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**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE
(Cap. 14)****THE EASTERN ISLANDS COUNCIL (VILLAGE CLEANING)
BYE-LAW 1976**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by section 50 of the Local Government Ordinance, the Eastern Islands Council, in pursuance of a resolution dated the 18th day of August 1975 hereby makes the following bye-laws:-

1. These bye-laws may be cited as the Eastern Islands Council (Village Cleaning) Bye-laws 1976.

2. In these bye-laws -

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tation.

"householder" includes the principal occupant of the house, whether by ownership, tenancy or otherwise;

"sanitary officer" means a sanitary officer as defined in the Public Health Ordinance 1970;

"village committee" means a committee appointed by the people of any village to supervise the communal affairs of that village;

"area constable" means any person employed in that capacity by the Eastern Islands Council.

3. Every village committee or, in any village where there is no village committee, the area constable, shall mark out an area around each dwelling house, and it shall be the duty of the householder of that house to keep such area clean, and any person who fails to keep such area clean to the satisfaction of a sanitary officer shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of ten dollars or in default of payment to imprisonment for one month. Duty to keep house area clean.

4. Every area within the generally accepted boundaries of any village and not included within the individual areas marked out under bye-law 3 shall be deemed a public place for the purposes of these bye-laws. Definition of public place.

5. Any person who deposits rubbish upon, or in any way makes dirty any public place in any village shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine of ten dollars or in default of payment to imprisonment for one month. Penalty for deposits of rubbish etc.

Made under the common seal of the Eastern Islands Council at Santa Cruz this 14th day of September 1976.

M. BONUNGA
President of the Council

Approved by the Minister this 16th day of June 1976.

J. FIFI
Minister of Home Affairs

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P. SMILEY
Clerk to the Eastern Islands Council

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