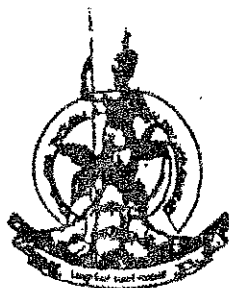


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THE BANKS/TORRES LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL

THE DOG TAX REGIONAL LAW NO 1 OF 1985

To provide for a Dog Tax and matters connected therewith.

IN EXERCISE of the power contained in section 26 of the Decentralization Act No 11 of 1980, the Local Government Council hereby makes the following Regional Law:

INTERPRETATION

1 In this Regional Law unless the context otherwise requires -

"Council" means the BANKS/TORRES Local Government Council;

"Dog" means a dog, whether male or female, not less than six months old;

"Licence" means a valid licence issued under section 3 of this Regional Law;

"Owner" in relation to a dog means the keeper of that and includes the occupier of any premises in which the dog is ordinarily kept or permitted to live or remain, and includes any person in whose care the dog may temporarily be, whether loose or who may harbour it.

CREATION OF A DOG LICENCE

- 2 (1) There is hereby created an annual tax to be known as the Dog Tax.
- (2) Every dog tax shall become payable from the first day of July and not later than the last day of the month of October each year.

APPLICATION FOR AN ISSUE OF LICENCES

- 3 (1) No person shall, within the BANKS/TORRES Local Government Region, keep any dog unless such person shall have taken out and is in lawful possession of a valid licence in the form set out in Schedule B.
- (2) Upon application therefor by or on behalf of the owner of a dog, submission of the information required to be entered in the register maintained under section 6 of this Regional Law and upon payment of the appropriate tax prescribed in Schedule C, the Council shall issue a licence in the name of the owner in respect of that dog.
- (3) Every dog licence shall remain valid for one year.
- (4) Upon application therefor and payment of the appropriate tax prescribed in Schedule C, the Council may issue a duplicate licence.
- (5) Application for a dog licence shall be in the form set out in Schedule A.

#### LATE PAYMENTS

- 4 In the case of late payment the amount due shall be increased by fifty per cent (50%).

#### DOG LICENCE TO BE RECOVERED AS CIVIL DEBT

- 5 If a person fails to pay the dog tax to which he is liable, the Council may recover the amount due including any surcharge as a civil debt together with costs and in addition to any penalty which a court may impose.

#### REGISTER OF LICENCE

- 6 The Council shall maintain a register of all licences issued under this Regional Law.

#### DESTRUCTION OF DISEASED DOG

- 7 Any medical officer or any officer of the Council authorized by the Council in writing for the purposes of this Regional Law may if he thinks fit cause to be destroyed any diseased or infected dog or any dog suspected of being diseased.

#### POWER OF POLICE AND COUNCIL OFFICERS

- 8 It shall be lawful for any officer of the Council authorized by the Council in writing for the purpose of this Regional Law, or any police officer at all reasonable times to demand the production of any licence for inspection, and to make enquiries to ascertain whether any breach of this Regional Law has been committed.

#### DUTY OF OWNER TO PREVENT ATTACKS

- 9 It shall be the duty of the owner of every dog to ensure that such dogs do not in any place to which the public resort or have access, attack any person or domestic animal; and if any dog shall in any such place, attack any person or domestic animal the owner of that dog shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding 500 VT or in default of payment to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one week.

#### OFFENCE TO OBSTRUCT POLICE OR COUNCIL OFFICERS

- 10 Any person who obstructs or impedes any police officer or officer of the Council acting in the due exercise of his powers under this Regional Law or who makes any false statement to any such officers whilst acting as aforesaid, or who refuses or fails without lawful excuse to produce any licence he is duly required to produce, shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding 500 VT or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one week, or to both such fine and imprisonment.

EVIDENCE

- 11 In any proceeding arising out of or under this Regional Law every dog shall be presumed to be over the age of six months and the onus of proving the contrary shall be on the person who so alleges.

POWER TO IMPOUND DOGS

- 12 (1) Any police officer or officer of the Council may seize and impound any dog found wandering at large in circumstances in which it constitutes a nuisance or danger to the public or to any person.
- (2) Any dog so impounded shall forthwith be taken to and detained in the Council pound.

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDING TO BE GIVEN TO OWNER

- 13 Where the owner of any dog so impounded is known, notice of such impounding shall forthwith be given to him.

RELEASE OF IMPOUNDING DOG

- 14 No dog that has been impounded shall be released to the owner unless all outstanding pound taxes prescribed in Schedule C have been paid.

