම් කිසිවකු විසින් ගම් ප්‍රදේශය ඇතුළත කිසිවකු පිසින් පුළුබු වැවල, පලුන් මාලු, පලුන් මාලු හෝ වෙනත් කොටු හෝ පලුන් මාලු සාහසේ වැඩිම වැඩෙන කොටුවක් සෑදීම හෝ පවත්වාගෙන යාම නොකළ යුතුයි.

21. මේ කොටුවලට, මෙහිකට හෝ වැව අඩු කමින් කුඩාවට අවම වශයෙන් කොටුවක් සම්බන්ධයෙන් බලපත්‍රයක් නිකුත් නොකළ යුතුයි.

22. ගැමි බලපත්‍රයක් එය නිකුත්කරනු ලබන අවුරුද්දේ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් හෝ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් නැත.

ආහාර ප්‍රමාණ දේශනා

23. (1) ඒ සඳහා ප්‍රධානතුමාගෙන් සිටි බලපත්‍ර ලබාගන්නා බලපත්‍රයක් පිට මිස ගැනනම් කිසිවකු විසින් මස්, කුකුළු හා කුකුළු පස්, අලුත් මාලු, වලුන් මාලු හෝ හාස්මියන් ආහාර ප්‍රමාණ පිණිස පිණිස කිසිකම කඩයක්, හෝ (විදුලය පොල්පලලි වැවල) සාහසේ පවත්වාගෙන යාම නොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) එහිදී ගැමි බලපත්‍රයක් 28 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවහාරය යටතේ අවලංගු නොකරන ලද්දකී එය නිකුත්කරනලද අවුරුද්දේ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් හෝ දෙපැමිණි මස කිසිඑක් වැනිදාට අවසානයක් නැත.

24. මෙහි කඩයක හෝ (විදුලයට පිටතින් බාහිරවූ) ගම් සාහසයන් වස්, කුකුළු, කාරු ආදී පස්සින්, අලුත් මාලු පලුන් මාලු හෝ හාස්මියන් ආහාර ප්‍රමාණ අයිතිකාරණා නොගොන්න වලද කාරුන් හා පිසින් මස්, කුකුළු, කාරු ආදී පස්සින් හා අලුත් මාලුන් වලද වුවද වෙනත් කුඩාකම යුතුයි. නවද කුකුළු, කාරු ආදී පස්සින් ඉතා සුදුසු ආකාරයට පිදු නොවන පෙදෙසලද කුඩුවල දමා ඒ පස්සින් හසාගත යුතුයි.

25. ප්‍රධානතුමා පිසින් හෝ වෙනත් වෙනත් ලියවිල්ලකින් පිහිටු පරිදි බලපත්‍ර ගිණුම් කොනකු පිසින් මහුන් ආහාරය පිණිස මස්, කුකුළු, කාරු ආදී පස්සින්, අලුත් මාලු, පලුන් මාලු, වලුන් මාලු හෝ වෙනත් කොටු හෝ පලුන් මාලු සාහසේ වැඩිම වැඩෙන කොටුවක් සෑදීම හෝ පවත්වාගෙන යාම නොකළ යුතුයි.

වලට දුම්මට සැලැස්මිම ඒ යනා අයිතිකාරයාගේ හෝ අයිතිකාරයා නොමැති කල්හි ඒ සනාගේ මරණය සිදු වූයේ සම්පූර්ණයෙන්, ඒ ඉඩමේ පදිංචිකාරයාගේ හෝ සුභකම විය යුතුයි.

58. මරණයට ගම් සතකුගේ මිලකුණක් වලට දුම්මට 57 වැනි අගුරු මාසිකව ගටයෙන් වසනිය යුතු වූ සම්පූර්ණ සහනකු වූ දෙපතක කාර්යය ව ඇතුළත ඒ සනා මිලට දුම්මට පැහැර හැරීමෙන් ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් ඒ සනා වලට දුම්මට සැලැස්මිම සුදුසුමක් හැර ඒ සනා දරන්නට සෙදුනා වූ සිදුම් එහි අයගෙන් කාගනී සනා වට අයකරගත්ව නිමින කණක් පරිද්දෙන් අයකරගත හැකිය.

සිරි පවිටි හා සිරි මිනිණීම

59. සිසිවකු විසින්—

- (a) එලදෙනුන් දෙදෙනකු හෝ ඊට වැඩි ගණනක් සිරිත සිරි පවිටියක බලපත්‍රකාරයකු හෝ;
- (b) ලියාපදිංචිකරු සිරි සපයන්නකු හෝ;
- (c) ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් ලියාපදිංචිකරු බලපත්‍ර ලත් සිරි පවිටි කාර්යකු විසින් හෝ, ලියාපදිංචිකරු සිරි සපයන්නකු මිසිත් හෝ මසාරම් යොදාගන්නාලද සිරි වෙළෙඳපොළ මසාරම් ලියාපදිංචිකරු වූ විට, හෝ මිසිණීමේ ඉදිරිපත්කිරීමේ හෝ සහන ගොස්දීම හෝ, මිනිණීමේ හෝ ඇප්දි මිනිණීමේ හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

60. ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් නිකුත්කරනලද බලපත්‍රයක් දරන්නන්ගේ මෙ නැත්නම් සිසිවකු මිසිත් එලදෙනුන් දෙදෙනකු හෝ ඊට වැඩි ගණනකින් සුත් සිරි පවිටියක් පමින්නාගෙන යායුතු නොවේ.

61. බලපත්‍රක් නිකුත්කිරීමට අදහස්කරනු ලබන සාහස පසන දුක්වෙස නිසමයන්ට අනුකූලව නිකුත්කරන මෙ නැත්නම් එලදෙනුන් දෙදෙනකු හෝ ඊට වැඩි ගණනකින් සුත් සිරි පවිටියක් තබාගැනීමේ සිසිවකුට බලපත්‍රක් දෙනු නොලැබේ.

- (1) ඒ සාහසේ එලදෙනුන් නතරකිරීමට අරමුණකර තිබෙන සෑම ගොඩනැගිල්ලක්ම :—
 - (a) සෙබාල්, ගල්, කඩොක් ගොනෙත් ලිවලින් හද තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (b) එහි බිත්ති සහ කුලුණ සුදු හුණ සා තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (c) එහි වලකලක් පවතින ද්‍රව්‍යයකින් හද තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (d) එහි බිම සිමෙන්තිසෙන් හෝ සිමෙන්ති කොන්ක්‍රීට්වලින් හෝ පොළොවකට කණිනලද අනාවරණ කැණීමක සිට අල්ලා තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (e) මුත්‍රා, සෝදන මතුර, හා වෙනත් කුණු මතුර මසනලද හාජන එකකට හෝ ඊට වැඩි ගණනක් ඇතුළට ගලා යාමට සැලැස්මිම මිණි සිමෙන්තියෙන්, සිමෙන්ති කොන්ක්‍රීට්වලින් හෝ පොළොවකට අනාවරණ කැණීමක සිට ගල් හෝ සෙබාල් අල්ලනලද කැණ ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (f) සිරි පවිටියේ තබාගැනීමට අදහස්කරන එලදෙනුන්ගේ සංඛ්‍යාව මැණීමට එක් එලදෙනකුට අමුණකින් දිසිත් අඹි අවක හා පළලින් අඹි පහස බිම් ප්‍රමාණයක් බැහැරව සහ අඹි ගාර සියයක මාත්‍රාග්‍රහද ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි.
- (2) ඒ සාහසේ සිරි කාමරය වෙත් පාවිච්චිකිරීමට අදහස් කරන ගොඩනැගිල්ල :—
 - (a) හරක් මඩුම් හෝ වෙනත් ගොඩනැගිල්ලට සිට අඹි විසිපහකට අඩුගොඩු දුරකින් හා සිසිමේ වැසිකිලිසක වැසිකිලි මලක, අලු මලක, සදකාලික සෝරගොඩක හෝ පොළොවකට කණිනලද අනාවරණ කැණීමක සිට අඹි සියයකට අඩුකැහි දුරකින්ද මිනිවුරා තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (b) ගල්, සෙබාල් හෝ කබුක්වලින් හද කපලාපැයොට ඇතුළේ සුදුහුණ සානලද ලසිත් අඹි ගණනට ගොඅඩු බිත්ති ඇතිව තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (c) එලිමහනට ගෙන තිබෙන සේ අඩු ගණනේ එකකට එකක් ඉදිරියෙන් පිහිටි බිත්ති දෙකකින් ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (d) එහි බිම සිමෙන්ති දම් පලද, බිත්ති පොළොව සෙබක වන සාහස සිමෙන්තියෙන් පිටකුරුකරන ලදුවද තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (e) ඇතුළු මැණිමේ වලක්වාලීමට හැකි පුලුඹුද්ද ගොල් සාම මරණලද රැලිවලින් හදනලද සිලිමක් ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (f) පොළොව මිටිමේ සිට අඩු ගණනේ අඹි ගණනකින් ලසිත් පිහිටි වහල්පලක් ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි;
 - (g) අඩු ගණනේ පහල්පලක් හා දොරක්ද, බිම් මිනි ප්‍රමාණයෙන් පහලොවෙන් එක පංශුවකට අඩු ගොඩනැගිලි පහල්පල මිනි ප්‍රමාණයක්ද මැස්සන්ට ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි.

ගොඹැහි ලොග අවරණය කරනලද පහල්පල හා දොරවල්ද අඩු ගණනේ එක දොරකට එක් ප්‍රතිමිරුම්ව පිහිටුවනලද පහල්පලක්ද ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි;

(h) සිරිමරුම, ගල්ලැහි, තුන්තලාගම් හෝ ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් පිලිගන්නාලද ගොටපරෙන සාහසවනකින් සුත් වෙනම ද්‍රව්‍යයකින් අවරණය කරනලද මිණියක්ද, ගුඩවනවුත් කඩාගනු ලබන කුණු සෙපිමින් හා මිනිසු බෝතල කැබිමට සුදුසු රක්කසන්ද ඇතුළු තිබිය යුතුයි.

62. සිරි පවිටියක බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් ඒ සාහසයන් පිටත නාටත් පෙනෙන සාහසක “Licensed Dairy” යන වාගමක් එහි සිංහල අකුරින්ද (බලපත්‍ර ලත් සිරි පවිටිය) පැහැදිලි ලොග අදිනලද රැල්ලක් සමකර කැබිම යුතුයි.

