

Statutory Instrument No. 24 of 1970

**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (DISTRICT COUNCILS) LAW, 1965
THE CENTRAL DISTRICT (BICYCLE LICENSING) BYE-LAWS, 1970**

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In accordance with the powers vested in him by section 32 of the Local Government (District Councils) Law, 1965 (No. 35 of 1965), the Minister of Local Government and Lands has approved the following bye-laws made by the Central District Council in the exercise of the powers vested in it by section 31 of the said Law —

Citation

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Central District (Bicycle Licensing) Bye-Laws, 1970.

Interpretation

2. In these bye-laws unless inconsistent with the context —

“Council” means the Central District Council;

“current licence disc” means a licence disc valid for the current year;

“district” means the area for which the Council has been established;

“licensing officer” means a revenue officer of the Council.

Licensing of bicycles

3. (1) No person shall own, keep or use a bicycle within the district unless it is licensed in terms of these bye-laws and has affixed to it a current licence disc.

(2) A bicycle licence shall be issued on application by a Licensing Officer on payment of the fee hereinafter prescribed.

(3) When issuing a bicycle licence, the licensing officer shall record the name and address of the person to whom it is issued, the date of issue, identifying particulars of the bicycle in respect of which it is issued, and the identifying number of the licence disc.

(4) Such licence shall be issued in respect of a twelve month period commencing on 1st January in any year and terminating on 31st December of the same year on payment of a fee of 25 cents.

(5) A licence issued under the provisions of these bye-laws shall be in the form of a metal disc impressed with the year for which it is issued and an identifying number.

(6) Such disc shall be affixed to the bicycle in respect of which it is issued and shall be kept affixed to the bicycle at all times by the person having the bicycle in his possession.

(7) A licensing officer on being satisfied that a current licence disc issued by his office has been lost, damaged or destroyed shall issue to the person to whom such disc was issued, a replacement disc on payment of a fee of 15 cents.

(8) Sub-bye-law (3) shall apply to the issue of a replacement disc.

Penalties

4. Any person who contravenes the provisions of sub-bye-law (1) of bye-law 3 shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine of R10.00 or, in default of payment, to imprisonment for a period of one month.

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