

(1) Office	(2) Date from which deemed to be pensionable	(3) Gazette Notification
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT— (Contd.)		
Map Draughtsman Class I	1. 4. 49	
Map Draughtsman Class II	1. 4. 49	
Map Draughtsman Class III	1. 4. 49	
Senior Photoprinter	1. 4. 51	
Photoprinter	1. 4. 50	
Inspector of Works Class I	1. 4. 48	
Inspector of Works Class II	1. 4. 48	
Building Inspector Class I	1. 4. 48	
Building Inspector Class II	1. 4. 48	
Assistant Building Inspector	1. 11. 51	
Electrical Inspector Class I	1. 4. 47	
Electrical Inspector Class II	1. 4. 47	
Mechanical Inspector Class I	1. 4. 49	
Mechanical Inspector Class II	1. 4. 49	
Waterworks Inspector Class I	1. 4. 48	
Waterworks Inspector Class II	1. 4. 48	
Assistant Waterworks Inspector	1. 12. 51	
Clerk of Works Class I	1. 4. 48	
Clerk of Works Class II	1. 4. 48	
Quarry Superintendent	1. 4. 48	
Assistant Quarry Superintendent	1. 4. 49	
Laboratory Superintendent	1. 4. 51	
Assistant Laboratory Superintendent ...	1. 4. 52	
Laboratory Assistant	1. 4. 52	
Land Bailiff	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Electrical Overseer	1. 4. 48	
Mechanical Overseer	1. 4. 49	
Transport Supervisor	1. 8. 48	
Diver	—	G.N. 268 of 1935
Diver's Linesman	—	G.N. 268 of 1935
Diver's Foreman	—	G.N. 268 of 1935
Assistant Stores Officer	1. 4. 52	
Chief Meter Reader	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Meter Reader	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Junior Meter Reader	—	G.N. 268 of 1935
Assistant Mechanical Inspector	1. 4. 53	
Assistant Driver	1. 4. 53	
Stores Officer	1. 1. 53	
RATING AND VALUATION DEPARTMENT		
Commissioner of Rating & Valuation ...	31. 7. 47	
Rating & Valuation Surveyor	31. 7. 47	
Inspector of Tenements	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Assistant Surveyor Class II	1. 4. 48	
Senior Rating & Valuation Surveyor ...	1. 4. 53	

(1) Office	(2) Date from which deemed to be pensionable	(3) Gazette Notification
REGISTRAR GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT		
Registrar General	1. 4. 49	
Deputy Registrar General	1. 4. 49	
Assistant Registrar Class I	1. 7. 51	
Assistant Registrar Class II	1. 4. 49	
Legal Assistant	1. 6. 53	
ROYAL OBSERVATORY		
Director	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Assistant Director	—	G.N. 268 of 1935
Scientific Officer	1. 4. 49	
Assistant Scientific Officer	1. 4. 49	
Marine Liaison Officer	—	G.N.A. 117 of 1951
Technical Officer	1. 4. 49	
Computer Class I	1. 4. 48	
Computer Class II	1. 4. 48	
Computer Class III	1. 4. 48	
Lithographer Class I	1. 4. 50	
Lithographer Class II	1. 4. 50	
Lithographer Class III	1. 4. 50	
SECRETARIAT FOR CHINESE AFFAIRS		
Secretary for Chinese Affairs	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Chinese Assistant	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Principal Detective District Watchman.	1. 9. 45	
Head District Watchman	1. 9. 45	
Assistant Head District Watchman	1. 9. 45	
Detective District Watchman	1. 9. 45	
District Watchman	1. 9. 45	
SOCIAL WELFARE OFFICE		
Assistant Social Welfare Officer	1. 4. 48	
Principal Youth Welfare Officer	1. 4. 52	
Principal Probation Officer	1. 4. 50	
Children's Officer	1. 4. 52	
Moral Welfare Officer	1. 4. 52	
Probation Officer	1. 4. 49	
Relieving Officer	1. 4. 50	
Assistant Children's Officer	1. 4. 52	
Assistant Youth Welfare Officer	1. 4. 52	
Assistant Moral Welfare Officer	1. 4. 52	
Assistant Probation Officer	1. 4. 50	
Assistant Relieving Officer	1. 4. 50	
Principal Community Development Officer	1. 4. 53	
Community Development Officer	1. 4. 53	
Assistant Community Development Officer	1. 4. 53	

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<i>Office</i>	<i>Date from which deemed to be pensionable</i>	<i>Gazette Notification</i>
STORES DEPARTMENT		
Controller of Stores	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Senior Stores Officer	1. 4. 49	
Stores Officer	1. 4. 48	
Assistant Stores Officer	1. 4. 48	
Inspector of Sand Monopoly	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Superintendent of Furniture and Equipment	1. 4. 46	
Pharmacist and Stores Officer	1. 4. 53	
TREASURY		
Accountant General	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Assistant Accountant General	1. 1. 47	
Treasury Tax Inspector	1. 4. 53	
Senior Treasury Tax Inspector	1. 4. 53	
URBAN SERVICE DEPARTMENT		
Senior Veterinary Officer	14. 1. 48	
Veterinary Officer	14. 1. 48	
Superintendent of Sanitary Services ...	1. 4. 50	
Chief Health Inspector	1. 4. 50	
Senior Health Inspector	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Health Inspector Class I	1. 4. 50	
Health Inspector Class II	1. 4. 50	
Pest Control Officer	1. 1. 52	
Overseer	—	G.N. 781 of 1932
Chief Motor Mechanic	1. 4. 47	
Technician	1. 4. 53	
Horticultural Assistant	1. 4. 53	
Botanical Assistant	—	G.N. 682 of 1941
Superintendent of Gardens	1. 5. 46	

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
28th October, 1953.

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Explanatory Note.

(This note is not part of the Order, but is intended to indicate its general purport.)

This Order lists in the Schedule all current pensionable posts together with the dates from which pensionability first attached to them. The Pensionable Offices Order, 1952, is revoked but this revocation does not affect the pensionability of persons who held offices declared as pensionable under that Order for so long as they continue in those offices, even though such offices are not declared pensionable in the new Order.

(Secretariat 4374/48)

PENSIONS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 89).

THE PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by subsections (1) and (3) of section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance, the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 1953. Citation.
2. Regulation 34 of the Pensions Regulations is amended— Amendment of regulation 34. (Volume IX page 6).
 - (a) by the insertion of the words "in respect of such period or any part thereof" between the words "eligible" and "for" in the ninth line thereof; and
 - (b) by the insertion of the words "in respect of which she is not otherwise eligible for pension, gratuity or other allowance under Parts II and IV, as aforesaid" between the word "Colony" and the colon in the nineteenth line thereof.
3. These regulations shall be deemed to have come into force on 12th April, 1952. Commencement.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
9th May, 1953.

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Approved this 10th day of June, 1953, by Resolution of the Legislative Council.

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

(Secretariat 5/4716/50)

PENSIONS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 89).

PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by subsection (1) of section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance, the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1953. Citation.

2. Regulation 29 of the Pensions Regulations, hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations is amended by the addition thereto of the following paragraph as paragraph (4)— Addition of new paragraph (4) to regulation 29.

“(4) Sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (1) shall not be a qualification for the grant of a gratuity under this regulation in the case of a non-pensionable officer selected for appointment to the service of the Government on or after the date of commencement of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953, if his dependants as defined in such Ordinance are entitled to compensation thereunder.” (Vol. IX, p. 6).

3. Regulation 31 of the principal regulations is amended by the addition thereto of the following paragraph as paragraph (6)— Addition of new paragraph (6) to regulation 31.

“(6) Neither sub-paragraph (ii) of paragraph (1) nor paragraph (2) shall apply in the case of an officer selected for appointment to the service of the Government on or after the date of commencement of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953, who, in consequence of his injury, is entitled to compensation under such Ordinance.”


Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
24th November, 1953.

Explanatory Note.

These amendments to the Pensions Regulations are consequential to the enactment of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953, which Ordinance does not come into operation until such date as the Governor shall notify by proclamation in the Gazette.

(Secretariat 7569/45)

PENSIONS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 89).

**THE EDUCATION OFFICERS (SPECIAL CASES)
PENSIONS REGULATIONS, 1953.**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Pensions Ordinance, the Governor in Council, with the sanction of the Secretary of State, has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Education Officers (Special Cases) Pensions Regulations, 1953. Citation.

2. For the purpose of calculating the pensions for which the officers named in the Schedule hereto may be eligible under the Pensions Ordinance in respect of their service under the Government of this Colony, any service of such officers which is pensionable under the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1925, or under any Act amending or replacing the same, shall be deemed to have been service under a "Scheduled Government" as defined in regulation 8 of the Pensions Regulations. Service deemed to have been service under a Scheduled Government. (Cap. 89). (15 & 16 Geo. 5, c. 59) (Vol. IX, p. 6).

3. These regulations shall be deemed to have had effect from the 1st day of January, 1947. Commence-ment.


SCHEDULE

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Coxhead, Geoffrey Shervil.
Cockburn, James Wilfred.
Davis, Sydney George.
Donohue, Peter.
Gray, Evelyn May.
Hearson, Margaret.

Johnston, Hilda Mary.
Lucken, Emma Sarah.
Morahan, Bernard Joseph Burke.
Riddall, Mary Joanna Aline.
Watson, Conrad William.
Williamson, Harry Norman.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
1st December, 1953.


Clerk of Councils.

Approved this 16th day of December, 1953, by resolution of the Legislative Council.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Explanatory Note.

Under the provisions of the Pensions Regulations A and B made under the Pensions Ordinance, 1932, the service of officers of the Education Department which was pensionable under the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1925, was for pension purposes deemed pensionable service in a Scheduled Government. No such provision has been included under the present Pension Regulations made under the new Pensions Ordinance (Cap. 89). The option exercised by an officer who accepted the revised terms of service under the Salaries Revision, 1947, provided that the pension payable to such officer should be governed by the new Pensions Ordinance. It subsequently appeared that certain officers of the Education Department in exercising their option were not aware that in so doing their previous service pensionable under the Teachers (Superannuation) Act, 1925, could no longer be taken into account for pension purposes as service under a Scheduled Government. It is considered in the circumstances that such previous service of these officers should be permitted to be taken into account as service in a Scheduled Government. Regulation 2 of these regulations effects this purpose in respect of the officers specified in the Schedule to these regulations. The regulations are made retrospective to the date of the commencement of the Pensions Ordinance and the Pensions Regulations.

(Secretariat 4370/52)



THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 138).

POISONS (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the Pharmacy Board with the approval of the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Poisons (Amendment) Regulations, 1953, and shall be read as one with the Poisons Regulations. Citation.
(Vol. X,
p. 68).

2. Paragraph (e) of sub-regulation (3) of regulation 11 of the principal regulations is hereby revoked and the following paragraphs added immediately after paragraph (d) thereof—
“*(e)* when the medicine is packed otherwise than in ampoules, indicate the total amount to be supplied, and, except in the case of a preparation which is to be used for external treatment only, the dose to be taken;
(f) when the medicine is packed in ampoules, indicate either the total amount to be supplied or the total amount intended to be administered or injected, and, in either case, the amount intended to be administered or injected in each dose.” Amendment
of para-
graph (e)
of sub-
regulation
(3) of
regulation
11 of the
principal
regulations.

3. The First List to the principal regulations is hereby amended by the addition thereto of the following substances at the end thereof— Amendment
of First
List of the
principal
regulations.
“Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts
Adalin
Alphaprodine; its salts
Amidone; its salts
Antihistaminic agents
Betaprodine; its salts
Carbachol
Di-isopropyl-fluorophosphate
Dihydrocodeine; its salts
Dihydrodesoxymorphine; its salts

THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 138).

POISONS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the Pharmacy Board with the approval of the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Poisons (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1953. Citation.
2. The First List to the Poisons Regulation (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations) is amended by the addition at the end thereof of the following— Amendment of First List. (Vol. X, p. 68).

“Beta-aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts; beta-aminoisopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts.

iso-Nicotinic acid hydrazide; its salts; its derivatives; their salts.”
3. The Second List to the principal regulations is amended by the addition at the end of Group II thereof of the following— Amendment of Second List.