63. ඔහාම වේලාවකදී පරිකාකර බැලීමේ හැකිවන පරිදි පැම බලපත්‍රකාරයකු විසින්ම (සිරි මිසිණින්නන්ගේ නම් ඇතුළුව) එහි සේවකයින් නිසලව අයවලුන්ගේ නම් හා බඩුන්ට ලිඛිත ලැබෙන පිලිවෙලින්ද සෙසන් ලැබියතුවක්ද, කණ සිරි සපයන සිලිම අයවලුන්ගේ නම් හා ලිඛිත ලැබෙන පිලිවෙලින් සමීකලේඛනයක්ද සිරි පවිටිය තුළ තබාගත යුතුයි.

64. සිරි පවිටියක බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින්—
(a) අඩු රැද්දකට දෙවරක් එනම් ජුනි හා දෙසැප්තැම්බර් සහ මාසවලදීත් ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් ලියවිල්ලකින් නිකුත් කරනු ලබන වෙනත් සම් කාරුමිරාමිල්ලදින් සිරි පවිටියේ කොටසක් පොළොව ඇති සැට කාරුමිරාමිත් තිබිල සුදුසු සෑවිමට එහි ලි මැසි බිත්ති හා උණු මතුරෙන් සේදවීමටත්;

- (b) අඩු ගණනේ දිනකට වරක් බැහැරවීමක් සිරි කාමරයේ බිම හා එහි වෙසෙන් උඩ නව්ටුව සේදවීමටත්;
- (c) සිරි පවිටියේ සිලිම කොමස් හා එහි අවට ප්‍රදේශයන් කැණින් ගුඩවනවුත් හා මනා කඩසක නඩාගැනීමටත්;
- (d) අඩු ගණනේ දවසකට වරක් බැහැරවීමක් සිලිම කොම, කුණුකපල, මුත්‍ර හා සේදෙන මතුර සිරි ටිටියෙන් ඉමින්නොට මහලකයාට අවහිරයන් පහවන සම් පරිද්දකින් සිරි පවිටියෙන් ඉමින්නොට මහලකයාට ආහාරයක් නොවන සම් පරිද්දකින් සිරි පවිටියෙන් සුදුසු තරම් ආහාර ගෙනගොස් සුදුස්සන් ලැබීමටත්;
- (e) කණකොලා හෝ සිදුරු හැර වෙනත් සිලිම ගව ආහාර මිනහට ඇතුළුවිය නොහැකි සුදුස්සන් හාජනලද කැපත් කරවීමටත්;
- (f) සිරි පවිටියේ පාවිච්චිකරන හෝ ඊට අයත් සිලිම උපකරණ, ලී බඩු හා වෙනත් ද්‍රව්‍ය මිනිසුම් තබාගැනීමටත්;

ඔහාකරන සිලිම මිනිවිධාන සැලැස්මිම මගබලාගත යුතුයි.

65. බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් :—

- (a) ඉතා ගොදව ගුඩවනවුත් නොකරනලද සිසිම හාජනයකට සිරි මන්කිරීමට;
- (b) විදුරු පිහත් මැසි, බපදම්හලද පිහත් මැසි, ඇහැමුල් හෝ ගැල්වනසිස් කරනු යකඩ ගත වෙමාසින් කනනලද හාජනයකට හැර වෙන සිසිම හාජනයකට සිරි මන්කර කැබිමට;
- (c) සිරි මන්කර කඩාගැනීමට පාවිච්චිකරනු ලබන මොනම් හාජනයකටත් සිරි කාමරයෙන් පිට සිසිම තැනක කැබිමට;
- (d) සිරිදෙමන වේලාව එක්කම ඊට මන්කරන එලදෙනගේ මුරැල්ල හා තනපුඩු ගොදව ගුඩවනවුත් කොට පිරිසිදු කනන රෙද්දකින් පිසදම්හ ලදුවද, සිරිදෙමන අගේ අත් ගොදව සෝද පිරිසිදුකරන ලදුවද නිකුතොත් මෙ නැත්නම් සිසිම එලදෙනකුගෙන් සිරිදෙමිමට;
- (e) මිනිණීමට අදහස්කරන සිරි, සිරි කාමරයේ හැර වෙන සාහසක කඩා තිබීමට; හා
- (f) මොනම් කාරණයක් නිසාවත් සිසිම සකකුට හෝ කුරැල්ලකුට සිරි කාමරයට ඇතුළුවීමට හෝ එහි නතරවී සිටීමට; සැලැස්මිම හෝ ඉඩදීම යොහළ යුතුයි.

66. සිරි පවිටියක බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් සිරි පවිටියේ සවසුතු සෑහා හැපතිය යුත්තේ ප්‍රධානතම මිසිත් අනුමතකරනලද සම් ප්‍රලභපදන ක්‍රමයකින් ලබාගත් වතුර පමණකි.

67. (1) සිරි පවිටියක බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් සිරි පවිටියේ පාවිච්චිකරන සිසිම සිරි හාජනයක්, වෙබරු හදන සනායක්, ගොදග වෙන්කරන යනාගෙන් හෝ වෙන උපකරණයක් සිරි පවිටියේ කම්පුතු සදහා මින වෙනත් කවසුන්කට පාවිච්චි කිරීමට ඉඩනොදිය යුතුවත් හැර, එබඳු සෑම හාජනයක්, වෙබරු හදන සනායක්, ගොදග වෙන්කරන යනාගෙන් හෝ වෙනත් උපකරණයක් එය පාවිච්චිකරනු ලබන එක් එක් මාරුගෙන් පසුව පලමුව ඇල්ලීමකරනද, දෙමිනුවට දෙමිනුවෙන් හා හෝඩාමිලින්ද, අඹිගාගෙන්ද ලිඛිතර නිවනලද මිතුරන්ද සේදීමේ සැලැස්මිම යුතුයි.

දිනපතා ඒ කර්මාන්තය කරගෙන යන භූමිභාගයෙන්
ඉවත්කර විවිද; ;
පැරැස්විය යුතුයි.

117. යම් අවුල්ලක් හෝ ආන්තරයදකඩු කර්මාන්තයක්
කරගෙන යාමට බලපත්‍ර ලත් කිසිවකු විසින් කිසියම් ලිදක් හෝ
වැඩක් හෝ ගොවක්, බරක්, ආරුක් දෙලක් දියපාරක්, මිලක්,
හෝ ගොබිසිලික පිහිටි වෙනත් යම් ජලකාංගයක් ආවරණයකට
හෝ දුරකිරීම නොකළ යුතුයි.

118. යම් අවුල්ලක් හෝ ආන්තරයදකඩු කර්මාන්තයක්
කරගෙන යාමට බලපත්‍ර ලත් කිසිවකු විසින් අවුල්ලක් අයට
කරදරයක් වනාහී යම් වර්දකින් පසු අවුල්ලක් ගොඩනංවන
හෝ වැඩ පටහැරාමට අනතුරක් වියහැකි වර්දකින් හෝ
ඒ කර්මාන්තය කරගෙන යා යුතු නැත.

119. යම් අවුල්ලක් හෝ ආන්තරයදකඩු කර්මාන්තයක්
කරගෙන යාමට බලපත්‍ර ලත් පැමිණිලි විසින්ම ඒ
කර්මාන්තය කරගෙන යන අවස්ථාවලදී එයින් නිකුත්වන
අවුල්ල මානස හා පැස්—

- (a) ආන්තරයදකඩු හෝ අවුල්ල විපාකයක් ඇතිකොට
සුදුසුම ආන්තරයකට ඉහළට හෝ ඊටු ක්‍රමයට
සම්මුඛ මාන්සවනු ලැබීමට; හෝ
- (b) එක එල්ලේම ඕනක් ලැදින් හෝ ඒවා උතුරක ඊට
කරගෙන ඇතුළට හෝ අවුල්ල ලැබීමට හෝ;
පැරැස්විය යුතුයි.

120. යම් සුදුසු ගම්පොළකදී ප්‍රධානභූමියට හෝ පොදු
පිහිටිද බෝදු ක්‍රියාවන්ගේට හෝ පොදු පරීක්ෂකභූමියට හෝ
ප්‍රධානභූමිය මගින් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලපත්‍ර පවරනලද කාර්‍යභාද
ම්කැම ක්‍රියාවන්ගේට අවුල්ලක් ආන්තරයදකඩු කිසිදු
කර්මාන්තයක් කරගෙන යන්නාවූ විට භූමිකාලයකට ඇතුළු
වර්තාකර බැලීමට නීතිප්‍රකාර වරදක නිසි. තවද බලපත්‍ර
කාරය මගින් හෝ ඒ භාගක මාරුව සිවන අංගවිසින් හෝ එබඳු
වර්තකයක් පැවැත්වීමට අවකාශ දිය යුතුයි.

121. අවුල්ලක් හෝ ආන්තරයදකඩු කර්මාන්තයක්
ගෙන් වූ ඒ අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවකින් යම් අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවක් කඩ
කිරීම නිසා සම්බද උපාවිකකදී වෙදරයක් හෝ ඊට පසු වාරයක
වරදකාරයා කරනු ලැබූ යම් බලපත්‍රකාරකයකට ඒ උපාවිකයන්
නිකමකරණ මෙතත් යම් දඩුවමකට අමතර වශයෙන් බලපත්‍ර
බලපත්‍රය අවලංගුකිරීමද නිතරනුකරනු ලැබූ. එසේ බලපත්‍රය
අවලංගුකිරීම හැර ඒ බලපත්‍රකාරයාට මොනම අලාභයක්වත්
අගකරගැනීමට අයිති වාදිකමක් නැත්තේ.

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122. කිසිවකු විසින් යම් භුමිබලක, මඩමක් හෝ මහජන
යාගේ විනෝදය හදහා පැමැත්වෙන වලිමකට භූමියක් හෝ
ස්ථානයක් විනාගැනීමට, ඊට අලංකාරකිරීම, හෝ එක
ස්ථානයක ගැනීම සම්බන්ධයෙන් ඉවතිරකිරීම නොකට යුතුයි

123. කිසිවකු විසින් කාර්‍යභාද බෙරෙහි පවරන නිකමක
ගොනොක් කාර්‍යභාද මාරුකර ගැනීමට හෝ නිකමක් මුහුණ
කරන හෝ පොදු භූමිභාගයක් විනාගැනීමට, ඊට අලංකාරකිරීම
කිරීම හෝ එය බලපත්‍ර අල්ලාපැනීම නොකට යුතුයි.

