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Provincial Councils Notifications

SABARAGAMUWA PROVINCE PROVINCIAL COUNCIL.

Pradeshiya Sabha Act, No. 15 of 1987

WE shall notify that the following By-Laws are enacted by the Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha which comes within the administrative authority of the Sabaragamuwa Province Provincial Council, under the power granted by Article 122 and Article 126 of act No. 15 of 1987 Pradeshiya Sabha Laws, and these By -Laws are approved by the minister of Provincial Administration of the Sabaragamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha under the power granted to him by Article 123 of the Pradeshiya Sabha Act.

J. A. RANJITH,

Secretary,

Ministry of Electricity, Provincial Road, Co-operative,
Provincial Administration, Environment, Tourism and Trade,
Sabaragamuwa Province Provincial Council.

07th September, 2007.

BY LAWS ON REGULIZATION OF CONTROLLING THE DISPLAY OF PROPAGANDA ADVERTISEMENTS – GALIGAMUWA PRADESHIYA SABHA

(1) These By-Laws are known as the By-Laws of regulization of controlling the display of propaganda advertisements within the authority area of Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha.

(2) No one shall display or cause to display any propaganda advertisement within the Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha authority area without a permit obtained from the Chairman.

(3) Every applicant who intends to obtained a permit.

(i) Shall apply in a prescribed application form issued from Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha.

(ii) Shall submit the application form seven days prior to the display of advertisement . However, this order can be released on special grounds at the chairman's discretion.

(iii) Shall submit all applications with the following documents.

- (a) A letter of consent obtained from the owner of the land where propaganda advertisement or board is fixed.
- (b) Documents required by Pradeshiya Sabha to establish the ownership of the land.
- (c) If there is a prescribed frame to fix the advertisement, a structure mentioning its material, length, width and height from the ground in feet/meters.
- (d) An identical specimen of the advertisement to be displayed with exact words drawings, colours, length, width, height.
- (e) Documents required by Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha to establish the identity of contents of the advertisement.

(4) Clearly and legibly written applicant's name and address should be in a conspicuous place of the notice board or structure to be displayed.

(5) No one is entitled to obtain a permit unless relevant charges for such advertisements as mentioned in schedule 02 are paid to the Pradeshiya Sabha Office and a receipt in support of such payment is obtained.

(6) When a permit is issued to a person for displaying a propaganda advertisement, then the chairman may order.

- (i) to mention the number and the date of that permit in every copy of the propaganda advertisement,
- (ii) to forward every copy of the propaganda advertisement to the chairman to frank them as proof of the fact that required charges for same have been paid.

(7) No person shall distort or shall cause to distort any seal, symbol, letter, word or figure placed on the advertisement by the chairman to prove that the charges for the permit have been paid.

- (8) (i) When an advertisement become discoloured or unpleasant display of it may be terminated prior to expire the valid period of the advertisement through a written notice issued by Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha.
- (ii) Any person to whom a written notice is given by the Pradeshiya Sabha shall take action as mentioned therein during the period prescribed.

(9) No propaganda advertisement of the type mentioned in Schedule 03 falls under the Category which requires a permit under these By Laws.

(10) A propaganda advertisement on liquor or cigarettes shall not be displayed either on a board or as a drawing on wall.

(11) Any person who violates one or more orders in these By-Laws shall be guilty of an offence and on being convicted by a Court of Law of proper jurisdiction shall be liable to a fine not exceeding 750/- rupees and in case he continues to commit that offence thereafter he shall be liable to an additional fine of Rs. 250 per day of committing the offence. Such monies shall be credited to the general fund of the Pradeshiya Sabha.

(12) (a) No person shall :

- (i) display a propaganda advertisement over or across or so as to project towards a road or a foot path or a street.

- (ii) display a propaganda advertisement on a board at a height of exceeding ten meters from the ground.
- (iii) fix or hang a propaganda advertisement which is longer than the façade of an adjoining building which faces a street or a road in the façade of that building or in the name board of a trade stall or shall display in a private or public building, a common sacred place, public park or any bridge or passenger bridge or on a electric wire post or telephone post, a side wall, culvert, rock, bank or on a tree.
- (b) An owner or lessee who makes use of the board for display ;
 - (i) shall maintain in good repair ensuring the safety of property of the public,
 - (ii) shall write clearly and legibly advertiser's name and address on it.