“Beta-aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts; beta-aminoisopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts. Appliances for inhalation in which the poison is absorbed in inert solid material.”
4. The Third List to the principal regulations is amended by the addition at the end thereof of the following— Amendment of Third List.

“Beta-aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts; beta-aminoisopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts.

iso-Nicotinic acid hydrazide; its salts; its derivatives;
their salts."

Made by the Pharmacy Board on the 14th day of September,
1953.


Chairman.

Approved by the Governor in Council this 28th day of
October, 1953.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
28th October, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/3231/49)


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 138).

POISONS LIST (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the
Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the Pharmacy Board with
the approval of the Governor in Council has made the following
regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Poisons List Citation.
(Amendment) Regulations, 1953, and shall be read as one with (Vol. X,
the Poisons List. p. 100).

2. Part I of the Poisons List is hereby amended by the Amendment
addition at the end thereof of the following— of Part I
of the
Poisons
List.

"Acetyldihydrocodeine; its salts

Alphaprodine; its salts

Amidone; its salts

Antihistaminic agents

Betaprodine; its salts

Carbachol

Di-isopropyl-fluorophosphate

Dihydrocodeine; its salts

Dihydrodesoxymorphine; its salts

Flaxedil

4-Hydroxy-N-methylmorphinan

Hydroxypethidine; its salts

Isoamidone; its salts

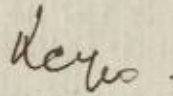
Isonipecaïne (Pethidine); its salts

Ketobemidone; its salts

Mercuric Chloride

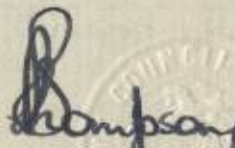
Methadol; its salts
Methadyl Acetate; its salts
Metopon; its salts
Paramethadione
Phenadoxone; its salts
Sodium Monofluoracetate
Tridione
Zinc Phosphide."

Made by the Pharmacy Board on the 10th day of December, 1952.



Chairman.

Approved by the Governor in Council this 17th day of January, 1953.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
17th January, 1953.
(Secretariat 1/3231/49)

THE PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 138).

POISONS LIST (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 18 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the Pharmacy Board with the approval of the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Poisons List (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1953.

Citation.

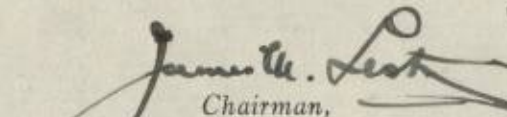
2. Part I of the Poisons List is amended by the addition at the end thereof of the following—

"Beta-aminopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts; beta-aminoisopropylbenzene; its salts; its N-alkyl derivatives; their salts.

Amendment
of Part I.
(Vol. X,
p. 100).

iso-Nicotinic acid hydrazide; its salts; its derivatives; their salts."

Made by the Pharmacy Board on the 14th day of September, 1953.


Chairman,

Approved by the Governor in Council this 28th day of October, 1953.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
28th October, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/3231/49)

PLACES OF PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 172).

FILM CENSORSHIP REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Places of Public Entertainment Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Film Censorship Regulations, 1953.

2. The Governor may by notification in the *Gazette* appoint a panel of censors and make such amendments and additions to the composition thereof as he may deem necessary. The secretary to such panel shall be such person as the Governor may appoint and, in the absence of such appointment, shall be the Government Public Relations Officer.

Appoint-
ment of
panel of
censors.

3. Every film which is intended for exhibition in the Colony shall be shewn prior thereto for the purpose of censorship at the owner's risk and expense at such time and place as the secretary to the panel of censors shall appoint, and the secretary shall appoint one or more members of the panel of censors (which person or persons is hereinafter referred to as the censor) to exercise the duties of censorship hereunder.

Manner of
showing
films for
censoring.

4. At the time when such film is shewn for censoring no person other than the censor shall be present save the operator and such persons as have the special permission of the censor to attend for official purposes or technical reasons.

Persons
who may
attend
censoring.

5. (1) The censor may, either upon viewing or such other evidence as he may consider sufficient—

Powers of
censor.

- (a) refuse to pass a film for exhibition;
- (b) approve exhibition without alteration or excision;
- (c) approve exhibition subject to alterations or excisions and with or without the necessity that the film shall be shewn again for censorship after such alteration or excision has taken place;
- (d) approve exhibition with or without alteration or excision but subject to conditions.



(2) The censor shall, upon request and within four days of such request, give to any aggrieved person short reasons for his decision.

Alterations or excisions.

6. Any alteration or excision which is deemed necessary by the censor may be made by him after notification to the owner or hirer or may be made by the owner or hirer: Provided that any film returned to the owner or hirer for such alteration or excision shall be made available again for purpose of censorship within forty-eight hours and any excluded lengths of film shall be delivered to the censor for retention while the film remains in the Colony: Provided also that no excisions shall be made by the censor except with consent or after the time for appeal under regulation 10 has expired or after any such appeal has been disallowed.

Declarations as to duplicates.

7. (1) The censor and the secretary to the panel of censors are hereby authorized to take a statutory declaration to the effect that a film identified in such declaration is a duplicate, or that films so identified are duplicates, similar in detail, subject-matter, footage and every other way, with a film shewn or to be shewn for censorship.

(2) Any person who makes a statutory declaration under this regulation which is false or incorrect in any material particular shall be liable to a fine of one thousand dollars and imprisonment for six months.

Posters, etc.

8. (1) Every poster, picture or figure and the text of any advertisement used or intended to be used for the purpose of advertising a film exhibited or intended to be exhibited shall be delivered to the censor, or a replica or reproduction thereof shall with his approval be so delivered, and such further information as he may require shall be furnished therewith.

(2) The censor may upon examination of any such poster, picture, figure or text either approve publication thereof or refuse to pass it for publication.

Official mark.

9. (1) The secretary to the panel of censors is hereby authorized to adopt, and at his discretion to change or amend where desirable, a censorship mark which shall be *prima facie* evidence that a film, poster, picture or figure in connexion with which or upon which it is displayed has been censored and approved in accordance with these regulations.

(2) Any person who displays the censorship mark or a mark calculated to be mistaken for the censorship mark in connexion with a film or in connexion with a poster, picture or figure used or to be used for advertisement of a film without the authority of the censor shall be liable to a fine of one thousand dollars and imprisonment for six months.

10. (1) Any owner or hirer of a film, poster, picture or figure who is aggrieved by a decision of the censor under these regulations shall upon notice in writing delivered to the censor within twenty-eight days of such decision stating the grounds of such appeal be entitled to appeal to a board of review consisting of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Director of Education, the Commissioner of Police and such other persons as may from time to time be nominated by the Governor.

Appeal by owner or hirer.

(2) Three members of the board of review shall form a quorum.

(3) The Secretary for Chinese Affairs shall be *ex officio* the Chairman of the board of review, but in the event of his absence from any meeting of the Board, the members present shall appoint any other of its members as chairman. The Chairman shall have a deliberative and a casting vote.

(4) The board of review shall have all the powers of the censor under these regulations and their decision shall upon promulgation supersede that of the censor in the matter under review.

11. (1) Any person whatsoever who upon moral, religious, educational or other grounds is of opinion that a film exhibited, or advertised to be exhibited, should not be so exhibited or continue to be so exhibited may by notice in writing to the Colonial Secretary stating the grounds of such opinion request that such film shall be reviewed by the Board of review referred to in regulation 10. If such film has not previously been referred to such board by way of appeal and adjudicated upon by them, the Colonial Secretary if he thinks fit and subject to such conditions as he may think fit (including a condition that the applicant pay or give security for the cost of showing such film for censorship) may order that the film shall be reviewed by the board of review. The Colonial Secretary may, if he thinks fit, further order that such film shall not be exhibited or continue to be exhibited, as the case may be, until it has been so reviewed. Upon review the board shall have all the powers of the censor

Request for review by other persons.

under these regulations and their decision shall upon promulgation supersede the decision (if any) of the censor in the matter under review.

(2) Any person who contravenes an order made under sub-regulation (1) that a film shall not be exhibited or continue to be exhibited shall be liable to a fine of one thousand dollars and imprisonment for six months.

Revocation of approval.

12. The board of review shall have full discretion to revoke any approval given under these regulations.

Fees. Schedule.

13. (1) There shall be paid to the secretary to the panel of censors the fees specified in the schedule hereto in respect of the matters therein stated.

(2) The board of review may direct that any fees payable on review by such board be remitted in whole or in part.

Rescission of censorship provisions in the Places of Public Entertainment Regulations. (Vol. X, p. 289). (G.N. A87/52).

14. Regulations 172 to 176 of the Places of Public Entertainment Regulations, as renumbered by the Places of Public Entertainment (Amendment) Regulations, 1952, are rescinded together with the words "CENSORING OF CINEMATOGRAPH AND POSTERS AND" in the title to Part VI of such regulations as so renumbered.

SCHEDULE OF FEES.

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	(1) Matter	(2) Fee
1.	On film being shown for censorship	
	(a) short reel or trailer of three hundred feet or less	\$ 3.90
	(b) short reel or trailer exceeding three hundred feet but not exceeding five hundred feet	6.00
	(c) reel exceeding five hundred feet but not exceeding one thousand feet	12.00
	(d) reel exceeding one thousand feet	1.50 per 100 feet or part thereof.
2.	On review by board of review	\$ 3.00 per 100 feet or part thereof with a minimum fee of \$25.00 per reel.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
24th November, 1953.


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Clerk of Councils.

Explanatory Note.

(This Note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport).

The existing regulations governing censorship of films permit censorship of films by a board consisting of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Director of Education and the Commissioner of Police, by a member of such board, or by someone authorized by such board. Censors have in fact been appointed by such board from an official panel.

Those regulations are now rescinded and replaced by these new regulations which provide that the board, which will consist of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Director of Education and the Commissioner of Police, and any other persons nominated by the Governor, will solely act in appeals, and that a secretary to the panel of censors will appoint a member of the panel to perform the duties of censorship.

It is further provided that an aggrieved exhibitor can appeal to the board from any decision of the censor and also that any person who upon moral, religious, educational or other grounds is of opinion that a particular film should not be exhibited may represent to the Colonial Secretary that reference should be made to the board.

The censorship fees which have remained the same since 1946 are revised as set out in the schedule.

(Secretariat 3/516/46)

POLICE FORCE ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 232).

POLICE (WELFARE FUND) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Police Force Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police (Welfare Fund) Regulations, 1953. Citation.

2. (1) All monies due to the Police Welfare Fund (referred to herein as the Fund) as prescribed by section 34 of the Ordinance shall immediately be paid in full to the Accountant General who shall credit them to an account entitled "Deposits—Police Welfare Fund". Maintenance of Fund.

(2) When any illegal gratification offered to a police officer and confiscated by an order of court is in a form other than money or negotiable security and is a saleable commodity, it shall be sold under the direction of the Commissioner and the proceeds of the sale shall be paid to the Accountant General and credited by him to the account "Deposits—Police Welfare Fund".

(3) The payment of all sums made by a court to the Fund shall be notified to the Commissioner by the responsible officer of the court at the time payment is made.

(4) The Accountant General shall render to the Commissioner before the 10th day of each month a return showing all transactions of the Fund in his accounts during the previous month.

3. All sums considered by the Commissioner to be surplus to the normal requirements of the Fund shall on his request be invested by the Accountant General in Hong Kong Government stocks or shall be remitted to the Crown Agents for investment in such securities as are permitted for the investment of Colonial Government funds. The interest or dividends received on account of such investments shall be credited to the Account "Deposits—Police Welfare Fund". Investment.

Valuation of investments.

4. All investments of the Fund shall be valued at the middle market price in London on the 31st March in each year, and the balance of the Fund on that date shall be increased or decreased as may be required in accordance with such valuation.

Realization of investments.

5. Should at any time the uninvested portion of the Fund fall below a figure which in the opinion of the Commissioner is the minimum necessary for the normal requirements of the Fund, he shall request the Accountant General to sell on the local market or in London such part of the Fund's investments as will together with the existing uninvested portion provide an adequate working balance.

Temporary advances to the Fund.