SALE OR DESTRUCTION OF UNCLAIMED DOG

- 15 Where any dog that has been impounded under this Regional Law is not claimed and released within three days of having been so impounded, the Council may cause it to be destroyed or sold; and if sold the proceeds after deduction of any licence and pound fees outstanding, and any other expense incurred in connection with such sale, shall be held for one month and if not claimed by the owner within that period, shall be paid into and form part of the Council's funds.

OFFENCE TO RELEASE OR INJURE IMPOUNDED DOGS WITHOUT AUTHORITY

- 16 Any person who without lawful authority or lawful excuse releases or injures or attempts to release or injure any dog detained in the Council pound shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding 500 VT or to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one week or to both such fine and imprisonment.

CHANGE OF OWNERSHIP

- 17 (1) Where there is a change of ownership in respect of a dog, the Council shall be informed and the appropriate tax prescribed in Schedule C shall be paid.
- (2) Any person who contravenes section (1) shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding 500 VT or, in default of payment, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one week.

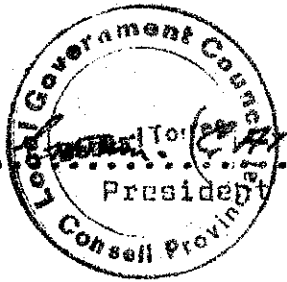
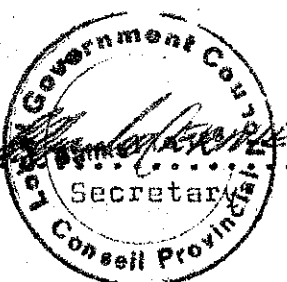
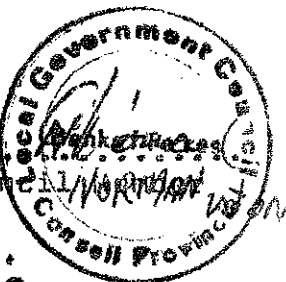
OFFENCE

- 18 Any person who being the owner of a dog fails to pay the dog licence shall be guilty of an offence and shall on conviction, be liable to a fine not exceeding 500 VT or to a period of imprisonment not exceeding one week or to both such fine and imprisonment.

COMMENCEMENT

- 19 The Regional Law shall come into force on the date of its publication in the gazette.

MADE Under the seal of the BANKS/TORRE Local Government Council.

Approved by the Minister this 17th day of April 1985.

  
 J. REGENVANU  
Minister of Home Affairs



REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

<sup>TORRES</sup>  
THE ~~BANKS~~ LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCIL

The Dog Tax Regional Law No 1 of 1985

(Section 3 (2))

SCHEDULE A

APPLICATION OF LICENCE

I, ..... of ..... hereby apply  
for a licence to keep in my household a male/female dog  
(delete whichever is not appropriate).

.....  
Signed

SCHEDULE B

(Section 3 (1))

FORM OF LICENCE

Licence is hereby granted to ..... of  
..... to keep in his household a male/female  
dog (delete whichever is not appropriate) from the.....  
day of ....., 19 .. subject to the provisions of  
the Council's Dog Tax Regional Law No .. of 1984.

Dated: .....  
.....  
Treasurer

Fee paid: VT .....

SCHEDULE C

(Sections 3, 14 and 17)

FEEES FOR LICENCES

- (A) Original Dog Licence:
  - 150 VT female dog per head per year
  - 180 VT male dog per head per year.
- (B) Duplicate Licence:
  - 20 VT.
- (C) Pound Fee per dog:
  - 20 VT per head.
- (D) Fee in respect of Transfer of Ownership of a dog:
  - 20 VT.

THE CITIZENSHIP (FOREIGN WOMEN MARRIED  
TO VANUATU CITIZENS) REGULATION 1980  
SECTION 10


The following persons have been registered in accordance with the citizenship (Foreign women married to vanuatu citizens) Regulation 1980 as citizens of the Republic of Vanuatu.