(13) It shall be lawful for the Sabha to remove without prior notice all propaganda advertisements (other than the advertisement mentioned in the Schedule (03) which are displayed within the Pradeshiya Sabha authority area without obtaining a permit. Even when the permit for displaying a notice is issued, during the period of its validity if a banner, cutout, propaganda notice or a board which is fixed into a wall or drawn on a wall, or hang on a wall in folded, loosened or dropped by the wind so as to affect beauty of the city in what everyway, Pradeshiya Sabha may inform the owner concerned in writing to adjust it to proper order and if the owner fails to adjust it within fourteen days from the date of handing-over of such letter, chairman may take action to remove it. The Sabha or chairman can remove such advertisements and they shall not be held responsible for any liability.

(14) Except where the context requires otherwise term "Sabha" in these By-Laws means the Pradeshiya Sabha of Galigamuwa, "Chairman" means the chairman of the Pradeshiya Sabha Galigamuwa or its special commissioner or the Authorized Officer, "Secretary" means the Secretary of the Pradeshiya Sabha Galigamuwa and "Authorized Officer" means the officer who possesses the written authority of the Chairman.

"Propaganda Advertisement" means any notice fixed or drawn on a wall or any other place or hung any where within the Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha Authority Area.

SCHEDULE 01

- (1) Name of Applicant :
- (2) Permanent Address :
- (3) Details of business, festival, exhibition, carnival, meeting, commodity in respect of which the advertisement is to be displayed :
- (4) Place/Places where advertisement is to be displayed :
- (5) Whether relevant format has been attached :
- (6) Type of advertisement to be displayed (Banner, Board, Cutout Wall, Rampart, Permanent) :
- (7) Whether the applicant agree to re-arrange the propaganda advertisement if it is discoloured, loosened, saluted or collapsed after getting permission for display :

I agree to display the advertisement in accordance with the recognized requirements of Pradeshiya Sabha and I'm well aware that violation of this By-Law or any section of it is a punishable offence.

Signature of Applicant.

Date:

SCHEDULE 02

	<i>Description</i>	<i>Per month or part of month per Sq. ft.</i>	<i>Per year per Sq.ft.</i>
(01)	For an advertisement displayed on a board or a wall connected with a show but not a Stage Drama or a Cinematographic Show - per Sq. ft. or part of it	Rs. 2.50	Rs. 25.00
(02)	For an advertisement displayed on a wall or board about a Stage Drama or Cinematographic Show - per Sq. ft. or part of it.	Rs. 3.50	Rs. 35.00
(03)	For a fluorescent propaganda advertisement connected with Cinematographic Show or Stage Drama displayed on a wall or board - per Sq. ft. or part of it.	Rs. 5.50	Rs. 55.00
(04)	For a propaganda advertisement displayed on a wall or a notice board but not an advertisement connected with Cinematographic show or any other show - per Sq. ft. or part of it.	Rs. 2.50	Rs. 25.00
(05)	For a fluorescent propaganda advertisement which is not connected with a Cinematographic show - per Sq. ft. or part of it.	Rs. 3.00	Rs. 30.00
(06)	A propaganda advertisement displayed on a board or on a supportive structure or by a person carrying it or by fixing it on to a moving vehicle - per Sq. ft. or part of it.	Rs. 10.00	Rs. 100.00

SCHEDULE 03

These By-Laws are not applicable to the following propaganda advertisement.

- (i) Advertisements on religious places.
- (ii) Advertisements on Security services.
- (iii) All Government -intervened advertisement on public activities.
- (iv) Obituary notices.
- (v) Name boards kept within/on one's own Trade Stall.

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07th September, 2007.