124. ප්‍රධානභූමියේ බලපත්‍ර ගැනුම් කිසිවකු විසින් කිසිදු
ඉඩමකින් හෝ පොදු භූමිභාගයකින් මැලි, පස්, ගල්, වැඩෙන
හෝ ගොනොක් පැරැඹි ඉඩමකිරීම, හෝ ඒ ඉඩමකි හෝ භූමි
භාගයේ පොළොව මෝනම් ලිදකකින්වත් මරුපිහිටීම
නොගොත් වෙනස්කිරීම, හෝ නොකට යුතුයි.

125. ප්‍රධානභූමියෙන් අවරපත්‍රයක් නැතහොත් කාර්‍යභාද
ගනු මොනම පොදු ඉඩමකටත් කිසිදු අවධියක, ගවයක,
බැටුවක, චරික, උරුකු දියලිකිරීම හෝ තණ කැවීම හෝ
නොකට යුතුයි.

126. ඒ හදහා ප්‍රධානභූමිය මගින් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලපත්‍ර
කිසිදු විටක මිනීම නොකට, 125 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාව යටතේ
අවරපත්‍රයක් නැතහොත් යම් පොදු ඉඩමක මැද නිකමක
නොගොත් තණ කැවීමට අවස්ථාවකට අවරපත්‍රයක්, ගවයක,
බැටුවක හෝ උරුකු කැද ගනමකිකළ හැකිය.

127. යම් කිසිදු විශේෂ ගම්පොළක ප්‍රධානජනක හදහා කාර්‍යභාද
විසින් යම් පොදු භාගක බිමක් වෙන්කර නිකමක වීට එබඳු යම්
ගම්ක පදිංචි කැනී කිසිවකු විසින්, ප්‍රධානභූමියගෙන් ලත්
ලියවිල්ලකින් අවරපත්‍රයක් නැතහොත් ඒ තණ කිසිදු ගවයන්
දියලිකිරීම හෝ ගවයන්ට දඩවකින් යැමට ඉඩකැරීම නොකට
යුතුයි.

128. කිසිවකු විසින්, පොදු තණ කිසිදු මහයන් වෙන්
හෝ වැනි කිසිදු ඉඩමක පිහිටි යම් වැටක් විනාගැනීමට දුම්ම
හෝ යම් දෙපල්ලකට බාධාකිරීම හෝ යම් පොදුකුණක් අවසිසු
කිරීම නොගොත් දුරකිරීම හෝ නොකට යුතුයි.

129. ප්‍රධානභූමියේ අවරපත්‍ර ඇතුළු, එක් ගවයකට මාසය
කට ගත පණක් බැගින් ගණන් බලනලද ගාස්තුවක් ගොව්‍ය,
ගම් ප්‍රදේශයේ පිටින පදිංචි අයට අයිති ගම්යන් (මැලිපි

කට යුතු හදහා කාර්‍යභාද ලියවිල්ලකින් ලියවිල්ලකින්
එහෙලද මිනීමක් හැරීම) කාර්‍යභාද මාරුකර ගැනීමට හෝ
නිකමක මිනීම පොදු ඉඩමක තණ (උරා) හැර මිලිප් දියලි
කරන හැකිය.

130. පොදුභූමියකට යම් ඉඩමක හෝ කුඹුරකට අධිකාරයා
විසින්, පදිංචිකාරයා විසින්, හෝ භාරකාරයා විසින් ඒ ඉඩමේ
මායිම පැසුරු වැටවීලින් හෝ කැණවිලින් හෝ ගොනොගොවේ
නදුන් ගම්කරනලද පල්විලින් හෝ කාර්‍යභාදවෙන් අනුමත
කරනු ලබන වගකින් යම් අන්තරයකින් හෝ බලපත්‍රයක යුතුයි.

131. එකිනෙකට යාම පිහිටි ඉඩම් දෙකක් සම්බන්ධයෙන්
විට ඒ ඉඩම දෙක අතර වූ පොදු මායිම සලකුණු ගොව ඵල
මහාලය මගින් වාගෙන යාම හැර එකී ඉඩම්වලට බාධාකාරයන්
බදුකරගත් පදිංචිකාරයන් හෝ භාරකාරයන් විසින් මහබලා
ගත යුතුයි.

132. ඒ හදහා ප්‍රධානභූමියෙන් ලියවිල්ලකින් දුන්මමක්
ලැබුණු විට, ගම්කුට අයිතිකාරයා විසින් හෝ පදිංචිකාරයා
විසින්, ඒ දුන්මමේ දක්වා තිබෙන කාලය තුළ හා එකී හදහන්
ප්‍රකාරයට නම් ඉඩමේ මායිම සලකුණු කළ යුතුයි.

133. කිසිවකු විසින් යම් ඉඩමක මායිම මනැහැටින් වෙනස්
කිරීම, මරුපිහිටීම හෝ ඊට අනතුරුකිරීම නොකට යුතුයි.

134. ගම්පොදු ගම්පොළකට යුතු හදහා නඩත්තුකරගෙන යන
ගම් යම් කම්ප, ගනුසුසු කරු ගනවමිමකින් යටකට අලංකාරයක්
සුදුසු මිලක්වාලීම පිණිස හෝ ඒවාගේ කැඩීයෙදිය නැත්
හොට පැස්ම නොහොත් අවන්මැලියකිනිම පිණිස හෝ ප්‍රධාන
භූමියෙන් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලපත්‍ර ලැබූ මහාලකයකුට ගම් ප්‍රදේශය
තුළ මනුම පොදුභූමියකට ඇතුළුවිය හැකිය.

කලකට පමණක් පවත්නාවූ හෝ හැරීගියේ බෝවෙනවා වූ හෝ

135. (1) ප්‍රධානභූමිය මගින් හෝ එතුවා මගින් ලියවිල්ලකින්
බලපත්‍ර පවරනලද යම්කිසිවකු විසින් හෝ කලකට පමණක්
පවත්නාවූ හෝ හැරී ගියේ පමණක් පවත්නාවූ හෝ කලකට පමණක්
බෝවෙනවා වූ සිංහලය ආදිය සම්බන්ධයෙන් පොදු භාගක
සිටින ගම් ශාසනකොමසාරිස්ගේ බලපත්‍ර ලියවිල්ලක කැඩීමට පහසුක
බාධීර ගොවනසලකුණක් කඩා ගොනොගොත් නැතිවීමට සලස්වා
ඒ සලකුණ එතුවා වූ සුදුසුකිරී ගැනගත යම් කාලයකට ඉල්ලා
කැඩීම නිතරනුකර වන්නේ.

(2) ප්‍රධානභූමියෙන් අවරපත්‍ර ගැනුම් කිසිවකු විසින් එබඳු
ලකුණක් ඉවත්කිරීම හෝ මනුම මිම හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

136. කිසිවකු විසින්, 135 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවකට අදහස්
වන රජයගෙන් පෙළලන රජු ප්‍රදේශයකට හෝ නතනකු මිනු
කමින් ගම්කිසි පාරකට, අවිජාතකට හෝ පොදු භාගකකට
හෝ ඒමගේ එබඳු කැනකට පැමිණීමට ඉඩදීම හෝ නොකට
යුතුයි.

137. 135 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවකට අදහස් වන රජයගෙන්
පෙළලන කිසිවකු විසින් කිසිදු මහජනකට, අවිජාතකට හෝ
පොදු භාගකකට මනුම මිම පැමිණිය යුතු නැත.

138. 135 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවකට අදහස් වන රජයගෙන්
පෙළලන රජුගෙන් පෙළලන යම් බනනකු මැදුම් මිම, ඒ මරණ
සිදු වූ ගම්ගේ අයිතිකාරයා ගොනොගොත් පදිංචිකාරයා විසින්
හෝ මැරුණු අගයේ කිසිදු මැලිමිට පිරිමිනුදුහා විසින් ඒ අග
සිහාව මැලිදුනකිරීම හැර හෝ අදහනකිරීම හැර මහටම යුතු
වන්නේ. එකී අයිතිකාරයා විසින් හෝ පදිංචිකාරයා විසින්
හෝ නැදුහා විසින් එසේ මැලිදුනකිරීම නොගොත් අදහනකිරීම
පැකරගැනීමෙන් හෝ එසේ කිරීමට එබඳු ගනනකු නොසිටියොත්
කාර්‍ය භාද විසින් ඒ මහජනකට මැලිදුනකිරීමට නොගොත්
අදහනකිරීමට පැරැස්විය යුතුයි; නමුදු එසේ කිරීමෙන් දුන්ට
පෙළලන විදුලිමක අයිතිකාරයාගෙන්, පදිංචිකාරයාගෙන් හෝ
පිරිමි නැදුහා ගෙන් කාර්‍ය භාදවට එන්නට තිබෙන තණක්
පරිදිදෙන් අගකරගත හැකිය.

විමුක්ත, පාලී හා ගවයන් නකරකරන ගවන

139. (1) ඒ හදහා ප්‍රධානභූමියෙන් පිහිටි පරිදිලත් බලපත්‍ර
ගස් වීට මහ නැත්නම් කිසිවකු විසින් පොදු ප්‍රධානජනක පිණිස
ගම් මුහුටත්, ගාලක් හෝ ගවයන් නකරකරන ගවයන් පිහිටුම්
හෝ පවත්වාගෙන යාම නොකට යුතුයි.

(2) එබඳු හැම බලපත්‍රයකට එය 145 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාව
ගේ අවලංගු නොකරන ලද්දේනම් එක් එක් අවුල්ලක්
දෙදෙනකට ම මිස්එක්වැනිදුට අවලංගුවන්නේ.

140. ගම් මුහුටක්, ගාලක්, හෝ ගවයන් නකරකරන ගවන
යන් හදහා බලපත්‍ර ලත් හැම අයකු විසින්ම ඒ ගම් මුහුට, ගාලේ,
හෝ ගවයන් නකරකරන ගවනගේ අගකළහැකි ගාස්තුවල
සටහනක් සිංහල භාෂාවෙන් ලියවා, ඒ ගම් මුහුට, ගාලේ හෝ
ගම්යන් නකරකරන ගවනගේ ශාඛයේ ගොවන් පොහොන නැනන
ප්‍රදේශයකිනිමට පැරැස්විය යුතුයි.