6. Pending the realization of the proceeds of sale of any investments as mentioned in regulation 5, the Accountant General may with the prior approval of the Financial Secretary advance to the Fund such sum or sums as may be considered necessary for the proper administration of the Fund, and will recover any advance so made from the proceeds of the sale of the investments as soon as they are received. Interest will be charged on any such advances at the rate earned by Government on its main current account with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation or on its deposits in the Joint Colonial Fund, whichever is the higher.

Certification of advances.

7. All vouchers submitted to the Accountant General in respect of payments to be made out of the Fund shall either be certified personally by the Commissioner or shall have attached to them certified true copies of the Commissioner's approval for each withdrawal. In the latter event the certificates and vouchers may be signed by an officer so authorized by the Commissioner. The Accountant General will pay only on the authority of the Commissioner as indicated above and shall be advised of the name of any officer authorized by the Commissioner to sign on his behalf.

Loans by Fund.

8. When a loan is granted to a police officer or a retired police officer under the authority of section 34 (3) (c) of the Ordinance, it will normally be subject to the following conditions—

- (a) it shall be repaid in such monthly instalments as the Commissioner may in his discretion specify, save that the number of monthly instalments shall not exceed twenty-four;

Upon default in one instalment the whole balance outstanding shall immediately become due;

(b) it shall be limited to a maximum sum calculated as follows—

- (i) Where an officer has not yet qualified by length of service for a gratuity or pension, — four months salary;
- (ii) where an officer has qualified by length of service for gratuity but not a pension, — the amount of the gratuity for which he has become eligible;
- (iii) where an officer has qualified by length of service for a pension, — a sum equal to one year's hypothetical pension calculated on his length of service and existing salary;
- (iv) where an officer is already on pension, — a sum equal to one year's pension;

(c) whenever it shall be necessary to recover the amount of a loan it shall be deemed to be an amount due to a department of Government.

9. Detailed accounts of the Fund shall be maintained by the accountant of the police force, and shall show the amounts received under each of the heads of revenue set out in section 34 of the Ordinance, together with all sums received in repayment of loans and interest thereon, interest or dividends on investments and all sums received on account of sales of investments. All disbursements shall be recorded under the following headings—

- (a) rewards to police officers for extra services rendered by them;
- (b) comforts, convenience or other advantages not chargeable to the public revenue, subdivided into—
 - (i) purchase of sports gear and clothing;
 - (ii) expenses incurred on the maintenance or improvement of playing fields;
 - (iii) transport expenses of police teams or police officers taking part in organized sports;
 - (iv) grants or assistance to police clubs, canteens or recreation rooms;
 - (v) books, magazines and other periodicals;

Accounting details.

- (vi) educational expenses;
 - (vii) entertainment expenses;
 - (viii) medical and dental attention not covered by the Government medical services;
 - (ix) grants on death of serving police or pensioners;
 - (x) other suitable purposes under this heading;
- (c) loans to police officers.
- (d) purchase of securities in accordance with regulation 3.

Duties of accountant audit.

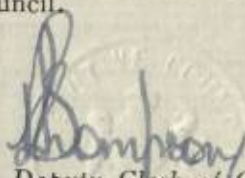
10. The Accountant General will keep the accountant of the police force informed of all transactions on account of the Fund's investments and the latter will balance his accounts monthly and reconcile them with the deposit account maintained by the Accountant General. The accounts will be subject to periodical audit by the Director of Audit.

Annual accounts.

11. As soon as possible after the 31st March in each year the accountant of the police force, will prepare a receipts and payments account covering the transactions of the Fund for the year ended on the previous 31st March, together with a balance sheet showing the state of the Fund as at the same date. The total receipts and payments of the Fund for the year shall be summarized in the former under the various headings set out in regulation 9. The balance sheet shall show the value of the Fund as on the 1st April in the preceding year, the excess of receipts over payments or payments over receipts for the year together with the appreciation or depreciation in the valuation of the Fund's investments, the total value of the Fund, the cash balance of the Fund and the market value of investments. There shall be attached to the Balance Sheet a detailed statement of investments held by the Fund at that date showing purchase price nominal value and current market value in each case.

Tabling.

12. After examination by the Director of Audit, the Balance Sheet Statement of receipts and payments, showing the opening and closing balances, and Statement of outstanding loans, shall be laid before the Legislative Council.


 Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
 8th January, 1953.
 (Secretariat 56/2524/45)

POLICE FORCE ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 232).

POLICE (WELFARE FUND) (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Police Force Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police (Welfare Fund) (Amendment) Regulations, 1953.


2. Regulation 7 of the Police (Welfare Fund) Regulations, 1953, (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations) is amended by the deletion from the third line of the word "personally".

Amendment of regulation 7 (G.N.A. 8/53).

3. The principal regulations are amended by the addition after regulation 9 of the following new regulation—

Addition of new regulation 9A.

"9A. Upon a recommendation of the Commissioner the Financial Secretary may authorize the writing off of any asset or any debt due to the Fund which he considers irrecoverable : Provided that any such write-off shall take effect for the purpose of accounting records alone and shall not extinguish any right of the Fund to recovery of any such asset or debt."


 Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
 25th September, 1953.

Explanatory Note.

Amendments early this year to the Police Force Ordinance provide that the Deputy Commissioner may in certain circumstances act for the Commissioner. Regulation 2 of these amendments has the effect of ensuring that this provision shall extend to the Welfare Fund Regulations.

Provision is also made that the Financial Secretary may in proper cases authorize the writing off of irrecoverable items in the welfare fund.

(Secretariat 56/2524/45)

POLICE RESERVE ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 233)

POLICE RESERVE (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Police Reserve Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police Reserve Citation. (Amendment) Regulations, 1953.

2. Regulation 9 of the Police Reserve Regulations (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations) is amended by the deletion of sub-regulations (1), (2) and (3) thereof and the substitution therefor of the following—

Amendment
of
regulation
9.
(Vol. XI,
p. 156).

“(1) A member of the Reserve when called out for active service under paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 11 of the Ordinance for any purpose connected with the peace and good order of the Colony shall receive the pay and allowances appropriate to his rank at the rates prescribed in the Reserve Pay Code.

(2) A member of the Reserve when called out for active service under paragraph (b) of subsection (1) of section 11 of the Ordinance for the purpose of training shall receive pay and allowances not less than the minimum of the scale which applies to a police officer of equivalent rank in the police force constituted under the Police Force Ordinance.

(Cap. 232).

(3) A member of the Reserve when in training shall receive pay and allowances at the same rates as he would be eligible to receive when called out for active service for the purpose of training.”

3. The principal regulations are amended by the deletion of the words “while called out for active service” in the first and second lines of sub-regulation (1) of regulation 10 and in the seventh line of sub-regulation (1) of regulation 11.

Amendment
of regula-
tions 10
and 11.

Amendment
of
regulation
14.

4. Regulation 14 of the principal regulations is amended by the addition of the following definition after the definition of "Reserve"—

"Reserve Pay Code" means the British Pay Code and Allowance Regulations applicable to the Army from time to time: Provided that in giving effect to this interpretation—

- (a) no member of the Reserve shall be deemed to be locally domiciled;
- (b) the ranks of members of the Reserve shall be deemed to correspond to ranks in the Army in the manner specified in the Schedule hereto."

Addition
of a
Schedule.

5. The principal regulations are amended by the addition after regulation 14 of the following Schedule—

"SCHEDULE. [reg. 14.]

Correspondence of ranks of members of the Reserve to ranks in the Army.

Constable	= Private
Corporal	= Corporal
Sergeant	= Sergeant
Sub-Inspector	= Second Lieutenant
Assistant Superintendent of Police	= Captain
Superintendent of Police	= Major
Senior Superintendent of Police	= Lieutenant-Colonel".

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
13th January, 1953.

Explanatory Note.

Heretofore, the pay and allowances which members of the Police Reserve were eligible to receive have been equated to Police Force rates, and not to the rate applicable to the Royal Hong Kong Defence Force and the Essential Services Corps. This is now felt to be inequitable, and the effect of these regulations is to make members of the Reserve eligible to receive the same rates of pay and allowances when called out for active service for a purpose connected with the peace and good order of the Colony as other members of the emergency services would be eligible to receive under the same circumstances.

(Secretariat 2/2761/47)

THE POLICE RESERVE ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 233).

POLICE RESERVE (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Police Reserve Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police Reserve Citation. (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1953.

2. The Schedule to the Police Reserve Regulations is amended by the insertion after the words "Sub-Inspector = Second Lieutenant" of the following—

Amendment
of the
Schedule.
(Vol. XI,
p. 156).

"Inspector = Lieutenant".

Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
10th February, 1953.

(Secretariat 2/2761/47).

PRISONS ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 234).

PRISON (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 20 of the Prisons Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following rules—

1. These rules may be cited as the Prison (Amendment) Citation, Rules, 1953.
2. Rule 316 of the Prison Rules published on pages 181 to 257 of the Regulations of Hong Kong 1844-1925 (hereinafter referred to as the principal rules) is amended by the addition thereto after sub-rule (7) of the following—
“(8) deprivation of earnings for a period not exceeding seven days.”
Amendment of rule 316. (Cap. 234).
3. Rule 317 of the principal rules is amended by the addition thereto after paragraph (d) of the following—
“(e) deprivation of earnings or part thereof.”
Amendment of rule 317.
4. Rule 334 of the principal rules is rescinded.
Rescission of rule 334.
5. These rules shall come into force on 1st May, 1953.
Commencement.


French.
Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
20th April, 1953.
(Secretariat 18/2856/48)

Explanatory Note.

An earnings scheme is being introduced in the prisons on 1st May, 1953. The effect of rules 2 and 3 is to add deprivation of earnings to the penalties which may be imposed for certain disciplinary offences. Rule 317 of the principal Rules, which is to be rescinded by rule 4, deals with the system of gratuities on discharge which is to be superseded by the earnings scheme.

**PROTECTION OF WOMEN AND JUVENILES
ORDINANCE, 1951.**

Notification by the Governor in Council.

PLACES OF REFUGE.

It is hereby notified that pursuant to section 2 of the Protection of Women and Juveniles Ordinance, 1951, the Governor in Council has declared the undermentioned place to be a place in which females, young persons or children or any of them may be detained for the purposes of, or pursuant to powers contained in, the said Ordinance, namely—

The Good Shepherd Sisters' Home.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
5th March, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/5091/51)

PUBLIC HEALTH (FOOD) ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 140).

MARKETS (AMENDMENT) BY-LAWS, 1953.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, the Urban Council has made the following by-laws—

1. These by-laws may be cited as the Markets (Amendment) Citation. By-laws, 1953.

2. By-law 1 of the Markets By-laws is amended by the addition of—


Amendment
of by-law 1.
(Vol. X,
p. 147).

- (a) "Bridges Street Market." immediately above the words "Central Market."; and
- (b) "Cheung Sha Wan Market." immediately above the words "Fa Yuen Market.".

Made by the Urban Council this 22nd day of April, 1953.

Secretary, Urban Council.

Approved by the Legislative Council this 20th day of May, 1953.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
20th May, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/3531/46)

PUBLIC HEALTH (FOOD) ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 140).

MARKETS (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2) BY-LAWS, 1953.

In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, the Urban Council has made the following by-laws—

1. These by-laws may be cited as the Markets (Amendment) (No. 2) By-laws, 1953. Citation.

2. By-law 1 of the Markets By-laws is amended by the addition of the following immediately above the words "Wanchai Market"— Amendment of by-law 1. (Vol. X, p. 147).

"Wai Man Village Market, Lai Chi Kok."

Made by the Urban Council this 25th day of August, 1953.

T. S. Whitley

Secretary.

Approved by the Legislative Council this 9th day of September, 1953.

R. Thompson

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
9th September, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/3531/46)



PUBLIC HEALTH (FOOD) ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 140).

**DISEASE PREVENTION (FOOD AND DRINKS) (AMENDMENT)
BY-LAWS, 1953.**

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Public Health (Food) Ordinance, the Urban Council has made the following by-laws—

1. These by-laws may be cited as the Disease Prevention Citation. (Food and Drinks) (Amendment) By-laws, 1953.

2. By-law 2 of the Disease Prevention (Food and Drinks) By-laws, hereinafter referred to as the principal by-laws, is amended by the deletion of—

Amendment
of by-law
2.
(Vol. X,
p. 174).