BY LAWS ON CONTROL AND REGULATION OF PARKING VEHICLES

- (01) These By-Laws should be known as By-Laws on control and Regulation of Parking vehicles in Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha Authority Area.
- (02) A place for parking motor vehicles herein after known as general park may be reserved within Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha Limit.
- (03) No person shall park any vehicle other than a motor vehicle in general park.
- (04) No person shall park a motor vehicle in a general park unless he possesses a valid permit issued by the Chairman for the purpose on payment of fee shown in Schedules 01, 02 and 03.
- (05) Every permit issued under the By-Law No. 04 shall include identification number of the motor vehicle in respect of which it is issued and it shall be valid for the period indicated in the permit.
- (06) The owner or driver of a motor vehicle parked at a general park shall produce the permit issued in respect of that vehicle whenever required for examination by a Police Officer, Traffic Warden or any other person authorised by the Chairman for that purpose.
- (07) Whenever a general park is reserved for motor vehicles of a particular class or category then no person shall park there a motor vehicle which does not belong to that class or category.
- (08) No person shall park the motor vehicle so as to obstruct a vehicle that enters or leaves the park.
- (09) Parking of one motor vehicle that belongs to a Government Department or a Board whether incorporated or not may be exempted from the requirement of payment fees as shown in the Schedule hereto.
- (10) These by-laws shall be effective from 6.00 a.m. to 6.00 p.m. each day.
- (11) Operation of these By-Laws may be suspended in any day of the week by an order published by the Chairman in the *Gazette*. Fees mentioned in the Schedule of the By-Laws are also liable to be changed.
- (12) (i) No person shall wash a motor vehicle when it is parked at the general park.
(ii) Repairs except those required to remove the vehicle from the parking place concerned shall not be carried out at the park.
- (13) No person shall consume or sell narcotics drugs or behave improperly within the precincts of the parking place.
- (14) Every violation of these By-Laws shall be an offence and in case a person is convicted by a proper jurisdiction, he shall be liable to fine not exceeding Rs. 750 and in case he continues to commit that offence thereafter he shall be, liable to an additional fine of Rs. 250 per day of committing the offence. Such monies shall be credited to the general fund of the Pradeshiya Sabha.

15. In these By-Laws :-

The term "Chairman" means the Chairman of the Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha. The term "Sabha" means the Galigamuwa Pradeshiya Sabha.

The terms "motor car" "motor Coach" "motor cycle" "motor vehicle" "lorry" "bus" "tractor" shall have the same meaning given to such terms in the Motor Traffic Act (Chapter 205).

The term "Motor Traffic Warden" means a person authorized by chairman to issue a permit on behalf of the Sabha for parking a vehicle at the General Park.

SCHEDULE 01

	<i>Fee for first hour or for a portion of it</i>	<i>Fee for every additional half or portion of it over and above the 1st hour but not exceeding four hours</i>	<i>Fee for every half an hour or portion of it after four hours</i>
(a) For a motor cycle	Nil	Nil	Nil
(b) For a motor car or for a motor coach	20/-	10/-	10/-
(c) for a tractor with a trailer or for a lorry	30/-	10/-	10/-
(d) For tractor with out a trailer or for any other vehicle	20/-	10/-	10/-
(e) For a bus	30/-	10/-	10/-

SCHEDULE 02

	<i>Per month Rs.</i>
(a) For a three wheeler	150/-
(b) For a car or for a van -	
(i) Diesel driven	200/-
(ii) Petrol or gas driven	200/-
(iii) For a small lorry	250/-
(c) For a tractor with or without a trailer	200/-
(d) For a bus	250/-

If a parking place is frequently required for individuals living in the town, it can be allocated on payment of following fees.

SCHEDULE 03

	<i>Fee for month Rs.</i>	<i>Fee per year Rs.</i>
(a) For a tractor with or without a trailer	200/-	2,000/-
(b) For a motor car or motor coach	250/-	2,500/-
(c) For a lorry	200/-	2,000/-
(d) For a motor cycle	Nil	Nil
(e) For a bus	250/-	2,500/-

SCHEDULE 04

This shall include places nominated by the Sabha as Vehicle Parking Place.