හෝ ප්‍රධානතුමා විසින් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලය පවරනලද යම් නිර්ධාරණයක නොසොත් මෙහෙකරුවකු විසින් හෝ ඒ දැන්වීමේ සඳහන් කරනලද ඉඩමට ඇතුල්වී, ඒ දැන්වීමේ ප්‍රකාර එකී ඉඩම විසින් කළයුතු කිසිදු කාර්යයක් වුවද දේශීය කළ හැකිවන තුරු එසේ කිරීමෙන් දරන්ව සිටුවී විසඳීම එකී ඉඩමෙන් කාන්ති සහායව එන්ට නිබන්ධනයක් පරිද්දෙන් ඉසකරන හැකිද මින්හේය.

3. කිසිවකු විසින් මහාජන සහායව දුගතව සැකි අයුරින් යම්කිසි ප්‍රතිඵලයක් සහායක අයිතියක් ලියවිල්ලක් ප්‍රතිබන්ධිත හෝ යම් අසහාය පන්තරයක් ඇදීම හෝ කැන මවනවලින් ප්‍රතික්ෂේප කරනලද යම් සිත්දුමක් නොසොත් නීතිකවත් සාධකවත් නොසොත් බන්ධනාගාර කිරීම හෝ වෙනත් යම් ක්‍රියාවක්කිරීම හෝ නොකව යුතුයි.

4. කිසිවකු විසින් වෙනත් යම් කෙනකුගේ භෞතික නොසොත් මිදුලකට හල් හෝ කුණකට විසිනොකළ යුතුයි.

මාමාවත් හා අභිපාරමල්

5. එක් එක් මාවතක හෝ අභිපාර මේ මේ ප්‍රදේශය වස්සේ වැටි යායුතුයයි කියාද, එහි පලල මෙහෙයවිය යුතුයයි කියාද කාන්ති සහාය විසින් තීරණය කරනනලද ප්‍රකාරයට යම් ප්‍රාදේශ මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාර ක්‍රමයක් සඳහා හෝ නැවත සඳහා වෙන්වන සහාය යුතුයි.

6. (1) යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් ඇදීම හෝ අමතරව කිරීමේ වැඩක් ආරම්භ කර නිබන්ධනවලින් අර්ථවත් යක් නිකුත්කිරීමෙන් හෝ වෙනත් ක්‍රමයකින් හෝ අඩු ගණයෙන් තුන්දමක්වත් කල්තියා දුනුමිදීමෙන් පසු ඒ කවයුතු සඳහා වුවමනාකරන තරමේ කාලයක් තුළ මහාජනයා විසින් එකී මාවත හෝ අභිපාර පාවිච්චිකරනු ලැබීම තහනම්කිරීමට ප්‍රධාන තුමාට බලය තිබේ.

(2) කාන්ති සහාය විසින් ඒ සඳහා සම්මතකරනු ලැබූ යෝජනාවකින් බලය පවරන නිබන්ධනවල ප්‍රධානතුමා විසින් යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතක හෝ අභිපාරක මතුවීම වැනි කිසිදු හෝ පවත්වාගත අයිතියක් හෝ අභිපාර පාවිච්චිකරනු ලැබීම තහනම්කිරීමට ප්‍රධාන තුමාට බලය තිබේ.

7. ඒ සඳහා ප්‍රධානතුමාගෙන් ලියවිල්ලකින් බලය ලත් මතුවීම නොසොත් විසින්—

- (1) සඳහා නිබන්ධනවල නොසොත් ඇදීමට අරමුණකොට ඇත්තාවූ යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් යාව නොසොත් ඒ අසල පිහිටි මතුවීම් ඉඩමකට උඩමනා කරන සියලුම මැඩකාරයින්, රචමාන, සතුන් හා උපකරණ ඇතුළුව උදේ 7 වන් සවස 5 වන් අතර කාලය තුළ ඒ මාවත හෝ අභිපාර සමබන්ධනයක් වූ යම් කමාන්තයක් කිරීම පිණිස ඇතුල්වීම;
- (2) ඒ කමාන්තයකරන සහායෙන් ඉමින්කිරීමට වුවමනා පත්, කුණකට හෝ උඩමනා සඳහා නිබන්ධනවල නොසොත් ඇදීමට අරමුණකොට ඇත්තාවූ පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් යාව හෝ උඩම පිහිටි මතුවීම් ඉඩමකට මිසිකිරීම;
- (3) සඳහා නිබන්ධන නොසොත් ඇදීමට අරමුණකොට නිබන්ධන යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් සමබන්ධනයක් වූ යම් කමාන්තයක් කරනෙහි කාලය තුළදී ඒ කමාන්තය කරනෙහි යම් සඳහා එකී මාවත හෝ අභිපාර අසල ඇති ඉඩම් හරහා කිසියම් භාවනාලික පාරක් ඇදීම;
- (4) යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් ආරක්ෂාකිරීම පිණිස, මැඩිදියුණුකිරීම පිණිස, අලුත්වැඩිකරවීම පිණිස හෝ ඇදීම පිණිස යම්කිසි කාණු, දිය අගල් වැටවල් හෝ බෝක්කු ඇදීම, අලුත්වැඩිකරවීම හෝ කුඩකිරීම අවශ්‍යවන්නේ නම් එසේ කිරීමට මතුවීම් ඉඩමකට ඇතුල්වීම;

නිකරනු ලබන්නේය: එහෙත් (2) වැනි ඡේදයේ සඳහන් කරනලද පත්, කුණකට හා වෙනත් ද්‍රව්‍ය නිසි කාලයක් ඇතුළතදී ඉමින්කර දැමිය යුතු වූයේ හැර (3) වැනි ඡේදයේ සඳහන් කරනලද තාවකාලික පාර යම්කිසි නොබහාදීලත් කිසිදු ඉඩමකට හෝ කොටුකර නිබන්ධන ඉඩමකට හෝ මිදුලකට උඩින් සහාය යුතු නැත.

8. කිසිවකු විසින්—
 (a) නතර අවසන්කරනලද හෝ තනාසෙන යන්තාවූ හෝ කිසිදු පොදු මාවතකට හෝ අභිපාරකට අනතුරු කිරීම, අලාභකිරීම, හානිකිරීම, ඉමින්කරවීම හෝ එය බලෙන් අල්ලාගැනීම හෝ එය පාවිච්චිකරනු ලැබීමට වෙනත් ක්‍රමයකින් බාධාකිරීම; හෝ
 (b) කාන්ති සහාය අවසරය පිට මිස නැත්නම් එසේ නතර අවසන්කරනලද හෝ තනාසෙන යන්තාවූ හෝ කිසිදු පොදු මාවතක් හෝ අභිපාරක් වෙන අනෙකට හැරවීම; හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

9. (1) කුඹුරු ඇදීම වැනි නිබන්ධන යම්කිසි පොදු මාවතකින් සිරිත් පරිදි එහි කිසි පලල් ප්‍රමාණය ඇතිව මැනවින් ආලනය කිරීම ඒ ඒ කුඹුරු හිමියන්ගේ යුතුකමය.

(2) සිරිත් පරිදි පොදු අභිපාරකට වුවමනා කරවූ පලල් ප්‍රමාණය අඩුවන ලෙස කිසිවකු විසින් එය කැපීම හෝ බලෙන් අල්ලා ඉමින්කරවීම හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

ලී. පිලි හා ස්නාන සහාය.

10. යම්කිසි පොදු ලීදක හෝ පොදු ස්නාන සහායක පිරිමි ගැණුණු සඳහා සහායක් හුදෙක් එක් පහසුකමක් පමණක් ප්‍රදානය කරන සඳහා කාන්ති සහාය විසින් කොටුකරනලද කිසිදු මාවතකට අයින් පහසුකම කිසිවකු විසින් ඇතුල් නොවිය යුතුයි.

11. (1) යම්කිසි බෝවෙහ රෝගයකින් යෝග්‍ය වශයෙන් රෝගයකින් හෝ සම රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන්නාවූ යෝග්‍ය රෝගී පෙළහාවූ කිසිවකු විසින් ඒ රෝගය බෝවීමට යෝග්‍ය බිරියන් මෝරනු ලැබීමට සහතික කාලසීමාව පසුවකරන කිසිදු පොදු ලීදක හෝ පොදු ස්නාන සහායකට වශයෙන් කාන්ති සහාය විසින් වෙන්කරනලද කිසිදු ජලසහායක නැති හෝ ඡේදීම නොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) 1 වැනි ඡේදයේ සඳහන් කරනලද යම්කිසි ඉඩකුගේ ප්‍රදේශයක සඳහා ජලය සෞඛ්‍ය සම්පන්නවූ කිසිදු පිරිමි රජයේ හෝ ස්නාන සහායෙන් ලබාගෙන එය ප්‍රදානය කරන ගැනීම පිණිස එකී අභිපාරකට ඇතුළු වෙහෙයා යුතුයි.

12. (1) කිසිවකු විසින් කාන්ති සහාය අවශ්‍යවන්නේ නැති හෝ ඡේදීම තහනම්කර නිබන්ධන යම් පොදු ලීදක, පිල්ලක හෝ වෙනත් යම් ජලසහායක නැති හෝ ඡේදීම නොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) කාන්ති සහාය විසින් යම් මැඩික, ඇලක හෝ වෙනත් ජලසහායක විශේෂ සහායක් රෙද්දේදී සඳහා නැතරාගාන නැති සඳහා, සැනසෙත් මිනුණයන්ගේ සිරිට යන සැම සඳහා, සැනසෙත් සතුන් නැමීම සඳහා සහාය සහාය වෙන්කර නිබන්ධනවල කිසිවකු විසින් එබඳු සහායක් එස වෙන්කොට ඇති කවයුත්තක් බාධිතව වෙනත් කවයුත්තක් සඳහා පාවිච්චි නොකළ යුතුයි.

13. කිසිවකු විසින් ප්‍රධානතුමාගෙන් ලියවිල්ලකින් ලත් අවසරයක් නැතුව යම් පොදු ලීදක, මැඩික හෝ වෙනත් යම්කිසි ජලසහායක සිට, ජලය කරත්තයකින් හෝ පිපපහකින් හෝ කලින්කල කාන්ති සහාය විසින් නිබන්ධනවලට වෙන්කරනලද මධ්‍ය හෝ වෙනත් සහායක නැත.

