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BY-LAWS

MADE UNDER

THE GEORGETOWN TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE
(Chapter 152)

UNDER SECTION 206 OF THE GEORGETOWN TOWN COUNCIL ORDINANCE, THE FOLLOWING BY-LAWS HAVE BEEN MADE BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GEORGETOWN WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE ACTING GOVERNOR-GENERAL:—

1. These By-laws may be cited as the City (Marking and Fencing of Lots) By-laws, 1968, and shall be construed and read as one with the By-laws made by the Mayor and Town Council of Georgetown under Section 192 of the Georgetown Town Council Ordinance, 1898*, and approved by the Governor and Court of Policy on the 26th July, 1917, hereinafter referred to as the Principal By-laws, and all amendments thereto.

2. By-law 2 of the Principal By-laws is hereby amended by the substitution for the words "Boundary palings" of the words "Continuous boundary fencing".

3. By-law 3 of the Principal By-laws is hereby amended —
- (a) by the substitution for the word "palings" of the word "fencing"; and
 - (b) by the substitution for the words "City Engineer" of the word "Council".

4. By-law 4 of the Principal By-laws is hereby revoked.

5. By-law 5 of the Principal By-laws is hereby revoked and the following by-law substituted therefor —

"5. When a lot drain is constructed along a boundary line common to two adjoining lots and continuous boundary fencing is required to mark the same there shall either be a continuous fence on each side of such drain or one continuous fence erected in such position and in such manner as the Council may decide."

6. By-law 6 of the Principal By-laws is hereby amended —
- (a) by the substitution for the word "palings" wherever it appears of the words "a continuous fence"; and

*P. 1751 Vol IX of Subsidiary Legislation 1953 ed.

(b) by the substitution for the semicolon after the word "street" of a full stop and the deletion of all the words appearing thereafter.

7. By-law 7 of the Principal By-laws is hereby amended by the insertion immediately after the word "shall" of the words "erect a continuous fence in order to".

8. The Principal By-laws are hereby amended by the insertion after by-law 7 of the following by-laws —

"7A. (1) Every fence erected under these By-laws shall, except the Council in special circumstances otherwise permits in writing, be not less than three feet nor more than six feet in height.

(2) Metal sheeting shall not be used to fence the street boundary of any lot or portion thereof.

(3) No advertisement shall be painted on or advertising hoarding affixed to any fence on any lot or portion thereof without the approval of the Council. An application for such approval shall be made in writing to the Council and shall include details of the size, colouring, lettering, shape, lighting and character of the proposed advertisement or hoarding and the materials to be used in the construction thereof.

7B. (1) Every person who desires to erect a fence required by these By-laws shall give notice in writing of his intention so to do to the Council and shall specify in such notice the design of the fence and the materials to be used in the construction thereof.

(2) No person shall erect any such fence unless the Council has approved of its design and the materials to be used in its construction.

7C. Where any owner fails to comply with any requirement to erect a fence under these By-laws the Council may erect such fence and may irrespective of the amount recover and enforce payment of any amount spent in pursuance thereof, in a Summary manner before a magistrate under the Summary Jurisdiction (Petty Debt) Ordinance as a Civil debt".

9. By-law 8 of the Principal By-laws is hereby amended by the deletion of the words "palings or".

Made by the Mayor and Town Council of the City of Georgetown this 8th day of April, 1968.

E. L. MAYERS
Town Clerk.

Approved this 29th day of July, 1968.

KENNETH S. STOBY
Acting Governor-General.

(M.P. 79/12/33).