(a) the word "non-aerated" in the penultimate line thereof and the substitution therefor of the word "non-carbonated";

(b) the full-stop at the end thereof and the addition after the word "used" of the following—

"or any carbonated or non-carbonated drinks for immediate consumption in or near any premises which are not licensed under the Restaurants and Food Stalls By-laws."

(Vol. X,
p. 157).

3. Paragraph (2) of by-law 4 of the principal by-laws is amended—

Amendment
of
paragraph
(2) of
by-law 4.

(a) by the deletion of item (d) thereof and the substitution therefor of the following—

"(d) Carbonated drinks \$10.00;";

(b) by the addition immediately below item (d) of the following—

"(e) Non-carbonated drinks \$10.00."

4. By-law 8 of the principal by-laws is amended by the deletion of—

Amendment
of by-law
8.

(a) the words "inoculation against cholera" in the fifth and sixth lines thereof and the substitution therefor of the following—

"inoculations against cholera, typhoid fever and paratyphoid fever";

(b) the marginal note and the substitution therefor of the following—

“Inoculations against cholera, typhoid fever and paratyphoid fever.”.

Addition of new by-law.

5. The principal by-laws are amended by the addition of the following immediately after by-law 9—

“By-laws 3, 5 and 6 to remain in abeyance unless brought into force.”

9A. By-laws 3, 5 and 6 shall be in abeyance unless at any time the Urban Council, with the advice of the Deputy Director of Health Services, determines and declares that an occasion exists which, for the prevention as far as possible of any epidemic, endemic, infectious or contagious disease, necessitates them being brought into force, and thereupon and on publication of such declaration in the *Gazette*, and so long as any such declaration shall subsist, by-laws 3, 5 and 6 shall be in force in the district or districts to which they are or may be applied.”.

Made by the Urban Council this 25th day of August, 1953.

T. S. Whitley
Secretary.

Approved by the Legislative Council this 26th day of August, 1953.



COUNCIL CHAMBER,
26th August, 1953.

Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Explanatory Note.

These by-laws contain 3 separate measures.

The first of these, covered by by-laws 2 and 3, requires the issue of, and prescribes fees for, a permit by the Council to allow the sale of ‘carbonated and non-carbonated’ drinks (the modern terms for ‘aerated’ and ‘non-aerated’ waters) by establishments not licensed under the Restaurants and Food Stalls By-laws. This measure is intended to allow control to be exercised over small shops and stalls which at present sell such drinks to the public.

The second measure, covered by by-law 4, prescribes the compulsory inoculation against typhoid fever and paratyphoid fever, in addition to cholera, of all persons engaged in the handling of food for the public. Recently there has been an increase in the number of typhoid fever and paratyphoid fever cases and it is considered necessary to provide for compulsory inoculation against these diseases.

The last measure, covered by by-law 5, is to give the Council the discretion of enforcing certain by-laws prohibiting the collection and sale of certain types of shell fish. The present position is that the Council has no such discretion but, if there is no epidemic prevalent in the Colony, it is considered unnecessary for such a prohibition to remain in force.

(Secretariat 15/3231/48)

**PUBLIC RECLAMATIONS AND WORKS (KENNEDY TOWN)
ORDINANCE, 1952.
(Ordinance 30 of 1952).**

DEFINITIVE APPROVAL FOR RECLAMATION 1 (IN MODIFIED FORM).

It is hereby notified that the Governor in Council in pursuance of section 5 (4) of the Public Reclamations Validation and Clauses Ordinance, 1936, has given definitive approval to the undertaking referred to as Reclamation 1 in the Schedule to the Public Reclamations and Works (Kennedy Town) Ordinance, 1952, modified in accordance with the description and area specified below.

*Description of Undertaking and Area
intended to be occupied.*

A reclamation, with necessary ancillary works, of an area of approximately 1.33 acres of Crown foreshore and sea bed at the end of the existing sea wall at Kennedy Town, bounded on the south by Victoria Road or Crown land adjacent thereto, on the west and north by the harbour, and on the east by Crown land already reclaimed, the limits and extent of such reclamation being shown and delineated in red on a plan numbered P1186B signed by the Acting Director of Public Works and deposited in the Land Office.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
5th May, 1953.
(Secretariat 1/3151/52)


French
Clerk of Councils.

HONG KONG

RATING ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 116).

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8(b) of the Rating Ordinance, the Governor in Council directs that the existing valuation of tenements in the Island of Hong Kong together with Aplichau and Middle Islands and in Kowloon and New Kowloon should be adopted in whole as the valuation for the fiscal year 1953-1954.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
16th January, 1953.

(Secretariat 31/2301/47)



THE RATING ORDINANCE (CAP. 116)

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8(b) of the Rating Ordinance (Cap. 116), the Governor in Council has adopted wholly, as the valuation for the year commencing on the 1st April, 1953, the existing valuation of the rateable tenements in the New Territories other than New Kowloon.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
9th March, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/3241/46c.)

RATING ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 116).

RATING (UNIVERSITY RESIDENCES) (EXEMPTION) ORDER, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 40 of the Rating Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following Order.

1. This Order may be cited as the Rating (University Residences) (Exemption) Order, 1953, and shall be deemed to have been effective from the 1st October, 1952.

2. In addition to the provisions of the Rating Exemption Orders, it is authorized that the tenements specified in the Schedule hereto shall be totally exempted from assessment for rates during such periods as they are used as residences by the staff of the University of Hong Kong.


Further exemption of university residences. (Vol. IX, p. 390).

SCHEDULE.

94 Pokfulam Road.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
3rd July, 1953.

(Secretariat 5/2306/53)


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RESOLUTION.

Resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council on the twentieth day of May, 1953.

WHEREAS on the 20th day of July, 1949, this Honourable Council by Resolution made certain provision regarding the retention and operation of the Revenue Reward Fund, hereinafter called the Fund:

AND WHEREAS it has now become expedient to make further or better provision regarding the continuance and operation of the Fund:

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED as follows—

- A. THAT the Fund shall continue in existence and shall be operated in accordance with the following provisions—
1. (a) In this Resolution, unless the context otherwise requires, "contraband" means any goods liable to forfeiture under the provisions of—
 - (i) the Importation and Exportation Ordinance, Chapter 50;
 - (ii) the Dutiable Commodities Ordinance, Chapter 109;
 - (iii) the Emergency Regulations Ordinance, Chapter 241; or
 - (iv) the Defence Regulations, 1940, or any subsidiary legislation made thereunder.
 - (b) All proceeds of sale of contraband ordered to be forfeited and all fines inflicted for offences under the Dutiable Commodities Ordinance, Chapter 109, or any subsidiary legislation made thereunder shall continue to be paid as heretofore into the Fund.
 - (c) Rewards for information leading to the seizure of contraband may be paid to informers who have given such information in cases where—
 - (i) such contraband has been ordered to be forfeited; or
 - (ii) any person has been convicted of an offence in relation to such contraband.



2. Rewards paid under sub-paragraph (c) of paragraph 1 of clause A shall not in any one case exceed—
 - (a) the sum of \$250.00 without the consent of the Financial Secretary;
 - (b) the sum of \$10,000.00 without the consent of the Standing Finance Committee of this Honourable Council :

PROVIDED HOWEVER that in any application to the Financial Secretary or to such Standing Finance Committee under this paragraph it shall not be necessary to disclose the name of any informer.

3. In cases where forfeited contraband is issued to a Government department for use or consumption the estimated value of such contraband shall be debited to the appropriate departmental vote and credited to the Fund, and that the annual audited statement of the Fund shall be so drawn up as to distinguish clearly between the proceeds of sales and the credits arising from issues to such departments.

B. THAT the aforesaid Resolution of the 20th day of July, 1949, shall be superseded.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
20th May, 1953.

(Secretariat 8/2311/49c)

THE SOCIETIES ORDINANCE

(Chapter 151).

Resolved, pursuant to section 26 of the Societies Ordinance, Chapter 151, that the duration of the said Ordinance be extended for the term of one year with effect from the 1st January, 1954.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
16th December, 1953.

(Secretariat 37/3251/47)

SUMMARY OFFENCES ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 228).

THE SUMMARY OFFENCES (LICENCES AND FEES) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 36 of the Summary Offences Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Summary Offences (Licences and Fees) Regulations, 1953.

2. For the purposes of section 9 of the Ordinance—

Licences
and fees.
(Cap. 228).

- (a) the Director of Public Works shall be the lawful authority to grant licences or permits for the occupation or continued occupation of Crown land in Hong Kong, Kowloon and New Kowloon for the purposes stated in the first column of the First Schedule in localities mentioned in the second column thereof and the fees stated in the third column shall be the fees payable to such lawful authority for the area and period mentioned therein;
- (b) the District Commissioner, New Territories, shall be the lawful authority to grant licences or permits for the occupation or continued occupation of Crown land in the New Territories, excluding New Kowloon, for the purposes stated in the first column of the Second Schedule and the fees stated in the second column thereof shall be the fees payable to such lawful authority for the purposes or area and period mentioned therein.

**HONG KONG, KOWLOON AND NEW KOWLOON
FIRST SCHEDULE.**

Description	Locality	Fee
		<i>Rate per square foot per month.</i>
<i>Advertisement Hoardings</i>		Assessed according to particular locality.
<i>Bean sprouting areas</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	\$1,800.00 p.a. p.a.
<i>Boat Building Yards</i>	Hong Kong Victoria Kennedy Town North Point	\$1,300.00 p.a. p.a.
	Shaukiwan	
	Rest of Island	\$700.00 p.a. p.a.
	Kowloon	\$1,300.00 p.a. p.a.
	New Kowloon (excepting Ngau Chi Wan)	\$1,300.00 p.a. p.a.
	Ngai Chi Wan	\$350.00 p.a. p.a.
<i>Cultivation</i>	(1) Hong Kong	\$250.00 p.a. p.a.
	(2) Kowloon	\$250.00 p.a. p.a.
	(3) New Kowloon	\$150.00 p.a. p.a.
<i>Drying Grounds</i>		Half storage rate of district.
<i>Factories</i>	Soy Factories on Crown Land	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon
	Factories & Buildings on agricultural Lots for Industrial Purposes	
		Half storage rates of the district.
		\$1,800.00 p.a. p.a.
<i>Filling Stations & Pumps</i>	Central Town 2 pumps	\$1,600.00
	" 1 pump	\$1,300.00
	Town 2 pumps	\$1,050.00
	" 1 pump	\$ 750.00
	Suburb 2 pumps	\$ 750.00
	" 1 pump	\$ 550.00
	Country 2 pumps	\$ 425.00
" 1 pump	\$ 325.00	
<i>Garages (Private)</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	
	300 sq. ft. and under	\$20.00 p.a.
	over 300 sq. ft. and under 500 sq. ft.	\$40.00 p.a.
	over 500 sq. ft. and under 600 " "	\$45.00 p.a.
	over 600 sq. ft. and under 700 " "	} Storage Rates of district as per Public garage.
	over 700 sq. ft. and under 800 " "	
over 800 sq. ft. and under 900 " "		
<i>Garages (Public)</i>	Any part of Hong Kong, Kowloon and New Kowloon.	Storage rate of Locality.
<i>Gardens (Pleasure)</i>	(1) Hong Kong	} Half zone Crown Rent.
	(2) Kowloon	
	(3) New Kowloon	