පුද්ගලික වෙළඳ මිලටල් හා කඩපලටල්.

14. යම්කිසි (පුද්ගලික) වෙළඳ මිලටලකට ඉඩකිවූ පුද්ගලයන් ඇතුළත කිසිදු පුද්ගලික වෙළඳ මිලටලක් හෝ කඩපලටල් පිහිටුවීම හෝ පවත්වාගෙනයාම නොකළ යුතුයි.

15. (1) ඒ සඳහා ප්‍රධානතුමා විසින් නිකුත්කරනලද බලපත්‍රයක් පිට මිස නැත්නම් (වෙළඳ මිලටලකට අයිති පුද්ගලයන් බාහිරවූ) කිසිදු පුද්ගලයන් ඇතුළත කිසිදු පුද්ගලික වෙළඳ මිලටලක් හෝ කඩපලටල් පිහිටුවීම හෝ පවත්වාගෙනයාම හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

(2) (1) වැනි ඡේදය යටතේ නිකුත්කරනු ලබන ගැනීම් බලපත්‍රයක්—

- (i) සාමාන්‍යයෙන් මිට යාකොට ඇති බෝම්බයක් ප්‍රකාරයට මිගයුතුයි;
- (ii) එකී දක්වෙන කොන්දේසිවලට යටත්විය යුතුයි;
- (iii) එක 17 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාව යටතේ අවලංගු නොකරන ලද්දේ නම් එය නිකුත්කරනලද අවුරුද්දේ දෙසැම්බර් මස තිස්එක්වැනිදිනට අවසාන විය යුතුයි.

(3) 1 වැනි ඡේදය යටතේ නිකුත්කරනු ලබන එක් එක් බලපත්‍රය වෙනුවෙන් වූ ගාස්තුව රුපියල් හැටකි.

16. පුද්ගලික වෙළඳ මිලටලක් හෝ කඩපලටල් පිහිටුවීමට බලපොරොත්තුවන ඉමිතාගය සෞඛ්‍ය සුලබද සෞඛ්‍ය නිර්ධාරණය විසින් අනුමතකරනු ලබන තුරු එහි පුද්ගලික වෙළඳ මිලටලක් හෝ කඩපලටල් පිහිටුවීමට හෝ පවත්වාගෙන යාමට බලපත්‍රයක් ලැබීමට කිසිවකුට අයිතිවාසිකමක් නැත.

17. මේ අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවලින් යම් අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාවක් හෝ බලපත්‍රයක් කොන්දේසිවලින් යම් කොන්දේසියක් හෝ කඩකිරීම නිසා සම්බද උපවිධයකින් බලපත්‍රකාරයකු දෙවැනි වරට හෝ ඊට අනතුරුව වරදකාරයකු කොට විනිශ්චිතකරනු ලැබූ විට 15 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාව යටතේ නිකුත්කරනලද බලපත්‍රයක් ඒ උපවිධය මගින් අවලංගු කළ හැකිය. එසේ අවලංගුකිරීම හේතුකොටගෙන ඒ බලපත්‍රකාරයාට අලාභය අසකරගැනීමට අයිතිවාසිකමක් නැත්තේය.

18. යම්බඳ උපවිධයකින් කලින් බලපත්‍රයක් ඉවලංගු කරනු ලැබූ කිසිවකුට ප්‍රධානතුමා විසින් 15 වැනි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාව යටතේ ගැනීම බලපත්‍රයක් නිකුත්කිරීම ප්‍රතික්ෂේප කළ හැකිය.

5. බෝගේන රෝගයකින්, වසංගත රෝගයකින් හෝ සම මෝගයකින් පෙළෙන හෝ උගදී පෙරළන කිසිම කෙනෙකුට හෝ එබඳු රෝගයකින් පෙළෙන කෙනෙකුට සාන්ද්‍රකිරීමෙහි යෙදී සිටියාට කිසිම කෙනෙකුට එකී රෝගය බෝවීමට හා රෝගීකරණය වීමට උදව් දෙන කාර්යයක්, පසුගත තෙක් වෙළඳපොළේ/*කඩපොළේ කිසිම කඩසාමරයක්, බැංකුවක් හෝ වෙනත් ස්භාගයක් පාලිවිසිකිරීමට හෝ එහි නගරවිසිකිරීමට හෝ එහි මොනම දුර්වලත්වත් විසිකිරීමට හෝ බල පත්‍රකාරයා විසින් ඉඩ නොදීම යුතුයි.

6. බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් වෙළඳපොළේ/*කඩපොළේ භූමි භාගය ඉඩ පවිත්‍රකොට, කුණකලලවලින් ගොරම් කඩාගත යුතුමාත් හැර මැස්සන්ගේ බෝවීමට හෝ එබඳු වෙනම අවහිර යක් ඇතිවීම මැරුමට පත්වීමට හෝ ඒ භූමිභාගයෙන් අනුභව ඉවත දමන කුණකලල හා සියලුම කුණකලල පුවමා, දැමීමට හෝ වෙනත් විදිගයින් සුදුසුසේකර ඉවත්කිරීමට හැරුණිම යුතුයි.

7. බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් වෙළඳපොළේ/*කඩපොළේ ඇතුළත් හෝ එහි අභ්‍යන්තර ව්‍යාපාරික නවත්වා තැබීම පිණිස විශේෂ ඉඩම් කැල්ලක් වෙන්කර තැබිය යුතුයි.

8. බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් වෙළඳපොළේ/*කඩපොළේ භූමි භාගය ඇතුළත සාමය ආරක්ෂා කළ යුතුයි.

9. බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් සෞඛ්‍යය පිළිබඳ සෛද්‍ය නිර්ධාරී කුමාගේ රෙකම්ප් පිට ප්‍රධානකුමා විසින් අනුමත කරන ලද මිනිසක මැසිනිලි සෞඛ්‍ය නිර්මාණයක් වෙළඳපොළේ/*කඩ පොළේ භූමිභාගය කුලු සාද තිබිය යුතුයි.

10. කුණකලල හා රෙඳු දැමීම පිණිස බලපත්‍රකාරයා විසින් කොදට හේන්කුම් මැසෙන්නාවූ හා මැස්සන්ට ඇතුළුවිය නොහැකිවූ හා ජන සෞඛ්‍ය හානි නිවැරදි කළ යුතුයි.

11. කිසිම මහංගත රෝගයක් පැතිර පවත්නා කාලයකදී සෞඛ්‍යය පිළිබඳ සෛද්‍ය නිර්ධාරීකුමාගේ රෙකම්ප් පිට ප්‍රධාන කුමා විසින් මෙ බලපත්‍රය අවලංගු කළ හැකි. එබඳු අවලංගු කිරීමක් ගැන බලපත්‍රකාරයාට අලංකාර කිරීමට අවශ්‍ය වූ විට හැකිමට අයිතිවාසිකමක් නැත.

*එවමනා නැති වමනය කපාදමනු

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(මි 1949ක්වූ නොමැමබර් මස 25 වැනි දින අංක 10,047 දරණ උංකාණුවේ ගැසට් පත්‍රයේ පළවූ ඉංග්‍රීසි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිත සිංහල අනුමාදය.)

ගම්සහා ආඥාපණන

ගම්සහා ආඥාපණනේ (198 වැනි පරිච්ඡේදයේ) 49 වැනි වගන්තිය යටතේ කොළඹ දිස්ත්‍රික්කයේ හාමිල්ල රවුමසපත්තු ගම් ප්‍රදේශයේ ගම් කාංචි සහාමි විසින් සම්පාදිතව, 1947ක්වූ සැප්තැම්බර් මස 24 වැනි දින අංක 9,773 දරණ ගැසට් ඉතිරිකරණයේ පළවූ ප්‍රකාශනයෙන් සංශෝධිතවූ එකී වගන්තියේ (3) වැනි උප වගන්තියෙන් සංශෝධනය හා ප්‍රදේශ පාලන පිළිබඳ අනුමාදයකට කෙරෙහි පැවරී තිබෙන බලයේ ප්‍රකාර එතුමා විසින් සිර කරන ලද අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිතය.

ඊ. ඩබ්ලිව්. කන්තන්තර,
සෞඛ්‍ය හා ප්‍රදේශ පාලනය පිළිබඳ අමාත්‍ය
කාර්යාංශයේ ස්ථාන ලේකම්වරයා.

මි 1949ක්වූ නොමැමබර් මස 15 වැනි දින
කොළඹදීය.

අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිතය

නිර්ධාරීන් හා මෙහෙකරුවන්

1. කාංචි සහාමිට එන්ට නිබන්ත සියලුම අගසිලු හා තාක්තු එකතුකිරීම පිණිස ප්‍රධානකුමාගේ සෞඛ්‍ය අධ්‍යක්ෂ උපාය හා කාංචි සහාමි මුද්‍රාවත් සඳහන් මුද්‍රිත කුමිනාන්සි නිකුත්කිරීමේ පිණිස ප්‍රධානකුමා විසින් මිනුම් නිර්ධාරීකුමාට හෝ වෙනත් කෙනෙකුට හෝ ලියවිල්ලකින් බලය පැවරිය හැකිය.

2. කිසිවකු විසින්—

(අ) ගම්සහා ආඥාපණනේ හෝ ඒ ආඥාපණනේ හෝ එය යටතේ සාදන ලද ගම් අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිත ගම් විධි විධානයක් යටතේ හෝ ප්‍රධානකුමාට හෝ කාංචි සහාමි වෙනත් ගම් නිර්ධාරීකුමාට ගම් බලයක් පාලිවිසිකිරීමේදී හෝ නිබන්තකොට ඇති ගම් කාංචිගේ ක්‍රියාවේ යෙදවීමේදී එකී ප්‍රධානකුමාට හෝ නිර්ධාරීකුමාට; හෝ

(ආ) කාංචි සහාමිට හෝ කාංචි සහාමි වෙනත් රක්ෂාමිච්චියාදායකයාට ගම් මෙහෙකරුවකුට හෝ මැඩ කරුවකුට, නිර්ධාරීකුමා විසින් හෝ කාංචි සහාමි වෙනත් ගම් නිර්ධාරීකුමා විසින්, නිතිප්‍රකාර පමණ නිබන්තකොට ග්‍රහණය කිරීමේදී මෙහෙකරුවාට හෝ මැඩකරුවාට; හෝ මිනුම්කරුන් බාධා නොකළ යුතුයි.

