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BRITISH GUIANA.

REGULATIONS
MADE UNDER
THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE,
(Chapter 145).

UNDER SECTIONS 65(c) AND 157 OF THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE THE FOLLOWING REGULATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE BY THE CENTRAL BOARD OF HEALTH WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL :—

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Cremation (Pyre System) (Amendment) Regulations, 1960, and shall be read and construed with the Cremation (Pyre System) Regulations, 1955*, hereinafter referred to as the Principal Regulations and any regulations amending the same .

2. Regulation 11 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by the substitution for the word “four” appearing in the fifth line thereof of the word “six”.

3. The Principal Regulations are hereby amended by the addition of the following new regulations immediately after regulation 16—

“17. (1) Upon application under regulation 3 of these regulations the Board may issue a permit for the establishment of a temporary crematorium for the cremation of human remains by the pyre system on any specified site on the foreshore of British Guiana between low and high tide for a period not exceeding twelve months and any such permit may be renewed on application to the Board after its expiration for a further period of twelve months:

Provided that no permit shall be issued by the Board under paragraph (1) of this regulation unless—

- (a) the site is situate where its use is not likely to cause a nuisance;
- (b) the site is sufficiently fenced or screened from animals and from public view; and
- (c) no reasonable objection to the use of the site for cremation of human remains is made by a local authority or by more than fifty persons resident in the district.

(2) The Board, may at any time, cancel any permit issued for the establishment of a temporary crematorium and shall notify the person in whose name the permit was issued of such cancellation.

18. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, contained in these regulations, paragraph 1(a) and (b) and paragraph 4 of regulation 3, regulations 4, 5 and 9 and paragraph (a) and (b) of regulation 16 shall not

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apply to an application for permission to construct or the construction of a temporary crematorium for the cremation of human remains by the pyre system.”

4. Regulation 17 of the Principal Regulations is hereby amended by re-numbering the regulation as 19.

Made by the Central Board of Health on the Twenty-Third day of March, 1960.

I. A. SEELIG,
Secretary.

Approved in Council this 25th day of November, 1959.

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