Description	Locality	Fee	
		<i>Rate per square foot per month.</i>	
<i>Grass Growing</i>	Hong Kong (Pokfulum area) New Kowloon (Diamond Hill)	} \$60.00 p.a. p.a.	
<i>Houses (Govt. owned)</i>			Based on valuation.
<i>House (Privately owned)</i>	Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon	\$5.00 per 100 sq. ft.	
<i>Intake & Pipelines</i>	Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.		
	(a) Flushing & domestic		
	No. of Houses served.	Fee per house.	Total permit fee.
	1	\$36.00 p.a.	\$36.00 p.a.
	2	30.00 p.a.	60.00 p.a.
	3	24.00 p.a.	72.00 p.a.
	4	20.00 p.a.	80.00 p.a.
	5	18.00 p.a.	90.00 p.a.
		and thereafter at the rate of \$18.00 per house per annum.	
	(b) Agriculture		\$12.00 p.a.
(c) Industrial		No fixed rate but minimum of \$60.00 p.a.	
<i>Magazines</i>	Whole of Hong Kong Kowloon & New Kowloon	} \$10.00 p.a.	
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.		
	(1) Approach Roads.	\$20.00 p.a.	
	(2) Bridges.	" "	
	(3) Buttresses.	" "	
	(4) Diving Platforms.	" "	
	(5) Dolphins.	" "	
	(6) Fence Walls.	" "	
	(7) Footpaths.	" "	
	(8) Manholes, Sumps & Drainage Traps.	" "	
	(9) Mooring Rafts.	" "	
	(10) Pagodas.	" "	
	(11) Porches.	" "	
	(12) Pumphouses, filters.	" "	
	(13) Ramps & Terraces.	" "	
	(14) Reservoirs, cattle pools.	" "	
	(15) Retaining Walls.	" "	
	(16) Right-of-way.	" "	
	(17) Steps & Lanes.	" "	
	(18) Storage Tanks.	" "	
	(19) Summer houses.	" "	
	(20) Tanks, washing, septic.	" "	
	(21) Temples & Shrines.	" "	
	(22) Verandahs.	" "	
(23) Wells.	" "		

Description	Locality	Fee
		<i>Rate per square foot per month.</i>
<i>Piers</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	Special assessment.
<i>Playgrounds</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	
	Public	Free.
	Charitable Institutions & Welfare Organizations	Nominal fee. \$10.00 p.a.
	Private	\$250.00 p.a.
<i>Quarries</i>	Stone	Variable rates depending on area, situation quality and quantity of stone.
<i>Sheds, Structures Etc.</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	
	(1) Chicken runs	} \$5.00 per 100 sq. ft. minimum annual fee of \$25.00 p.a.
	(2) Dwelling sheds	
	(3) Goat sheds	
	(4) Pigstyes	} (On cultivation areas where permitted minimum fee per structure \$10.00 per annum).
	(5) Poultry sheds	
	(6) Rope Walks	
	(7) Watchman's shed	
<i>Slipways</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	Half cent per sq. ft. per month.
<i>Storage</i>		
Including:—	(1) HONG KONG	
Blacksmith stores	(a) City limits excepting Causeway Bay	6½ cents
Builders stores	(b) Causeway Bay & North Point	4 cents
Carpenter stores	(c) Kennedy Town	4 cents
Contractor stores	(d) Shaukiwan	3 cents
Dyeworks	(e) Aberdeen	2 cents
Kiosks & Tea sheds	(f) Aplichau	1 cent
Marine stores	(g) Pokfulam	½ cent
Poultry laans	(h) Stanley	½ cent
Sawmills	(i) Remainder of Island	½ cent
Shops	(2) KOWLOON	
Tanneries	(a) Tsimshatsui (East)	4 cents
Timber stores.	(b) Tsimshatsui (West)	6 cents
	(c) Yaumati (from Jordan Rd. to Prince Edward Rd., outside Tai Kok Tsui District)	4½ cents
	(d) Tai Kok Tsui District	4 cents
	(e) Hung Hom	4 cents
	(f) Ma Tau Wai	3 cents
	(g) Ma Tau Kok	4 cents

Description	Locality	Fee
		<i>Rate per square foot per month.</i>
	(3) NEW KOWLOON	
	(a) Shamshuipo (North of Boundary Street).	
	(1) East of Nullah at Tonkin Street to Yen Chau Street	2½ cents
	(2) Yen Chau Street to Boundary Street	2 cents
	(b) Cheung Sha Wan	2 cents
	(c) Lai Chi Kok	1½ cents
	(d) Kowloon City & Surrounding areas including Diamond Hill	2 cents
	(e) Ngau Chi Wan	} ½ cent
	(f) Ngau Tau Kok	
	(g) Lyemun	
<i>Theatres</i>	Theatrical performances circus and amusement parks (usually on a monthly basis, or for short terms).	Special rates. Storage rates but not less than \$100.00 per month.
<i>Utilities</i>		
<i>Electric Cables</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	} Free of charge.
<i>Telephone Poles and Cables</i>		
<i>Underground Cables</i>		
<i>Transformer</i>	Whole of Hong Kong, Kowloon & New Kowloon.	} \$10.00 p.a.
<i>Switch Pillars</i>		
<i>Feeder Pillars</i>		

**NEW TERRITORIES EXCLUDING NEW KOWLOON
SECOND SCHEDULE.**

Purpose	Fee
<i>Bathing Sheds</i>	\$50—\$250 per season depending on condition.
<i>Boat Building Yards</i>	\$200 per acre p.a.
<i>Cable</i> Electric, telephone, or underground	Free of charge.
<i>Cultivation</i>	\$8.00 per acre p.a.
<i>Filling Stations & Pumps</i>	1 pump \$325.00 p.a. 2 pmps \$425.00 p.a.
<i>Forestry Plantations</i>	20 cents per acre ^{or} part thereof per annum; minimum fee \$1.00.

Purpose	Fee
<i>Garages (private)</i>	\$10.00 p.a.
<i>Gardens (pleasure)</i>	\$100—\$500 per acre p.a. depending on situation.
<i>Intake & Pipelines</i>	\$15.00 p.a.
<i>Magazines</i>	\$ 1.00 p.a.
<i>Miscellaneous</i>	
Chai Tongs	\$ 1.00 p.a.
Latrines	\$ 1.00 p.a.
Pumphouses	\$15.00 p.a.
Roads	\$ 1.00 p.a.
Septic tanks	\$ 1.00 p.a.
Storage tanks	\$10.00 p.a.
Walls	\$ 1.00 p.a.
Water-wheels	\$ 2.00 p.a.
Wells	\$ 1.00 p.a.
<i>Piers</i>	Special Assessment.
<i>Playgrounds</i>	\$ 1.00 p.a.
<i>Quarries</i>	\$50—\$100 per month depending on situation and purpose for which required.
<i>Signboards & Hoardings</i>	10 cents per sq. ft. per month.
<i>Storage</i>	\$100—\$500 per acre p.a. depending on situation.
<i>Structures (other than bathing sheds)</i>	\$1.00 per 100 sq. ft. p.a.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
14th May, 1953.

(Secretariat 27/3181/47)

SUMMER TIME ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 152).

ORDER BY THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL
(Under Section 2 (1) of the Ordinance).

It is hereby ordered that Summer Time shall be observed as from 3.30 a.m. Standard Time on Sunday, the 5th April, 1953, and shall cease to be observed as from 3.30 a.m. Standard Time on Sunday, the 1st November, 1953.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
10th March, 1953.

(Secretariat 3/3799/45)

TELECOMMUNICATION ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 106).

RADIOCOMMUNICATION (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 31 of the Telecommunication Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Radiocommunication (Amendment) Regulations, 1953. Citation.

2. Regulation 2 of the Radiocommunication Regulations (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations) is amended by the addition at the end thereof of the following— Amendment of regulation 2. (Vol. IX, p. 216).

“(k) limited radio (teletype) receiving licence.”

3. Regulation 15 of the principal regulations is amended by the addition after the item “Limited receiving and publishing radio station” in the table of licence fees in sub-regulation (1) of the following— Amendment of regulation 15.

“Limited radio (teletype) receiving \$150 1st January annually.”

4. The forms in the principal regulations are amended by the addition after Form 4 of the following new form— Addition of new Form 4A.

“FORM 4A.

TELECOMMUNICATION ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 106 of the Revised Edition).

Limited Radio (Teletype) Receiving Licence.

.....
(name in full)

of
(address in full)

Address of station

This licence authorizes the licensee to receive by teletype wireless press messages from for publication in the until the 31st day of December, 19 subject to the conditions set forth hereon.

Dated this day of 19.....

.....
for Postmaster General.

TELEPHONE ORDINANCE
CONDITIONS.

1. The reception of messages other than those specified in this licence is prohibited. If any other message is unintentionally received, the licensee shall not make known, or allow to be made known, its contents, its origin or destination, its existence or the fact of its receipt to any person (other than a duly authorized officer of the Hong Kong Government, or a competent legal tribunal), and shall not reproduce in writing, copy, or make any use of such message, or allow the same to be reproduced in writing, copied, or made use of.

2. The station shall not be used in such a manner as to cause interference with the working of other stations.

3. The apparatus shall be open to inspection at all times by any person who produces a written authority to inspect, either general or particular, signed by the Postmaster General, and this licence shall be produced to any such person upon request by him.

4. This licence is not transferable to another person.

5. Any alterations to the addresses specified in this licence must be notified to the licensing authority and the licence presented for correction. No fee is payable for this.

6. The conditions of this licence may be modified at any time by the Postmaster General.

7. The licensee shall, if so required by the Postmaster General, cease at once to use the licensed apparatus for such period as may be specified."

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
29th December, 1953.

(Secretariat 3/3631/53)


Clerk of Councils.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL RESOLUTION.

TELEPHONE ORDINANCE, 1951.
(Ordinance No. 18 of 1951)

Resolution made and passed by the Legislative Council under section 29(2) of the Telephone Ordinance, 1951, on the 21st day of October, 1953.

RESOLVED in accordance with subsection (2) of section 29 of the Telephone Ordinance, 1951, that as from the 23rd day of October, 1953, item 1 of Part V of the Schedule to the said Ordinance be amended by the addition of the word "Shatin" immediately after the words "Tsun Wan" appearing in the second line thereof.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
21st October, 1953.

(Secretariat 4/1026/49)

TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 43).

TRADE MARKS (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 57 of the Trade Marks Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following rules—

1. These rules may be cited as the Trade Marks (Amendment) Rules, 1953. Citation.

2. Rule 33 of the Trade Marks Rules (hereinafter referred to as the principal rules) is amended by the deletion from the second and third lines of the words "once a month in the *Gazette* for a period of three months" and the substitution therefor of the following— Amendment of rule 33. (Vol. VIII, p. 237).

"in one issue of the *Gazette*".

3. Rule 35 of the principal rules is amended by the deletion from the second line of the words "three months from the date of the first advertisement" and the substitution therefor of the following— Amendment of rule 35.

"two months from the date of the advertisement".


Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
23rd September, 1953.

Explanatory Note.

(This Note is not part of the rules, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These rules reduce from three to one the number of advertisements required of an application for the registration of a trade mark, thereby reducing advertising fees. They also reduce the period allowed for opposition from three months to two months.

(Secretariat 2/5381/53)

TRAMWAY ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 107).

RESOLUTION MADE AND PASSED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
ON THE 12TH DAY OF AUGUST, 1953.

WHEREAS the Hong Kong Tramways Limited is desirous of constructing one new tramway turning-circle branching from the main track near the junction of King's Road and North Point Road and extending along North Point Road into and along Chun Yeung Street and Tong Shui Road to rejoin the main track laid in King's Road, the said new tramway turning-circle being delineated on a plan deposited with the Director of Public Works and signed by him and on behalf of the Hong Kong Tramways Limited and dated the 3rd day of March, 1953;

AND WHEREAS the Hong Kong Tramways Limited is desirous of constructing the new tramway turning-circle aforesaid in substitution for the existing tramway turning-circle at the junction of Yee Wo Street, Caroline Road and Causeway Road as delineated on a plan deposited with the Director of Public Works and signed by him and on half of the Hong Kong Tramways Limited and dated the 11th day of March, 1953, which existing tramway turning-circle it is desired to remove;

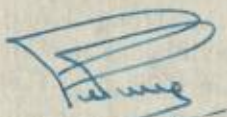
AND WHEREAS the plans aforesaid have been previously deposited in the office of the Director of Public Works;

AND WHEREAS the Hong Kong Tramways Limited has caused to be published in three consecutive issues of the following newspapers namely the South China Morning Post, the Hong Kong Standard, the China Mail, the Kung Sheung Yat Po and the Wah Kiu Yat Po commencing with the issues of these newspapers on the 5th day of February, 1953, notice of its intention to apply to the Governor in Council for approval of the works aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS the Governor in Council in exercise of the power conferred by subsection (4) of section 3 of the Tramway Ordinance on the 28th day of July, 1953, approved the works aforesaid;

AND WHEREAS subsection (4) of section 3 of the said Ordinance provides that the said approval shall require confirmation by a resolution of the Legislative Council.