රථවාහන ගම්සහාමය පිළිබඳ කිරීම්

3. කිසිවකු විසින් ගම් ප්‍රදේශය ඇතුළත පිහිටි ගම්කිසි මිටිකන නොහොත් අභ්‍යන්තර කිසිම පංක්තියක නොහොත් වර්ගක රථවාහනයක් රක්ෂා කල යුතු ඒ රථවාහනයේ ඉස්සරසෙ එක් එක් පැත්තේ දැල්වන ලද රථවාහනයේ ඉස්සරසෙ ඇදගෙන යාම, තල්ලකරගෙන යාම හෝ එලවීම, නොහොත් දැක්කිම නොකළ යුතුයි.

4. ඉර මැහීම හා ඉර පැහීම අගර කාලය තුළ එලියක් නැතුව කිසිවකු විසින් ගම් ප්‍රදේශය තුළ කිසිම මාවතක නොහොත් අභ්‍යන්තර කිසිම සහකු ගෙනයාම හෝ දක්ෂා ගෙන යාම නොකළ යුතුයි.

පොදු දැන්වීම්

5. කිසිවකු විසින්, කාංචි සහාමි අභ්‍යන්තර ප්‍රදේශයකර නිබන්ත කිසිම දැන්වීමක් විනාගනීම හෝ මිරුපි කිරීම හෝ නොකළ යුතුයි.

වවනාචි නිරූපණය

6. ගම් අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිත—
“ප්‍රධානකුමා” යනුවෙන් කාංචි සහාමි ප්‍රධානකුමා අදහස් කරනු ලැබේ.
“කාංචි සහාමි” යනුවෙන් හාමිල්ල රවුමසපත්තු ගම් ප්‍රදේශයේ ගම්කාංචි සහාමි අදහස් කරනු ලැබේ.
“ගම් ප්‍රදේශය” යනුවෙන් හාමිල්ල රවුමසපත්තු ගම් ප්‍රදේශය අදහස් කරනු ලැබේ.

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(මි 1949ක්වූ නොමැමබර් මස 25 වැනි දින අංක 10,047 දරණ උංකාණුවේ ගැසට් පත්‍රයේ පළවූ ඉංග්‍රීසි අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිත සිංහල අනුමාදය.)

ගම්සහා ආඥාපණන

ගම්සහා ආඥාපණනේ (198 වැනි පරිච්ඡේදයේ) 49 වැනි වගන්තිය යටතේ, කර්නර් දිස්ත්‍රික්කයේ මුංචන්ත බාගපත්තු සහ කොරවල-දෙවන්තොඩි-මුතුගම් යන ගම්ප්‍රදේශවල ගම් කාංචි සහාමි විසින් සම්පාදිතව, 1947ක්වූ සැප්තැම්බර් මස 24 වැනි දින අංක 9,773 දරණ ගැසට් ඉතිරිකරණයේ පළවූ ප්‍රකාශනයෙන් සංශෝධිතවූ එකී වගන්තියේ (3) වැනි උප වගන්තියෙන් සංශෝධනය හා ප්‍රදේශ පාලන පිළිබඳ අමාත්‍යකුමා කෙරෙහි පැවරී තිබෙන බලයේ ප්‍රකාර එතුමා විසින් සිර කරන ලද අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිතය.

ඊ. ඩබ්ලිව්. කන්තන්තර,
සෞඛ්‍ය හා ප්‍රදේශ පාලනය පිළිබඳ අමාත්‍ය
කාර්යාංශයේ ස්ථාන ලේකම්වරයා.

මි 1949ක්වූ නොමැමබර් මස 15 වැනි දින
කොළඹදීය.

අතුරු ව්‍යවස්ථාපිතය

1. මුංචන්ත බාගපත්තු සහ කොරවල-දෙවන්තොඩි-මුතුගම් යන ගම්ප්‍රදේශවල පිහිටි මෙහෙව්‍ර සහ මෙහෙව්‍ර යන ගම්ප්‍රදේශ අභ්‍යන්තර කරන නොවූවකු විසින් කර්නර් මෙහෙව්‍ර පළ දෙහියන කොටුවලට යනුවෙන් සඳහන් කරනු ලැබේ.) මෙහිත් පිහිටුවනු ලැබේ.

2. දෙහියන කොටුවල සෑදීමට හා භාවිතකිරීමට යන විගදම් අවුරුදු පහා මාරුවෙන් මාරුවට මෙහෙකාරී සහාමි දෙක මගින් දිරිය යුතුයි.

3. දෙහියන කොටුවල කොටුවල බද්ද අගයකිරීමට නියමිත ගම්කාරී සහාමි විසින් විධිවිධාන පරිදි බලය පවරන ලද අග විසින් පත්කරන ලද කොටි සහ කොටි පළ කොටි විසින් කර්නර් ගරහා දෙහියන කොටුවලට හෝ එහි සිට ගත ඉහලට හෝ සහලට හෝ හැකැවීම බාධකක් ඇතුළත ගාස්තුවකට හෝ පාරිකොමස මුදලකට කිසිම බෝවිලිකින් හෝ මෙහෙව්‍ර මිරුපැරු ඇදියකින් කිසිම මගියකු, බඩුවලි, රථවාහනයක් හෝ සහකු හෝ ගෙනයාම නොහැකි.

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கிராம சமுதாயச் சட்டம்.

கிராம சமுதாயச் சட்டத்தின் (அத்தியாயம் 198) 49 ம் பிரிவின கீழ் மட்டக்களப்பு மாவட்டத்திலுள்ள மணமுனை தென் கிழக்கு, எருவில் கிராமப் பகுதியின் கிராமச் சங்கத்தால் உண்டாக்கப்பட்டு 1947 ம் ஆண்டு செப்டம்பர் மாதத்து 24 ந்தேதிய 9,773 ம் இலக்க விசேஷ "கெசெற்" நில பிரசுரிக்கப்பட்ட பிரகடனத்தால் திருத்தப்பட்ட அபிரிவின (3) ம் உட்பிரிவால் சகாதார, ஸ்தல ஸ்தாபன மந்திரிமீது வைக்கப்பட்ட தத்துவங்களின் பலத்தைக் கொண்டு அவ்வால் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட உபவிதிகள்.

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உபவிதிகள்.

சந்தைகளும் முறைச் சந்தைகளும்.

1. கிராமச் சந்தை எதிலும் இருந்து ஒரு மைல் விடாத்தொலைவு வட்டத்துக்குள் இருக்கும் பகுதி அந்தச் சந்தையின் சந்தைப்பகுதியென்று இத்தால் பிரகடனம் செய்யப்படுகின்றது.

2. எந்தச் சந்தைப் பகுதிகளுக்கும் கிராமச் சந்தை நிறந்திருக்கும் எந்தத் தினத்திலும் ஏதும் காய்கறிகளை, கனிகளை, இறைச்சியை அல்லது வேறு அழகாகக் கூடிய உணவுப்பொருட்களை கிராமச் சந்தையல்லாத வேறு எந்த இடத்திலும் ஒருவரும் விற்கவோ அல்லது விற்பனைக்கு விடவோ அல்லது வைக்கவோ கூடாது.

ஆயினும் இந்த உபவிதியின் முந்தின ஏற்பாடுகள் பின்வருவனவற்றுக்குப் பொருத்தம்:—

(அ) ஒரு குறித்த இடத்தில் விற்காமல் அல்லது வியாபாரத்தின் பொருட்டே பிரசுரிக்கப்பட்ட தெருக்கள அல்லது வேறு பிரசுரிக்கப்பட்ட மாள இடங்களில் தங்களை ஸ்தாபிதம் செய்து கொள்ளாமல் பல இடங்களுக்கும் கொண்டு திரியும் தெரு வியாபாரிகள் காய்கறிகளை அல்லது பழங்களை விற்பதற்கு; அல்லது

(ஆ) ஒரு சாப்பாட்டுக் கட்டையான அல்லது தேனீர் அல்லது கோப்பிக் கட்டையான லைசென்ஸ்காரர் அத்தலத்தில் வைத்த தினப்பதற்கு வாழைப்பழங்களை அல்லது வேறு பழங்களை விற்பதற்கு; அல்லது

(இ) எவ்வேறும் இந்நாக் குறும்பைகள் விற்பதற்கு.

3. சந்தை ஒவ்வொன்றும் சங்கத்தால் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட வாரத்தின் அந்தந்த நாட்களில் காலை 6 மணி முதல் மாலை 6 மணிவரை நிறந்திருத்தல் வேண்டும்.

4. சங்கம், ஒரு கிராமச் சந்தையின் எப் பாகத்தையேனும் ஏதும் ஒரு பொருள் அல்லது ஏதும் ஒருவகைப் பொருட்கள் விற்பதற்கென்று புறம்பாக விட்டிருக்கமுடிகிறது, ஒருவரும்—

(அ) அந்தப் பொருளை அல்லது அந்த வகைப்பொருட்களை அந்தச் சந்தையின் புறம்பாக விடப்பட்ட அந்தப் பாகத்திலுள்ள எந்த இடத்திலும் விற்கவோ அல்லது விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவோ கூடாது, அல்லது

(ஆ) அவ்விதம் புறம்பாக விடப்பட்ட பாகத்தில் வேறு ஏதாவும் பொருளை அல்லது வேறு ஏதாவும் வகைப் பொருட்களை விற்கவோ அல்லது விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவோ கூடாது.

5. எந்தக் கிராமச் சந்தையிலுமுள்ள எந்தச் சிறு கட்டையையும் உட்காரு மிடத்தையும் அல்லது இடப்பரப்பையும் உபயோகிப்பதற்கு கீழ்க்காணும் வீதப் படியான ஒரு கட்டணம் விதிக்கவும் கொடுக்கவும் வேண்டும்:—

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சதம்

புகையிலை விற்பதற்கான ஒரு கடைக்கு	5
காய்கறிச் சந்தையில் உள்ள ஒவ்வொரு சதுர யா இடத்துக்கும்	10
கறிச்சரக்குகள் அல்லது கருவாடு விற்பதற்கான ஒரு கடைக்கு	10

6. ஒருவரும், அதற்கென அக்கிராசனரால் அல்லது அக்கிராசனரின் அதிகாரத்தின்கீழ் வழங்கப்பட்ட ஒரு அனுமதிச் சீட்டை வைத்திருப்பவராக இருந்தால் அல்லது அதற்கென அனுமதிச் சீட்டின் தாறுபரியங்களுக்கும் நிபந்தனைகளுக்கும் இணக்கமாகவன்றி ஒரு கிராமச் சந்தையிலுள்ள இடம் அல்லது சிறுகடை எதையும் பாவிக்கக்கூடாது அதற்கென அனுமதிச்சீட்டு ஒவ்வொன்றும் அதில் சொல்லப்படுகிற திகதியில் வலியுறு முடிவுறும்.

