

Council for the Parish
OF
SIBLE HEDINGHAM

BYE-LAWS

made under Section 8 (1) (d) of the
Local Government Act, 1894,

FOR THE

**Management of the
Recreation Ground
Sible Hedingham, Halstead,
ESSEX
1966.**

60, Christmas Field,
Sible Hedingham,
Halstead.

B. W. EVERITT,
Clerk of the Council.

SIBLE HEDINGHAM PARISH COUNCIL

BYE-LAWS

*Made under Section 8 (1) (d) of the Local Government Act 1894,
by the Council of the Parish of Sible Hedingham, with respect to a
Recreation Ground situated in the said Parish.*

1. Throughout these byelaws the expression 'the Council' means the Parish Council of Sible Hedingham and the expression 'the ground' means the Recreation Ground situated in Sible Hedingham, Halstead.

2. An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty on the ground by an officer of the Council, or by any person or servant of any person employed by the Council, shall not be deemed an offence against these byelaws.

3. A person shall not:—

- (a) carelessly or negligently deface, injure or destroy any wall or fence in or enclosing the ground, or any building, barrier, railing, post, or seat or any erection or ornament on the ground.
- (b) wilfully, carelessly or negligently soil or defile any wall or fence in or enclosing the ground, or any building, barrier, railing, post, or seat or any erection or ornament on the ground.

4. A person shall not except in pursuance of a lawful agreement with the Council, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege bring or cause to be brought on to the ground any beast of draught or burden or any cattle, sheep, goats or pigs.

5. (i) A person shall not except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege bring or cause to be brought on to the ground any barrow, truck, machine or vehicle other than:

- (a) a wheeled bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine;
- (b) a wheel-chair, tricycle, perambulator or chaise drawn or propelled by hand and used solely for the conveyance of a child or children or an invalid.

Provided that where the Council set apart a space on the ground for the use of any class of vehicle this byelaw shall not be deemed to prohibit the driving in or to that space by a direct route from the entrance to the ground of any vehicle of the class for which is set apart.

(ii) A person shall not except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege ride any bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine on any part of the ground.

6. A person shall not on the ground remove, cut or displace any gravel, soil, turf or plant.

7. Where the Council set apart any such part of the ground as may be fixed by the Council, and may be described in a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position on the ground, for the purpose of any game specified in the notice board, which, by reason of the rules or manner of playing, or for the prevention of damage, danger or discomfort to any person on the ground, may necessitate the exclusive use by the player or players of any space on such part of the ground – a person shall not in any space elsewhere on the ground play or take part in any game so specified in such a manner as to exclude persons not playing or taking part in the game from the use of such space.

8. (a) A person shall not except with the consent of the Council erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure on the ground.

(b) A person shall not affix any bill, placard or notice to or upon any tree, or to or upon any part of any building, seat or other erection on the ground.

9. A person shall not on the ground :—

- (a) beat, shake, sweep, brush or cleanse any carpet, drugget, rug or mat, or any other fabric retaining dust or dirt;
- (b) hang, spread, or deposit any linen or other fabric for drying or bleaching.

10. A person shall not on the ground wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt or annoy any other person in the proper use of the ground, or wilfully obstruct, disturb or interrupt any officer of the Council in the proper execution of his duty or any person or

servant of any person employed by the Council in the proper execution of his duty.

11. A person shall not wilfully, carelessly, or negligently throw or discharge on the ground any missile to the damage or danger of any person.

12. A person shall not cause or suffer any dog belonging to him or in his charge to enter or remain on the ground, unless such dog be and continue to be under proper control, and be effectually restrained from causing annoyance to any person.

13. A person shall not on the ground sell, or offer or expose for sale, or let to hire, or offer or expose for letting to hire, any commodity or article, unless in pursuance of an agreement with the Council, or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, he is authorised to sell or let to hire on the ground such commodity or article.

14. A person shall not on the ground use any obscene language to the annoyance of any person.

15. Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding FIVE POUNDS.

16. Every person who shall infringe any byelaw for the regulation of the ground may be removed therefrom by any Officer of the Council, or by any constable, in any one of the several cases hereinafter specified, that is to say:—

(a) Where the infraction of the byelaw is committed within the view of such officer or constable, and the name and residence of the person infringing the byelaw are unknown to and cannot be readily ascertained by such officer or constable.

(b) Where the infraction of the byelaw is committed within the view of such officer or constable, and, from the nature of such infraction, or from any other fact of which such officer or constable may have knowledge, or of which he may be credibly informed, there may be reasonable ground for belief that the continuance on the ground of the person infringing the byelaw may result in another infraction of a byelaw, or that the removal of such person from the ground is otherwise necessary as a security for the proper use and regulation thereof.

The personal seals of the undersigned members of the Sible Hedingham Parish Council were hereunto affixed at and in pursuance of a Resolution passed by a meeting of the Council duly convened and holden on the Eleventh day of July, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty-Six in the presence of:

(Sgd.) F. W. Pawsey,
(L.S.)

(Sgd.) V. H. Moll,
(L.S.)

(Sgd.) B. W. EVERITT,

Clerk of the Council.



The Secretary of State this day confirmed the foregoing bye-laws and fixed the date on which they are to come into operation as the First day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Six.

R. J. GUPPY,

An assistant Under Secretary of State.

Whitehall.

3rd October, 1966.