NOW THEREFORE it is RESOLVED pursuant to subsection (4) of section 3 of the Tramway Ordinance that the approval of the Governor in Council aforesaid be confirmed.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
12th August, 1953.

(Secretariat 19/4636/47)

TRUSTEE ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 29).

JUDICIAL TRUSTEE RULES, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 64 of the Trustee Ordinance and of every power him enabling, the Acting Chief Justice, with the approval of Legislative Council, has made the following rules—

1. These rules may be cited as the Judicial Trustee Rules, Citation. 1953.

Appointment of Judicial Trustee.

2. An application to the court to appoint a judicial trustee shall be in the Supreme Court, and

Mode of making application.

- (a) if not made in a pending cause or matter, shall be made by originating summons; and
- (b) if made in a pending cause or matter, shall be made as part of the relief claimed, or by summons in the cause or matter.

3. (1) The summons shall be served—

Service of summons.

- (a) where the application is made by or on behalf of a trustee, on the other trustee (if any); and
- (b) where the application is made by or on behalf of a beneficiary, on the trustees (if any),

and in either case on such (if any) of the beneficiaries as the court directs.

(2) Where the application is made by or on behalf of a person creating or intending to create a trust, the summons subject to any direction of the court, need not be served on any person.

(3) The court may give any directions it thinks fit, either dispensing with the service of the summons on any person on whom it is required to be served under this rule, or requiring the service of the summons on any person on whom it is not required to be served under this rule.

Statement to be supplied on application.

4. (1) Where an application is made for the appointment of a judicial trustee by originating summons, the applicant must, when he takes out the summons, supply for the use of the court a written statement signed by him containing the following particulars so far as he can gain information with regard to them—

- (a) a short description of the trust and instrument by which it is, or is to be, created, and of the relation which the applicant bears to the trust;
- (b) if a person is nominated as judicial trustee, the name and address of the person nominated, and short particulars of the reasons which lead to his nomination;
- (c) if a person is nominated as judicial trustee, a statement whether it is proposed that the person nominated should be remunerated or not;
- (d) short particulars of the trust property, with an approximate estimate of its income, and capital value;
- (e) short particulars of the incumbrances (if any) affecting the trust property;
- (f) a statement whether it is proposed that the judicial trustee should be a sole trustee or should act jointly with other trustees;
- (g) particulars as to the persons who are in possession of the documents relating to the trust;
- (h) the names and addresses of the beneficiaries and short particulars of their respective interests;
- (i) any exceptional circumstances specially affecting the administration of the trust.

(2) An affidavit by the applicant verifying the statement shall be sufficient *prima facie* evidence of the particulars contained in the statement.

(3) Where the applicant cannot gain the information necessary for making the required statement on any point, he must mention the fact in his statement.

Removal of restriction as to appointment of certain persons to be trustees.

5. (1) The court shall not be precluded by any existing practice as to the appointment of trustees from appointing any person to be a judicial trustee by reason of that person being a beneficiary, or a relation or husband or wife of a beneficiary, or a solicitor to the trust or to the trustee, or to any beneficiary, or a married woman, or standing in any special position with regard to the trust.

(2) A person may be appointed to be a judicial trustee of a trust although he is already a trustee of the trust.

6. On the appointment of any person to be judicial trustee the court shall make such vesting or other orders and exercise such other powers as may be necessary for vesting the trust property in the judicial trustee either as sole trustee or jointly with other trustees as the case requires. Vesting of orders.

Appointment of Official of Court to be Judicial Trustee.

7. (1) Where an official of the court is appointed judicial trustee, the Registrar General shall be so appointed, unless, for special reasons, the court directs that some other official of the court shall be so appointed. Official judicial trustee. Registrar General.

(2) Any official of the court appointed to be a judicial trustee shall, on his ceasing to hold office, cease to be such a trustee without any formal resignation.

(3) Where an official of the court is judicial trustee, any trust property vested in or held by him, shall be vested in and held by him under his official title and not in his own name.

(4) Where an official of the court appointed to be a judicial trustee of a trust dies, or ceases to hold office, his successor in office shall, unless the court otherwise directs, become judicial trustee of the trust without any order of the court of formal appointment, and the trust property shall, without any conveyance, assignment, or transfer, in such a case become vested in the successor as it was vested in his predecessor in office.

(5) For the purpose of the definition of "official of the court", in section 65 of the Ordinance, any paid office in or connected with the court shall be a prescribed office.

Administration of the Trust.

8. (1) A judicial trustee must, unless in any case the court considers that it is unnecessary, as soon as may be after his appointment, furnish the court with a complete statement of the trust property, accompanied with an approximate estimate of the income and capital value of each item. Statement of trust property.

(2) It shall be the duty of the judicial trustee to give such information to the court as may be necessary for the purpose of keeping the statement of the trust property correct for the time being.

Security.

9. (1) A judicial trustee, if not an official of the court, must give security to the court for the due application of the trust property, unless the court dispenses with security under this rule.

(2) The court may, on the appointment of a judicial trustee, or at any time during his continuance in office as judicial trustee, dispense with security on the application either of the person who is to be appointed or is judicial trustee, or of any person appearing to the court to be interested in the trust, and shall do so where a judicial trustee is appointed on the application of a person creating or intending to create a trust, and that person desires that security should be dispensed with, unless for special reasons the court considers that security is in such a case necessary or desirable.

(3) The security must be given, either by recognizance, bond, or otherwise, as the court directs, and with such sureties as the court approves.

(4) If the court is satisfied that sufficient provision is made for the safety of the capital of the trust property, the amount of the security shall, in ordinary cases, be an amount exceeding by twenty per centum the annual income of the trust property as estimated by the court.

(5) The court may at any time require that the amount or nature of the security given by a judicial trustee under this rule be varied, or that security be given where it has previously been dispensed with, and a judicial trustee shall comply with any such requirement.

(6) It shall be a condition of every recognizance, bond, or other form of security given under this rule that the judicial trustee shall give immediate notice to the court of the death or insolvency of any of his sureties.

(7) Any recognizance, bond, or other form of security given for the purpose of this rule may be vacated in such manner and subject to such conditions as the court may direct.

(8) Where security is not dispensed with, the appointment of a person to be judicial trustee shall not take effect until he has given the security required by the court under this rule.

(9) Any premium payable by a judicial trustee to any guarantee company on account of his security may, if the court so directs, be paid out of the trust property.

10. (1) When a judicial trustee is appointed, a separate account for receipts and payments on behalf of the trust must be kept in the name of the trustees at some bank approved by the court.

Trust account at bank and custody of documents.

(2) All title deeds and all certificates and other documents which are evidence of the title of the trustee to any of the trust property shall be deposited either with that bank or in such other custody as the court directs.

(3) The deeds or documents must be deposited in the names of the trustees, and the judicial trustee must give notice to the body or person with whom the deeds or documents are so deposited not to deliver any of them over to any person except on a request signed by the judicial trustee and countersigned by the officer of the court, and also to allow any person authorized by the officer of the court in writing to inspect them during business hours.

(4) The judicial trustee must deposit with the court a list of all deeds or documents deposited in any custody in pursuance of this rule, and must give information to the court from time to time of any variation to be made in the list.

(5) The judicial trustee must, if at any time directed by the court, give an order to the bank at which the trust account is kept, not to pay at any one time any sum over a specified amount out of the trust account except on an order countersigned by the officer of the court.

(6) Any payments on account of the income of the trust property may be provided for by means of a standing order to the bank at which the trust account is kept.

(7) The court may give such directions to the judicial trustee as may, in the opinion of the court, be necessary or expedient for carrying this rule into effect, and for securing the safety of the trust property.

(8) Where an official of the court is judicial trustee, the court may direct that, instead of a separate account of the receipts and payments on behalf of the trust being kept at some bank approved by the court, all receipts on behalf of the trust may be dealt with, and all payments on behalf of the trust may be made, in such manner, and subject to such regulations as to the accounts to be kept of the receipts and payments and the procedure to be followed in dealing therewith, as the Accountant General shall direct.

Judicial trustee not to keep money in his hands.

11. A judicial trustee must pay all money coming into his hands on account of his trust without delay to the trust account at the bank, and if he keeps any such money in his hands for a longer time than the court considers necessary, shall be liable to pay interest upon it at such rate not exceeding five per centum as the court may fix for the time during which the money remains in his hands.

Directions to judicial trustees.

12. (1) A judicial trustee may at any time request the court to give him directions as to the trust or its administration.

(2) The request must be accompanied by a statement of the facts with regard to which directions are required, and by the fee required under these rules in respect of a communication from the court with regard to the administration of the trust.

(3) The court may require the trustee or any other person to attend at chambers if it appears that such an attendance is necessary or convenient for the purpose of obtaining any information or explanation required for properly giving directions, or for the purpose of explaining the nature of the directions.

Powers to dispense with formal evidence.

13. The court, if satisfied that there is no reasonable doubt of any fact which affects the administration of a trust by a judicial trustee, may give directions to the judicial trustee to act without formal proof of the fact.

Accounts and Audit.

Accounts and audit.

14. (1) The court shall give directions to a judicial trustee as to the date to which the accounts of the trust are to be made up in each year, and shall fix in each year the time after that date within which the accounts are to be delivered to it for audit.

(2) The accounts shall in ordinary cases be audited by the officer of the court, but the court, if it considers that the accounts are likely to involve questions of difficulty, may refer them to a professional accountant for report, and order the payment to him of such amount in respect of his report as the court may fix.

Filing and inspection of accounts.

15. (1) The accounts of any trust of which there is a judicial trustee, with a note of any corrections made upon the audit, shall be filed as the court directs.

(2) The judicial trustee shall send a copy of the accounts or, if the court thinks fit, of a summary of the accounts, of the trust to such beneficiaries or other persons as the court thinks proper.

(3) The court may, if it thinks fit, having regard to the nature of the relation of the applicant to the trust, allow any person applying to inspect the filed accounts so to inspect them on giving reasonable notice to the officer of the court.

16. A judicial trustee shall, unless the court otherwise directs, be allowed on the audit of his accounts deductions made on account of his remuneration and allowances under these rules and also on account of the fees paid by him under these rules, but shall not be allowed any deduction on account of the expenses of professional assistance, or his own work, or personal outlay, unless the court is satisfied that the deduction is justified by the strict necessity of the case.

Deductions allowed.

Remuneration and Allowances.

17. (1) Where a judicial trustee is to be remunerated, the remuneration to be paid to him shall be fixed by the court, and may be altered by the court from time to time.

Remuneration of judicial trustee.

(2) In fixing the remuneration, regard shall be had to the duties entailed upon the judicial trustee by the trust.

(3) The court may make, if it thinks fit, special allowances to judicial trustees for the following matters, to be paid out of the trust property—

- (a) for the statement of trust property prepared by a judicial trustee on his appointment, an allowance not exceeding one hundred and seventy-five dollars;
- (b) for realizing and re-investing trust property, where the property is realized for the purpose of re-investment, an allowance not exceeding one and a half per centum of the amount realized and re-invested;
- (c) for realizing or investing trust property in any other case, an allowance not exceeding one per centum on the amount realized or invested.

(4) The court may also in any year make a special allowance to a judicial trustee, if satisfied that in that year more trouble has been thrown upon the trustee by reason of exceptional circumstances than would ordinarily be involved in the administration of the trust.

(5) Where a trustee is remunerated, any allowance under this rule must be paid in addition to the remuneration.

(6) Any remuneration or allowance payable to a judicial trustee shall be paid or allowed to him at such times and in such manner as the court directs.

Application of remuneration of official of the court.

18. Where an official of the court is appointed to be a judicial trustee, any remuneration, allowances, or other payments payable to him on account of his services as trustee shall be paid, accounted for, and applied in such manner as the Accountant General directs.

Forfeiture of remuneration.

19. (1) If the court is satisfied that a judicial trustee has failed to comply with these rules, or with any direction of the court or officer of the court made in accordance with these rules, or has otherwise misconducted himself in relation to the trust, the court may order that the whole or any part of the remuneration of the trustee be forfeited.

(2) This rule shall not affect any liability of the judicial trustee for breach of trust or to be removed or suspended.