7. உபவிதி 24 ன் கீழ் செலுத்தவேண்டிய கட்டணங்களை அக்கிராசனரிடம் அல்லது அக்கிராசனரால் எழுத்தில் அதிகாரமளிக்கப்பட்ட வேறு பேரிடம், செலுத்த வேண்டும். செலுத்தவேண்டிய கட்டணம் கொடுக்கப் பட்டாலன்றி உபவிதி 25 ன் கீழ் எவருக்கும் அனுமதிச்சீட்டு வழங்கப்பட மாட்டாது.

8. 5 ம் உபவிதியின்படி விதிக்கத்தக்க கட்டணங்களைத் திரட்டும உரிமையை—

- (அ) சங்கத்தால் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட எவருக்கும் பிரத்தியேக ஒப்பந்தத்தின் மூலமாகவேனும்,
- (ஆ) அந்த உரிமையைக் கேட்கும், அங்கனம் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட, கேள்விக்காரர் எவருக்கேனும், அல்லது
- (இ) அந்த உரிமையை ஒரு பகிரங்க வலத்தில் விலை கேட்கும், அங்கனம் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட, எவருக்கேனும்

சங்கம் குத்தகைக்குக் கொடுக்கலாம்.

9. அக்கிராசனரால் ஒவ்வொரு கிராமச் சந்தையிலும், அந்தச் சந்தையைப் பாவிப்பதற்குக் கொடுக்கவேண்டிய கட்டணங்களைக் காட்டும் விளம்பரம் ஒன்றை ஆங்கிலத்திலும் சிங்களத்திலும் தமிழிலும் எழுதி ஒரு பிரசுரிக்கப்பட்ட இடத்தில் யாவருக்கும் தெரியக்கூடியதாக வைப்பிக்க வேண்டும். அதற்கென விளம்பரத்தில் காடப்பட்ட தொகைகளுக்கு அதிகமான தொகைகள் எதையும் ஒருவரும் கேட்கவோ அல்லது வாங்கவோ கூடாது.

10. வைத்திய சகாதார உத்தியோகத்தரைக் கலந்தாலோசித்த பின்னரான ஒரு குறித்த உணவுப் பொருள் பொது ஜனங்களால் பாவிக்கப்படுதல் அல்லது உட்கொள்ளப்படுதல் தீங்கானது அல்லது கெடுதலானது என்று சங்கம் திருப்தியடையுமபோதெல்லாம் பறைசாற்றி அல்லது வேறு போதிய அறிவித்தல் கொடுத்த சங்கத்துக்கு அவசியமென்று தோன்றும் அதற்கென காலத்துக்கு எந்தக் கிராமச் சந்தையிலும் அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையிலும் அந்த உணவுப் பொருட்களைக் கொண்டுவருவதையும் விற்பதையும் தடை செய்யவது சங்கத்துக்கு சட்டமுறையாகும்.

11. கிராமச் சந்தையில் ஒருவரும் கீழ்க் காண்பவற்றை விற்கவோ அல்லது விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவோ கூடாது:—

(அ) ஒரு கிராமிய மிருகங்களைக் கொல்லும் சாலையில் அல்லது ஒரு லைசென்ஸ் பெற்ற மிருகங்களைக் கொல்லும் சாலையினன்றி வேறு எந்த இடத்திலும் கொல்லப்பட ஏதும் மிருகத்தின் சடலம் அல்லது இறைச்சி; அல்லது

(ஆ) சங்கத்தால் உண்டாக்கப்பட்ட எந்த உபவிதியினாலும் அல்லது எந்த உபவிதியின் கீழும் வைப்பது அல்லது விற்பது தடுக்கப்பட்ட எப் பொருளும்;

ஆயினும், இந்த உபவிதியின் (அ) பகுதியின் ஏற்பாடுகள் குளிர்ச்சியூட்டி, விறைக்கச்செய்த இறைச்சி அல்லது வேட்டையாடிய மாமிசம் விற்பதற்குப் பொருத்தமாட்டா.

12. தொற்று நோய், ஒட்டு நோய் அல்லது சருமநோய் ஏதும் பீடித்த அல்லது சமீபகாலத்தில் பீடித்திருந்த அல்லது அதற்கென நோய் பீடித்த எவருக்கும் சமீபகாலத்தில் பணிவிடை செய்த எவரும் நோய் தொற்றுக் கால எலையும் காத்தற்கால எலையும் கழியுமுள்ள கிராமச் சந்தையில் அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையில் உள்ள கடை, உட்காருமிடம் அல்லது இடம் எதையும் பாவிக்கவோ அல்லது எதிலும் இறக்கவோ அல்லது அதில் எவ்விதமான பொருளையேனும் விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவோ கூடாது.

13. எந்தக் கிராமச் சந்தையையும் உபயோகிக்கும் எவரும்—

(1) அச்சந்தையில் அல்லது அதற்கருகில் ஏதும் முறைகோட வித்ததில் நடந்துகொள்ளவோ அல்லது ஏதும் அச்சத்தம் உண்டாக்கவோ கூடாது; அல்லது

(2) அத்தகைய சந்தை எதிலும் சமையல் செய்யக்கூடாது, அல்லது

(3) அந்தச் சந்தை தொழில் நடத்துவதற்கு மாலை 6 மணிக்கு மூடப்பட்ட பின்னரான திருப்திகரமான காரணம் கூறமுடியாமல் அந்த இடத்தில் அல்லது அதன் அருகில் தங்கவோ அல்லது சோம்பித்திரியவோ கூடாது, அல்லது

(4) அந்தச் சந்தையில் அல்லது அதன் அருகில் உள்ள கட்டிடத்தின் எப்பாகத்தையேனும் சிறு கடைகளையேனும், விளக்குகளையேனும் அல்லது சங்கத்தின் வேறு ஏதும் சொத்தையேனும் சேதப்படுத்தவோ அல்லது எவ்வகையிலேனும் அழகைக் குலைக்கவோ கூடாது அல்லது அந்தச் சந்தையில் பாவிப்புகு வைத்திருக்கும் தண்ணீர் அசுத்தப்படுத்தவோ அல்லது கெடுக்கவோ கூடாது; அல்லது

(5) அச்சந்தைக் கட்டிடத்தின் அல்லது தலத்தின் எப்பாகத்தையும் எவ்வகையிலேனும் சற்றியடைக்கவோ அல்லது ஏதும் வகையான நிர்நதரக கூடாரம் அல்லது மறைப்பு அல்லது நிலைமானம் எதையும் போடவோ கூடாது, அல்லது

(6) அக்கிராசனரின் விசேஷ அனுமதியின்றி மாலை 6 மணிக்கு மாலை 6 மணிக்ருமிடையில் அச்சந்தையின் தலத்தில் அல்லது அதன் அருகில் எப்பொருட்களையும் விட்டு வைக்கக்கூடாது; அல்லது

(7) அச்சத்தமான அல்லது சகாதாரமற்ற மேற்பாப்பில் பழங்களை, காய்கறிகளை, இறைச்சி, மாமிசம் அல்லது வேறு உணவுப் பொருள் எதையும் விற்பதற்கு வைத்தல் கூடாது; அல்லது

(8) சத்தமானதும் தக்க முறையில் அமைக்கப்பட்ட ஈறுழைய முடியாததுமான கணாடிப் பெட்டிகளினன்றி சமைத்த உணவுப் பொருள் எதையும் விற்பதற்கு வைத்தல் கூடாது.

14. ஒரு கிராமச் சந்தையில் சிறு கடை எதையும் பாவிக்கும் ஒவ்வொருவரும் அச்சிறு கடையில் அல்லது அதற்கருகில் நெருங்கிப் பொருளும் மூடி அல்லது அடைப்பு உள்ள ஈறுழைய முடியாத கொள்கலம் ஒன்றைவைத்து எல்லாக் குப்பைகளையும் கஞ்சல்களையும் அந்தக் கொள்கலத்துக்குள் போடுதல் வேண்டும்.

15. கிராமச் சந்தை அல்லது முறைச் சந்தை எதனதும் தலத்தில் ஒருவரும் ஏதும் குப்பையை அல்லது கஞ்சலை அல்லது ஏதும் மிருகத்தின் எலும்பு அல்லது தோல் எதையும் அல்லது பொது ஜன ஆரோக்கியத்துக்கு ஆபத்தான அல்லது தீங்கு உண்டாக்கக்கூடிய ஏதும் பொருளை எரித்தல் கூடாது.

16. கிராமச் சந்தையின் காவற்காரனையேனும் அல்லது எந்தக் கிராமச் சந்தையையும் மேற்பார்வையிடுவதற்கு அல்லது வாடகைகளையும் கட்டணங்களையும் திரட்டுவதற்கு அல்லது அங்கு ஒழுங்கையும் துப்பரவையும் ஏற்படுத்துவதற்கு சங்கத்தால் நியமிக்கப்பட்ட எவரையேனும் அவரது சட்ட ரீதியான கடமையை செய்கிடாது, ஒருவரும் தடுக்கவோ அல்லது எதிர்க்கவோ கூடாது.

17 ஒரு வாகனத்தின் சாரதி, அந்த வாகனத்தில் சாமான்களை
ஏற்றுவதற்கு அல்லது அதிலிருந்து சாமான்களை இறக்குவதற்குத் தேவைய
யானதை கதிகமான காலத்துக்கு அந்த வாகனத்தை கிராமச் சந்தையை
தலத்துக்குள் அல்லது அதன் பக்கத்தில் நிறுத்திவைக்கலாகாது.

18 கிராமச் சந்தையை அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்காப்பிப்பதை
அல்லது தற்காலிகமாக மூடுவதை அககிராசனா, பறைசாற்றியாவது அல்லது
அவா போதுமென்றெண்ணும் வேறு வகையிலாவது அறிவித்தல் வேண்டும்.