Tescia Tari	Virialia Kaleskau
Melody Masiu Tuku	Loloma Tikoi Sydney Tali
Melanie Anne Rakau	Dorothy Margaret Regenvenu
Ah Yen Bob Joe	Maria Malmerer
Vivien Rara	Ataca Lagikula Virangtuleo
Maria Kaleskau	Elizabeth Simon
Laise Tamata	Mere Abel
Ruth Borogu	Anita Lea Reuben
Janet Banyan	Dorothy Anne Elizabeth Neupe
Selai Merema Tavoa	Lythi Mac Lan
Fulori Colosaru Spooner	Grimaud Marie-Renee Vanick
Beattice Maine	Josephine Takau
Patricia Iduu Nafuki	Akeniai Likulebe Kiri
Adi Naikocoe Roeta Hopman	Merice Kaloucaya Maltalal
Seno Korona Bong	Helene Ismaïen
Shiela Moses	Jean Malleai
Margaret Inagle Worek	Vani Kulavere Tennis
Keresi Quotunikerawa Natuman	Anne Tinalase Kasten
Kithieux Gilde Fred	Pirida Pivilis Mewa
Mary Margaret Gilu	Helen Tuprik
Elise Lui	Kalela Manufekai Abner
Kelera Sing Tevi	Louise Tarimes
Corcette James	Tebu Roziki Tafa Rosh
Kessi Timekata	Mareani Radinivugalei Yellish
Florence Vakoro	Rose Ake
Caroline Jane Nelo	Taufa Maseng Nelo
Nicholls Irene	Taga Yvannah
Vale Marie France	Luan Noelle
Malia Penikoeite Gideon	Mary Tui Benny
Neusien Antoinette	Simone



Melterosaim Nike  
Luise Danford Lui  
Grimud Marie Renee Yannick  
Malere Kanial  
Wayane Kalmet Makata  
Pime Gabrielle  
Grace Arthur  
Marie Gautier Dovan  
Liufau Maria  
Taiwia Marie-Agnes  
Anne Maria Shing  
Ariete N. Smith  
Taniel Marie-Joe  
Elizabeth Qualeo  
Tangata Diana Willie  
Mary Bridget Lini  
Apissai Loloca Tokon  
Vallette Josette  
Pettersen Marie Yvana  
Jonathan Gali Rose  
David Isabella  
Esa Neemia Brian  
Mai Wei King  
Colette Teshiu Vanua  
Nirua Juliana  
Luise Danford Lui  
Eve Japeth  
Susan Timothy

Pakoro Cecile  
Sadimoen Josiane Joana  
Nina B. Thomas  
Feao Moeata Laau  
Maryse Douyere Wayane  
Tavunvo Simone  
Deborah Roy  
Barthelery Isaacar  
David Cecile  
Keeala Wati Hanghangkon  
Senimelia Senimokosoi Ierongen  
Jacqueline Nafoui Tsintsianus  
Miriam Bui Kenny  
Cheung Hue  
Eveline Ellen Kanas  
Merica Moses  
Pio Marie-Renie  
Galinie Lydia  
Massing Solange  
Nganga Eileen Theresa  
Maema Aho Mavani Abel  
Penelope Susan Beereleo  
Monique Tarimas  
Palmer Annick  
Lawao Florina  
Anne Valerie Wilson  
Kalerap Linda

  
Roy B. Joseph  
Secretary Citizenship Commission

10th May, 1985



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COMPANIES REGULATION (CAP.9)

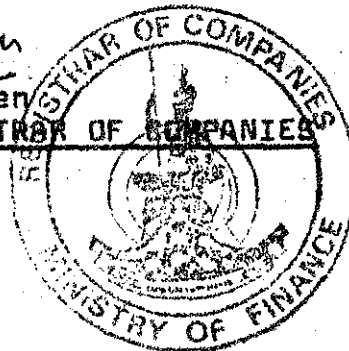
TAKE NOTICE pursuant to Section 369 of the Companies Regulation (Cap.9), the name of:-

CONSULTING ENGINEERS INTERNATIONAL LIMITED

has been struck off the Register of Companies at Port Vila, Vanuatu and the company dissolved.

Dated at Vila this thirtieth day of April, 1985.

  
S. Uren  
REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES





REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

COMPANIES REGULATION (CAP.9)

TAKE NOTICE pursuant to Section 369 of the Companies Regulation (Cap.9), unless cause be shown to the contrary, the name of:-

SULUA PLANTATION LIMITED

will be struck off the Register of Companies at Vila, Vanuatu and the company dissolved at the expiration of three months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Vila this thirteenth day of May, 1985.

*S. Uren*  
S. Uren  
REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES





REPUBLIC OF VANUATU

COMPANIES REGULATION (CAP.9)

TAKE NOTICE pursuant to Section 369 of the Companies Regulation (Cap.9), unless cause be shown to the contrary, the name of

NEW HEBRIDES FINANCE CORPORATION LIMITED

will be struck off the Register of Companies at Vila, Vanuatu and the company dissolved at the expiration of three months from the date of this notice.

Dated at Vila this second day of May, 1985.

*S. Uren*  
S. Uren  
REGISTRAR OF COMPANIES