(3) A judicial trustee shall have an opportunity of being heard by the court, before any order is made for the forfeiture of his remuneration or any part of it.

Removal and Suspension of Judicial Trustee.

Suspension of judicial trustee.

20. (1) The court may at any time, either without any application or on the application of any person appearing to the court to be interested in the trust, suspend a judicial trustee, if the court considers that it is expedient to do so in the interests of the trust, and a judicial trustee while suspended shall not have power to act as trustee.

(2) When a judicial trustee is suspended, the court shall cause notice to be given to such of the persons appearing to the court to be interested in the trust as the court directs, and also to the persons having the custody of the trust property, and shall give any other directions which appear necessary for securing the safety of the trust property.

Removal of judicial trustee.

21. (1) The court may, either without any application or on the application of any person appearing to the court to be interested in the trust, remove a judicial trustee if the court considers that it is expedient to do so in the interests of the trust.

(2) Any application to remove a judicial trustee must be made by summons.

(3) A judicial trustee shall not be removed by the court without an application for the purpose, except after notice has been given to him by the court of the grounds on which it is proposed to remove him, and of the time and place at which the matter will be heard.

(4) The court shall cause a copy of the notice to the trustee to be sent to such of the persons appearing to the court to be interested in the trust as the court directs, and the same procedure shall be followed in the matter so far as possible as on a summons to remove a judicial trustee.

22. Where an inquiry into the administration by a judicial trustee of any trust, or into any dealing or transaction of a judicial trustee is ordered, the inquiry shall, unless the court otherwise directs, be conducted by the officer of the court, and he shall have the same powers in relation thereto as he has in relation to any other inquiry directed by the court.

Inquiry into conduct of judicial trustee.

Resignation and Discontinuance of Judicial Trustee.

23. (1) If a judicial trustee desires to be discharged from his trust he must give notice to the court, stating at the same time what arrangements it is proposed to make with regard to the appointment of a successor.

Resignation of judicial trustee.

(2) The court shall give facilities for the appointment on a proper application of an official of the court to be judicial trustee in place of a judicial trustee who desires to be discharged, in cases where no fit and proper person appears available for the office, or where the court considers that such an appointment is convenient or expedient in the interests of the trust.

24. (1) Where there is a judicial trustee of a trust, the court may at any time, on the application made by summons of any person appearing to the court to be interested in the trust, order that there shall cease to be a judicial trustee of the trust, whether the person who is judicial trustee continues as trustee or not.

Discontinuance of judicial trustee.

(2) If the court is satisfied that all the persons appearing to the court to be interested in the trust concur in an application under this rule, the court shall accede to the application, and in any case shall ascertain as far as may be the wishes of those appearing to the court to be interested in the trust with regard to the application.

(3) Where an order is made under this rule, the court shall make all such orders as may be necessary for carrying it into effect, and where in pursuance of any such order a new trustee is appointed in the place of an official of the court, shall make all such vesting or other orders and exercise all such other powers as may be necessary for vesting the trust property in the new trustee either as sole trustee or jointly with other trustees as the case requires.

Special Trusts.

Executors and administrators.

25. (1) Any person who is an executor or administrator may be appointed a judicial trustee for the purpose of the collection and distribution of the estate of a deceased person in the same manner and subject to the same provisions as in the case of an ordinary trust.

(2) Where an administrator has given an administration bond, he need not give security as a judicial trustee under these rules unless the court directs that he is to do so.

Special trusts.

26. (1) An official of the court shall not be appointed or act as judicial trustee for any persons in their capacity as members or debenture holders of, or being in any other relation to, any incorporated or unincorporated company, or any club.

(2) Where the circumstances of any trust of which an official of the court is a judicial trustee, or of which it is proposed to appoint an official of the court to be a judicial trustee, involve the carrying on of any trade or business, special intimation of the fact shall be given to the court either by the judicial trustee or by the person making the application for the appointment of the judicial trustee, as the case may be, and the court shall specially consider the facts of the case with a view to determining whether the official of the court should continue or be appointed as judicial trustee, and whether any special condition should be made or directions given with a view to ensuring the proper supervision of the trade or business.

Exercise of the Powers of the Court.

Exercise of powers of court.

27. For the purpose of these rules the officer of the court may exercise any power which may be exercised by the court (including the power of making an order for the appointment of a judicial trustee or making any vesting order), and may perform any duty to be performed by the court, and may hear and investigate any matter which may be heard or investigated by the court, subject in any case to the right of any party to bring any particular point before the judge.

28. (1) It shall not be necessary to take out a summons for any purpose under these rules, except in cases where a summons is required by these rules, or where the court directs a summons to be taken out.

Communications between judicial trustee and court.

(2) Where a judicial trustee desires to make any application or request to the court, or to communicate with the court as to the administration of his trust, he may do so by letter addressed to the officer of the court without any further formality.

(3) The court may give any direction to a judicial trustee with regard to the administration of his trust by letter signed by the officer of the court, and addressed to the trustee without drawing up any order or formal document.

(4) For the purposes of the attendance at chambers of the judicial trustee or any other person connected with the trust for purposes relating to the administration of the trust the officer of the court may make such appointments as he thinks fit by letter without the service of formal notices.

(5) Any document may be supplied for the use of the court by leaving it with, or sending it by post to, the officer of the court.

29. (1) The fees mentioned in the schedule to these rules shall be paid in respect of the matters therein mentioned.

Fees. Schedule.

(2) The fees paid by a judicial trustee may be deducted out of the income of the trust property unless the court otherwise directs.

(3) Any fees payable under these rules may be remitted by post, and may be so remitted in any manner except by means of postage stamps or coin.

(4) All fees payable under these rules in the Supreme Court, shall, except as provided by these rules, be subject to similar provisions as to payment, account, and application as other fees payable in the Supreme Court.

30. In these rules the expression "officer of the court" means the Registrar of the Supreme Court.

Definition of "officer of the court".

31. Any notice required by these rules to be given or any summons or other document required to be served may be given or served personally or in such other manner as the court may direct.

Service.

SCHEDULE.

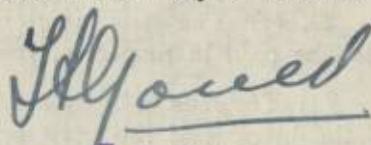
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Fees.

The following fees shall be payable under these rules—

	\$	
In respect of anything or matter for which a fee is provided under the orders in force for the time being with regard to Supreme Court fees		} The fee so provided.
In respect of any communication from the court with regard to the administration of the trust	4.00	
For filing the statement of the trust property	10.00	
For filing any alteration in the statement	6.00	
For filing the accounts of the trust	6.00	
For filing any other document relating to the trust	4.00	
For auditing the accounts of the trust when audited by the officer of the court, for every \$1,000.00 or fraction of \$1,000.00 of the gross amount received as income of the trust without deducting any payments	4.00	
On the audit of the accounts of the trust where they are referred to a professional accountant for report.		} A fee equal to the amount paid to the accountant.
On inspection of filed accounts for each hour or part of an hour occupied	4.00	
Not exceeding on one day	10.00	

Made by the Acting Chief Justice this 9th day of December, 1953.


 T. J. GOULD
 Acting Chief Justice.

Approved by the Legislative Council this 16th day of December, 1953.


 Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
16th December, 1953.

(Secretariat 32/3231/53)

THE UNIVERSITY ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 319).

THE UNIVERSITY (AMENDMENT) STATUTES, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by subsection (2) of section 13 of the University Ordinance, the Court has made the following statutes—

1. These statutes may be cited as the University (Amendment) Statutes, 1953. Citation.
2. Statute 7 of the statutes of the University (hereinafter referred to as the principal statutes) set out as regulations to the University Ordinance is amended— Amendment of statute 7.
 - (a) by the deletion in sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 1 of the words "the Chief Manager of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, or the person for the time being in charge of the business of the said corporation in Hong Kong;" and the substitution therefor of the following— (Vol. VI, p. 370).

"the Chief Manager or Acting Chief Manager or such other person as may for the time being in Hong Kong be in charge of the business of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation;"
 - (b) by the deletion in the first line of paragraph 6 of the words "three years" and the substitution therefor of the following—

"a period not exceeding three years".
3. Statute 13 of the principal statutes is amended by the deletion of the words "the Chief Manager of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, or the person for the time being in charge of the business of the said corporation in Hong Kong" and the substitution therefor of the following— Amendment of statute 13.

“the Chief Manager or Acting Chief Manager or such other person as may for the time being in Hong Kong be in charge of the business of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation”.

Made by the Court this 29th day of September, 1953.

Registrar of the University.

Approved by the Governor in Council this 14th day of November, 1953.



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
14th November, 1953.

(Secretariat 1/1946/51)

URBAN COUNCIL ORDINANCE

(Chapter 101)

URBAN COUNCIL ELECTION (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4 of the Urban Council Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following rules—

1. These rules may be cited as the Urban Council Election Citation. (Amendment) Rules, 1953.

2. Rule 2 of the Urban Council Election Rules (hereinafter referred to as the principal rules) is amended by the deletion of the first two lines, and the substitution therefor of the following— Amendment of rule 2. (Vol. IX, p. 156).

“2. (1) There shall be an election in the month of March in each year to elect members in the place of those elected members whose term of office is to expire and to fill any casual vacancy that shall exist in the prescribed number of elected members: Provided that if there shall exist at any other time a casual vacancy in the number of elected members, and if the Governor shall think fit, an election to fill such casual vacancy shall be held at such other time as the Governor may order: Provided also that in 1953 an election shall be held in the month of May in lieu of March, at which election four members shall be elected.

(2) Whenever an election is to be held the Presiding Officer shall”.

3. Rule 4 of the principal rules is repealed, and replaced by the following— Repeal and replacement of rule 4.

“4. (1) If the number of candidates duly nominated exceeds the number of vacancies a ballot will be held upon such date and between such times as the Presiding Officer shall notify in the *Gazette*.

(2) Not less than three weeks shall elapse between the date of such notification and the date appointed for the ballot.

(3) The main polling station shall be established in Victoria, but there shall be a branch polling station in Kowloon, and there may be such further branch polling stations as the Presiding Officer shall think fit and shall declare by notification in the *Gazette*.

(4) An elector shall vote at the main polling station unless at least seven clear days before the date of the election he shall have notified the Presiding Officer of his intention to vote at a branch polling station, in which case he shall vote only at such branch polling station."



Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
24th March, 1953.

(Secretariat 2/1146/53 T.C. 94/53)

Explanatory Note.

The Urban Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 1953, provides for four elected members and refers to the holding of elections in March. These amendments to the rules make clear the duty of the Presiding Officer to notify such election (which will be in May this year and in March in future). They also provide that there shall be a branch polling station in Kowloon and permit additional ones elsewhere in case such should be desirable in the future.

CORRIGENDUM.

URBAN COUNCIL ELECTION (AMENDMENT) RULES, 1953.

It is hereby notified that the word "causal" appearing in line 7 of the new rule 2(1) published in the Urban Council Election (Amendment) Rules, 1953 (Government Notification No. A. 63 in *Gazette* Supplement No. 2 of 27.3.53), should read "casual".

(Secretariat 2/1146/53 T.C. 94/53)

VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE.
(Chapter 220).

VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Vehicle and Road Traffic Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Vehicle and Road Traffic (Amendment) Regulations, 1953, and shall come into operation on the 1st day of July, 1953. Citation and commencement.

2. The table contained in sub-regulation (1) of regulation 4 of the regulations published at page 723 of Volume II of the Regulations of Hong Kong, 1937 Edition, is amended as follows— Amendment of sub-regulation (1) of regulation 4 of the regulations published at p. 723 of Vol. II of the Regulations of Hong Kong, 1937 Edition.

- (a) by the deletion of the amount "\$5.00" appearing in the second column thereof as the fee for a licence to drive a motor vehicle and by the substitution therefor of the amount "\$10.00"; and
- (b) by the deletion of the date "1st July" appearing in the third column thereof as the date when such licence is renewable and by the substitution therefor of the date "1st April".

3. Notwithstanding the provisions of regulation 2, the fee for a licence to drive a motor vehicle for the period from the 1st day of July, 1953, until the 31st day of March, 1954, shall be \$7.50, and the date in 1953 upon which a licence to drive a motor vehicle shall be renewable for the said period shall be the 1st day of July. Temporary provision.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
17th January, 1953.