சொந்தச் சந்தைகளும் முறைச் சந்தைகளும்.

19 எந்தச் சந்தைப் பகுதிக்குள்ளும் ஒரு சொந்தச் சந்தையை
அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்தாபிக்கவோ அல்லது நடத்தவோ கூடாது.

20. (1) அதற்கென அககிராசனால் வழங்கப்பட்ட ஒரு அனுமதி
பேரிலுள்ள ஒரு கிராமச் சந்தையின் சூழ்நிலை பகுதியிலாத் எந்தப் பகுதிக்குள்ளும்
ஒரு சொந்தச் சந்தையை அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்தாபிக்க
வோ அல்லது நடத்தவோ கூடாது.

(2) பந்தி (1) ன கீழ் வழங்கப்படும் லைசென்ஸ் ஒவ்வொன்றும்—

(அ) இதன் அட்டவணியில் காட்டப்படும் பகுதிக்குள் பொருள்பட
இருத்தல் வேண்டும்,

(ஆ) அதில் சொல்லப்படும் நிபந்தனைகளுக்கு அமைவாக இருத்தல்
வேண்டும்,

(இ) அது எந்த வருடத்துக்கென வழங்கப்பட்டதோ அந்த வருடம்
டிசெம்பர் மாதம் 31 ந் திகதி வரையற்று முடிவுறும்.

(3) பந்தி (1) ன கீழ் வழங்கப்படும் ஒவ்வொரு லைசென்ஸுக்கும் கட்டணம்
இருப்பதை நடு ரூபாய்.

21. வைத்திய சுகாதார உத்தியோகத்தரால் இடம் அங்கீகரிக்கப்பட்ட
லுள்ள ஒரு சொந்தச் சந்தையை அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்காப்பிப்பதற்கு
கேறும் அல்லது நடத்துவதற்கெனும் ஒரு லைசென்ஸ் பெறுதற்கு சிறவுரும்
உரித்தானியாகாது.

22 இந்த உபவிதிகள் எதையேனும் அல்லது லைசென்ஸ் நிபந்தனைகளை
எதையேனும் மீறியமைக்கு லைசென்ஸ்காரர் இரண்டாவது நடவை அல்லது
அதற்குப் பின்னர் குற்றவாளியாகக் காணப்படும்கால 20 ம உபவிதியின் கீழ்
வழங்கப்பட்ட ஒரு லைசென்ஸ் ஒரு கிராமக் கோட்டால் அழிக்கப்படலாம்.
அந்த அழித்தல் விஷயமாக லைசென்ஸ்காரர் எத்தகைய நடவடிக்கைக்கும்
உரித்தானியாகமாட்டார்.

23 எவ்வொருவரும் முந்திய லைசென்ஸ் ஒரு கிராமக் கோட்டால் அழிக்
கப்பட்டிருந்தால் அககிராசனா அவருக்கு 20 ம உபவிதியின் கீழ் ஒரு
லைசென்ஸ் வழங்க மறுக்கலாம்.

பொது.

24 அககிராசனாவது, வைத்திய சுகாதார உத்தியோகத்தரவற் சுகாதா
ரப் பரிசீலகராவது அல்லது அககிராசனா எழுத்தில் அதிகாரமளிக்கப்
பட்ட எவருமாவது நியாயமான எல்லா நேரங்களிலும் எந்தச் சந்தைக்குள்
ளும் அல்லது முறைச் சந்தைக்குள்ளும் பிரவேசிப்பதும் அந்தச் சந்தையை
அல்லது முறைச் சந்தையை அல்லது அங்கு விற்பதற்கு வைக்கப்பட்டிருக்கும்
அல்லது காட்டப்பட்டிருக்கும் உணவுப் பொருள் எவையும் சோதிப்பது சட்ட
முறையாகும். மேற்கூறிய உத்தியோகத்தர் எவரையும் இந்த உபவிதியின்
கீழ் அவரது கடமையைச் செய்யவிடாது ஒருவரும் தடுக்கவோ அல்லது
எதிராகவோ கூடாது.

25. இந்த உபவிதிகளில்—
“அககிராசனா” என்பது சங்க அககிராசனா எனப் பொருள்படுகின்றது
“சங்கம்” என்பது மணமுனை தென்-கிழக்கு, எருவில் கிராமப் பகுதியின்
கிராமச் சங்கம் எனப் பொருள்படுகின்றது.

“சந்தைப் பகுதி” என்று எந்தக் கிராமச் சந்தையையும்பற்றி சொல்லப்
படுவது 1 ம உபவிதியில் விபரிக்கப்படும் பகுதி எனப் பொருள்
படுகின்றது.

அட்டவணை.

(உபவிதி 20 (2)).

ஒரு சொந்தச் சந்தையை முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்தாபிக்கவும்
நடத்தவும் லைசென்ஸ்.

வாசியான எனப்பவர் கிராமப் பகுதியில்

என்னுமிடத்திலுள்ள என வழங்கப்படும் காணியில்,
இறுதியில் சோக்கப்பட்டுள்ள நிபந்தனைகளுக்கு எல்லாம் அமைந்து, தே
தேதி முதல் 19— ம ஆண்டு டிசெம்பர் மாதம் முடிந்ததொருபின்
வரை ஒரு சொந்தச் சந்தையை முறைச் சந்தையை ஸ்தாபிக்கவ
வதற்கு இத்தால் லைசென்ஸ் வழங்கப்படுகின்றது.

அககிராசனா

நிகதி :

மேற்கூறிய லைசென்ஸின் நிபந்தனைகள்.

1 சொந்தச் சந்தையில் முறைச் சந்தையில் ஏற்படப்படும் வட்டவை
கணியும் கட்டணங்களையும் காட்டும் அட்டவணையொன்றை ஆங்கிலத்திலும்
செங்கதிலும் தமிழிலும் எழுதி சந்தையில் முடிந்த சந்தையில் ஒரு
பிரதித்தமான இடத்தில் காட்டுகலு வைக்கவேண்டும்.

2 சங்கத்தால் உண்டாகக்கூடிய உபவிதி எதற்கும் அல்லது எந்த
படியும் வைப்பது அல்லது விற்பது தடைசெய்யப்பட்ட எப்பொருளையும்
சொந்தச் சந்தையில் முறைச் சந்தையில் எவ்வெனும் அங்குள்ளோ அல்லது
விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவோ லைசென்ஸ்காரர் விடக்கூடாது.

3 சொந்தச் சந்தை முறைச் சந்தை ஒவ்வொன்றின் தனி லைசென்ஸ்
காரர் பழங்களை, காய்கறிகளை, இறைச்சி, மீன் அல்லது வேறு உணவுப்
பொருள்கள் அச்சத்தான அல்லது துப்பரவிலான இடத்தில் வைக்கப்
பட்டிருப்பதற்கு அவரின்மனை சகல நடவடிக்கைகளையும் எடுத்துக் கொள்ளும்.

4 சமைத்த உணவுப் பொருள்களையும் சந்தமானதும் தக்க
முறையில் செய்யப்பட்டா நுழைபாற்றாமான கண்ணாடிப் பெட்டிகளினால்த
வேறு வகையில், லைசென்ஸ்காரர் விற்பதற்கு வைக்கக்கூடாது.

5 தொற்றுநோய், ஒட்டுநோய் அல்லது சருமநோய் ஏற்படக்கூடிய
அல்லது சமீபகாலத்தில் பீடித்திருந்த அல்லது அத்தகைய நோய் பீடித்த
எவருக்கும் சமீப காலத்தில் பணிவிடைசெய்த அல்லது நேரடியாக அல்லது
கால எல்லைபடும் காதத்தற்கால எல்லைபடும் கழியுமுள்ள அல்லது முறைச்
சந்தையில் உள்ள கடை, இருப்பிடம் அல்லது இடம் வைக்கப்பட்டிருக்க
வாவது அல்லது எதிலும் இருக்கவாவது அல்லது அங்கு விற்பதற்கான
பொருளையேனும் விற்பதற்கு வைக்கவாவது லைசென்ஸ்காரர் விடக்கூடாது.

6 லைசென்ஸ்காரர் சந்தை முறைச் சந்தை தலத்தில் அல்லது
குப்பையும் இல்லாமல் துப்பரவாக வைக்கப்படுதற்கு நடவடிக்கை
கூட்டிய எல்லாக் கஞ்சலையும் அழகுபடப் பொருளையும் அக்கள் உரத்த
யாகாமல் அல்லது ஏதும் தொலை நேராமல் தற்கக்கக்கூடிய முறையில்
எளிப்பிக்க, புதைப்பிக்க அல்லது வேறு விதத்தில் ஒழிப்பிக்கவும் கொள்ளும்.

7 லைசென்ஸ்காரர் சந்தையில் முறைச் சந்தையின் சலுகுகளின்
ஒழுங்கை நிலைநாட்டுதல் வேண்டும்.

8 லைசென்ஸ்காரர் சந்தையில் முறைச் சந்தையின் தலத்தில் அல்லது
தலத்துக்கருகில் வாகனங்களை நிறுத்தி வைப்பதற்கு ஒரு புறம்பான
காணித்துண்டு வைத்திருத்தல் வேண்டும்.

9 லைசென்ஸ்காரர் குப்பையையும் கழிவுப் பொருளையும் பேர்ப்பதற்கு
நெருக்கிப்பொருந்தும் மூடிகளுடன் கூடிய, போதிய தொகையான, ந
நுழையாத கொளகைகளை வைத்திருத்தல் வேண்டும்.

10 லைசென்ஸ்காரர் சந்தையில் முறைச் சந்தையின் தலத்தில் வைத்த
திய சுகாதார உத்தியோகத்தரின் சிபாரிசுபேரில் அககிராசனா அங்கீ
கரிக்கப்பட்ட மாதிரியான, பொதிய தொகையான, மலச்சு இடங்களை வைத்த
திருத்தல் வேண்டும்.

11 நோய் பரவியிருக்கும் காலம் எதிலும் வைத்திய சுகாதார
உத்தியோகத்தரின் சிபாரிசு பேரில் அககிராசனா லைசென்ஸ் தடுக்கப்
பட்டால் அப்படித் தடுக்கப்பட்டமைக்காக லைசென்ஸ்காரர் எத்தகைய
நஷ்டங்கட்கும் உரித்தானியாகமாட்டார்.

* பொருந்தாததைக் கீறிவிடும்.