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County Borough of Swansea.

BYE-LAWS

WITH RESPECT TO THE

Decent conduct of Persons using Sanitary Conveniences.

H. LANG COATH, TOWN CLERK, SWANSEA.

Thomas & Parry, Ltd., Caer Street, Swansea.

COUNTY BOROUGH OF SWANSEA.

BYE-LAWS

Made by the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the County Borough of Swansea acting by the Council as to the decent conduct of persons using Sanitary Conveniences provided and maintained by the Council for public accommodation in the County Borough of Swansea.

Interpretation of Terms.

1. Throughout these bye-laws the expression "the Council" means the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the County Borough of Swansea, acting by the Council and the expression "Sanitary Convenience" means a Sanitary Convenience provided and maintained by the Council for public accommodation.

As to the Decent Conduct of Persons using Sanitary Conveniences.

- 2. A person using a sanitary convenience shall not by forcible or improper means seek or obtain entrance to any closet or compartment therein, or seek to obtain the use of any other part thereof, which may be already occupied by any other person.
- 3. A person using a sanitary convenience shall not knowingly intrude upon, or interefere with, the privacy of any other person using such sanitary convenience.
- 4. A person of the male sex, above the age of five years, shall not enter any sanitary convenience set apart exclusively for the use of persons of the female sex; and a person of the female sex shall not enter any sanitary convenience set apart exclusively for the use of persons of the male sex.
- 5. A person using a sanitary convenience shall not wilfully and improperly foul or pollute any wall, floor, door, seat, fitting, or appliance in or forming part of such sanitary convenience.
- 6. A person using a sanitary convenience, consisting of a water-closet earth-closet, or privy, shall not inscribe or write any indecent figure word, or representation, or post or affix any bill in or on any part thereof, not being a part to which the provisions of the Indecent Advertisements Act, 1889 apply.

By virtue of Section 92 of the Criminal Justice Act, 1967 the maximum penalty under this Bye-law was increased to £20 on 1st January, 1968.

Penaties.

7. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing bye-laws shall be liable for every such offence to a penalty of five pounds.

Provided nevertheless, that the justices or court before whom any complaint may be made or any proceedings may be taken in respect of any such offence, may, if they think fit, adjudge the payment, as a penalty, of any sum less than the full amount of the penalty imposed by this bye-law.

Sealed with the Common Seal of the Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of the County Borough of Swansea this twenty-fourth day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty one in the presence of



P. MOLYNEUX,

MAYOR.

H. LANG COATH,

TOWN CLERK.

The foregoing bye-laws as to the decent conduct of persons using Sanitary Conveniences provided and maintained by the Council for public accommodation are hereby allowed by the Minister of Health this fourteenth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and twenty one.



CHARLES KNIGHT.

Assistant Secretary Minister of Health.