(Secretariat 8258/45)

VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 220).

VEHICLE AND ROAD TRAFFIC (AMENDMENT) (NO. 2)
REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Vehicle and Road Traffic Ordinance, and of every other power him enabling, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Vehicle and Road Traffic (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations, 1953. Citation.

2. Regulation 27 of the Vehicle and Traffic Regulations, 1912, set forth in Volume II of the Regulations of Hong Kong (1937 Edition), hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations, is rescinded and replaced by the following regulation—
Rescission and replacement of regulation 27.

"27. (1) Where, on or before the first day of November, 1953, there is erected or fixed, in or near any road, by, or with the authority of, the Commissioner of Police, a permanent sign or other device, relating to that road or a portion of it, and purporting to show that, at that place—

- (a) vehicles, or any specified class or description of vehicles, are prohibited or restricted, either generally, or during particular hours; or
- (b) the driving of vehicles is prohibited otherwise than in a specified direction; or
- (c) the driving of vehicles is prohibited in excess of a specified speed,

then, whether that place is a highway or not, and irrespective of any rights vested in any owner or occupier of neighbouring property touching the access thereto or egress therefrom, any person who, unless authorized so to do by a permit in writing issued by the Commissioner of Police, drives any vehicle in contravention of instructions displayed or indicated on such sign or device, shall be guilty of an offence.

(2) Sub-regulation (1) shall continue in force until the 1st day of November, 1954."

Amendment
of
regulation
132.

3. Regulation 132 of the principal regulations is amended—

(a) by the insertion in the second line after the word "with" of the following—

"an adequate";

(b) by the deletion of the words "to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Police".

Rescission
and
replace-
ment of
regulation
133.

4. Regulation 133 of the principal regulations is rescinded and replaced by the following regulation—

"133. (1) Every vehicle shall be so designed, constructed and equipped, as to have adequate steering gear, and all road wheels, the method and construction of road wheel suspension, the main members of the chassis and the body, and the devices used for connecting the body to the chassis, shall be so made, maintained and adjusted as not to cause, or be likely to cause, any danger, to any person in the said vehicle, or to any person using a road.

(2) Any police officer in uniform of the rank of sub-inspector or above may test and inspect on a road, or subject to the consent of the owner of the premises, on any premises where the vehicle is, any brakes, steering gear, road wheels, road wheel suspension, chassis or body, being part of, or fitted to, a vehicle, and the silencer and exhaust fitted to a motor vehicle.

(3) No such test and inspection on premises where the vehicle is shall be carried out unless, either the owner of the vehicle consents, or notice of the date and time at which it is proposed to carry out the test and inspection has been given to him personally, or left at his address not less than 48 hours before the time of the proposed test and inspection, or shall be sent to him, by registered post, at his address not less than 72 hours before that time.

(4) For the purposes of this regulation, the owner of a vehicle shall be deemed to be the person registered as licensee of that vehicle under regulation 8.

(5) The provisions of sub-regulation (3) shall not apply in the case of a test and inspection made within 48 hours of an accident to which regulation 44 applies and in which the vehicle has been involved.

(6) Sub-regulation (1) shall not be deemed to authorize any police officer who is not the holder of a valid driving licence for a vehicle of the appropriate class, to drive any vehicle in the course of such test or inspection."

5. Regulation 137 of the principal regulations is amended by the deletion of all the words after the word "chassis" and the substitution therefor of the following—

Amendment
of
regulation
137.

"and the same shall be maintained in good order and condition".

6. Regulation 143 of the principal regulations is rescinded and replaced by the following—

Rescission
and
replace-
ment of
regulation
143.

"143. (1) Any motor vehicle may be inspected by any police officer authorized for that purpose in writing by the Commissioner of Police—

(a) before the issue of a licence in respect of that vehicle, in any year;

(b) on any change in the ownership thereof;

(c) as often as the Commissioner of Police may require, not being more than once in any month.

7. Regulation 166 of the principal regulations is rescinded.

Rescission
of
regulation
166.

8. Regulation 179 of the principal regulations is rescinded and replaced by the following regulation—

Rescission
and
replace-
ment of
regulation
179.

"179. (1) Whenever in the opinion of the Commissioner of Police it is necessary temporarily to close a road, or any section of a road, to all or any kind of traffic, he may cause such road, or section of a road, to be closed to such traffic for such period as he may think fit.

(2) Notice of such closure shall be inserted as soon as may be in one issue of at least two English and two Chinese newspapers published in the Colony.

(3) A closure which continues in operation for any period not exceeding the expiry of one year from the first day of November, 1953, shall be deemed temporary for the purpose of this regulation."

Addition
of new
regulation
190.

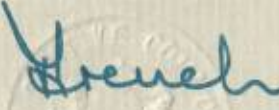
9. The principal regulations are amended by the addition after regulation 189 of the following regulation—

"190. (1) Where by this or any other enactment, a vehicle is required to comply with any specification or standard, or any fitting, device, mark, apparatus or thing, is required to be provided, carried or used, on or in connexion with, a vehicle, or a vehicle is prohibited from being used, either generally or in any specified manner, place or time, or except only upon stated conditions, then, and in every such case, if the vehicle is upon or used in any road in contravention of the terms of such enactment, the owner, licensee, driver and person in charge of the vehicle at the time of such contravention, shall be guilty of an offence.

(2) Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of regulations 7(2) and (4), 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 24, 25, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40(2) and (3), 41, 42, 43, 44(1), 46(5), (6) and (7), 47, 48(6), (7), (8), (9) and (10), 49, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 59, 62, 63, 64, 66, 69, 70, 71, 71A, 75, 76, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 85, 89, 91, 92, 96, 106(3), 107, 111, 112, 116, 117, 139, 141, 142, 148, 150, 151, 157, 165, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 181, 182, 183 and 189 shall be guilty of an offence.

(3) Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of regulations 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 27, 28, 30, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41 and 45 of the regulations relating to Public Motor Vehicle Services published at page 804 of Volume II of the Regulations of Hong Kong (1937 Edition), shall be guilty of an offence.

(4) Any person who commits any offence referred to in regulations 4(3), 27(1), 32A(2), 119(b), 131, 174A(1), and this regulation, shall be liable, in the case of a first conviction for that offence, to a fine of five hundred dollars or imprisonment for three months, and in the case of a second or subsequent conviction for that offence, to a fine of five hundred dollars and imprisonment for six months."


Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
10th November, 1953.
(Secretariat 3/2781/48)

WATERWORKS ORDINANCE.

(Chapter 102).

THE WATERWORKS (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 29 of the Waterworks Ordinance, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

1. These regulations may be cited as the Waterworks Citation. (Amendment) Regulations, 1953.

2. The Waterworks Regulations are amended by the addition after regulation 6 of the following new regulation—

"Metered Water Consumption.

6A. Where premises are supplied with metered water which is paid for by an owner or landlord, the payment being recoverable by him, in whole or in part, from the occupiers, then for so long as he remains owner or landlord thereof the following conditions shall apply—

- (a) such owner or landlord shall be deemed to be the consumer until such time as he has made arrangements satisfactory to the Water Authority for all such occupiers to become consumers in his place; and
- (b) notwithstanding any notice which he may have given either to the Water Authority or to any such occupier such owner or landlord shall not divest himself of liability for payment of any money due in respect of consumption."

Addition
of new
regulation
6A.
(Vol. IX,
p. 158).

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
16th September, 1953.


Deputy Clerk of Councils.

Explanatory Note.

(This Note is not part of the regulations but is intended to indicate their general purport).

In cases where the actual occupier pays to someone else (e.g. a landlord) a payment which includes water charges, that other person was by Emergency Regulations G.N. 922 of 1938 made the consumer and liable as such. By regulation 138 of the Emergency (Principal) Regulations, 1949, G.N. 922 of 1938 was repealed. It is considered desirable that this regulation should continue in force, but as it has not in any manner a temporary or emergency character, it is proper that it should be re-enacted as an ordinary regulation.

(Secretariat 28/3231/51)

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ORDINANCE, 1953.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION REGULATIONS, 1953.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 32 of the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953, and of every other power him enabling, the Governor in Council has made the following regulations—

- 1.** These regulations may be cited as the Workmen's Compensation Regulations, 1953, and shall come into operation upon the coming into operation of the Ordinance. Citation.
- 2.** In these regulations— Inter-pretation.
"Schedule" means a Schedule to these Regulations;
"the Ordinance" means the Workmen's Compensation Ordinance, 1953.
- 3.** The notice of an accident required by section 13 of the Ordinance to be given to an employer by or on behalf of a workman if given in writing may be in Form 1 of the First Schedule. Notice of accident.
Form 1.
- 4.** The notice of an accident resulting in personal injury to a workman required by section 14 of the Ordinance to be given by an employer to the Commissioner of Labour shall be given in writing in Form 2 of the First Schedule. Notice of accident by employer.
Form 2.
- 5.** Where an agreement in writing between an employer and a workman as to the compensation payable by the employer has been approved by the Commissioner of Labour and it is desired to proceed in accordance with the provisions of subsection (4) of section 16 of the Ordinance, the details of such agreement shall be given in Form 3 of the First Schedule and lodged with the Registrar of the Court. Agreement as to amount of compensation.
Form 3.
- 6.** Save as is otherwise specially provided in the Ordinance or these regulations every notice required by the Ordinance or these regulations may be given by delivering the same at, or sending it by registered post to, the last known residence or place of business or employment of the person to whom it is to be given. Delivering of notice.

Forms.
First
Schedule.

7. The forms contained in the First Schedule or forms to the like effect shall be used with such variations and modifications as the circumstances may require.

Returns.

8. (1) Every employer employing persons who are workmen under the Ordinance and every insurer carrying on the business of insuring employers against their liabilities under the Ordinance shall make the return specified in the Second Schedule so far as the same is applicable.

Second
Schedule.

(2) Such return shall be lodged with the Commissioner of Labour on or before the 31st of January in each year and shall be in respect of the period 1st January to 31st December of the preceding year: Provided that no return shall be made in respect of the period 1st December to 31st December, 1953.

[Handwritten Signature]
Clerk of Councils.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
24th November, 1953.

FIRST SCHEDULE. [reg. 7.
FORM 1. [reg. 3.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ORDINANCE, 1953.

NOTICE OF ACCIDENT BY OR ON BEHALF OF WORKMAN.

To (1)

Notice is hereby given that (2)
on the (3) day of 19..... at (4)
met with an accident causing his (5)
and that the cause of the injury/death was (6)

And notice is hereby further given that in consequence thereof compensation is claimed from you.

Dated this day of 19.....
(7)

- (1) Name and address of the employer or principal.
(2) Full name and address of the workman.
(3) Date of accident.
(4) Place of the accident.
(5) Whether disablement or death.
(6) State in plain and ordinary terms the cause of the injury or death.
(7) Signature and address of person giving the notice.

FORM 2. [reg. 4.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ORDINANCE, 1953.

NOTICE BY EMPLOYER OF ACCIDENT RESULTING IN
PERSONAL INJURY TO A WORKMAN.

To the Commissioner of Labour,
Hong Kong.

Notice is hereby given that (1)
a workman in my employ on the (2) day of 19.....
at (3) met with an accident causing his
(4), and that the cause of the injury/
death was (5)

Dated this day of 19.....
(6)

- (1) Full name and address of workman.
(2) Date of accident.
(3) Place of accident.
(4) Whether disablement or death.
(5) State in plain and ordinary terms the cause of the injury or death.
(6) Signature and address of the employer.

FORM 3. [reg. 5.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ORDINANCE, 1953.

DETAILS OF AGREEMENT AS TO THE AMOUNT OF
COMPENSATION PAYABLE BY THE EMPLOYER.

(This form must be completed and lodged with the Registrar of the Court by the party who desires the agreement to be made an order of the Court).

1. Name, address and business of employer
2. (a) Name and address of workman
(b) Occupation (1)
(c) Age (d) Sex
(e) Compensation already received in respect of this accident (if any)
3. (a) Date of accident
(b) Cause of accident
(c) Nature and circumstances of injury (2)
4. Contract of employment (3)
5. Date of agreement