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THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE

(CAP. 333)

BY-LAWS

Made by the Tanga Town Council under section 59 of the Local Government Ordinance and approved by the Minister for Local Government

THE TANGA (USE OF THE MEMORIAL STADIUM) BY-LAWS, 1962

1. These By-laws may be cited as the Tanga (Use of Memorial Stadium) By-laws, 1962. Short title

2. In these By-laws—

Interpretation

“Attendant” means the caretaker or groundsman appointed by the Council to supervise the stadium.

“Council” means Tanga Town Council.

“Event” includes any football match or cinema show.

“Evening” means from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m.

“Stadium” means the War Memorial Stadium.

“Treasurer” means the Town Treasurer.

“Unauthorized person” includes any person who has entered the stadium or grandstand without paying any entry fee which the hirer is entitled to charge.

“Whole day” means from 8 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.

3. All applications for the hire of the stadium shall be made to the Town Treasurer.

Hire
application to
be made to
Treasurer in
writing

(a) All applications shall be made in writing and shall state the period and purposes for which the use of the stadium is desired.

4. No application for the hire of the stadium will be considered unless—

Application
to be made
48 hours in
advance and
accompanied
by fees

(a) it is accompanied by the full fee payable for the period or events mentioned in the application; and

(b) the application is made at least 48 hours before the use of the stadium is wanted.

5. On receipt of a valid application to hire the stadium, the Treasurer shall enter the application on a register to be kept for that purpose and shall unless—

Valid
application to
be registered

(1) the stadium has already been reserved for the period requested; or

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- (2) he is of opinion that it is not in the interest of the Council that the application should be granted, reserve the use of the stadium for the applicant for the period specified in the application or for such part of the period as the stadium is available.
- Hirer to be informed of reservation of stadium 6. Whenever the stadium has been reserved the Treasurer shall issue to the hirer an authorization in the form of Schedule "A" hereto and shall transmit copies thereof to the Town Engineer and the officer in charge of the Police Station, Tanga.
- Fees returnable on prior booking 7. In any case where the Treasurer does not reserve the stadium on receipt of an application he shall so inform the applicant forthwith and shall return to the applicant his application fee.
- Information as to booking 8. The Treasurer shall inform any person who makes enquiry during office hours whether or not the stadium is reserved for any period specified by the person enquiring.
- Fees 9. The fees payable for the hire of the stadium shall be as set out in Schedule "B" hereto: provided that in any case where the use of the stadium is desired for charitable purposes or for official ceremonies the Council may reduce or waive the hire fee.
- Stadium not to be used when declared unfit for use 10.—(a) No person shall use the stadium ground if the attendant or the Town Engineer declares that it is unfit for use.
(b) In the event of the stadium being declared unfit for use after being reserved for a hirer the Treasurer shall repay to the hirer any fee paid for the period of unfitness.
- When the hirer to vacate stadium 11.—(a) Hirers of the stadium for a whole day shall vacate it by 7.30 p.m.
(b) No hirer of the stadium for one event only shall occupy the stadium for more than 2 hours.
- Erection of stalls in stadium 12.—(a) Any hirer of the stadium wishing to set up stalls on any other erection within the stadium shall inform the Town Engineer at least 24 hours before it is proposed to erect anything.
- Unseemly behaviour 13. The attendant or any senior officer of the Council or any Police Officer may require any unauthorized person or any person behaving in an unseemly manner to leave the stadium.
- Offences and penalties 14. Any person who—
(a) refuses to leave the stadium or grandstand when required to do so under the preceding by-laws;
(b) uses or attempts to use the stadium after it has been declared unfit for use;
(c) uses or attempts to use the stadium without a valid letter of authority;
(d) climbs any wall, railing, fence or building in or around the stadium;
(e) within the stadium behaves in an unruly or indecent manner; or
(f) maliciously damages or destroys any wall, gates, fence, post or any other property of the Council at the stadium,
shall be guilty of an offence against these by-laws and shall be liable on conviction to a fine of Shs. 500/- or two months' imprisonment or to both such fine and imprisonment.

SCHEDULE "A"

TANGA TOWN COUNCIL

AUTHORIZATION: TO USE THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM

(Name)
 (Address)
 is hereby authorized to use the stadium for the purposes of

 between the hours of
 on
 and subject to the conditions appearing on the back hereof.
 Fee paid Shs. /
 Receipt No.
 Date:

Town Treasurer

CONDITIONS

- (1) The hirer uses the stadium at his own risk and shall indemnify the Council against any claims arising from the hirer's use of the stadium.
- (2) The applicant shall take all reasonable precautions to prevent damage to the ground, gates, fences and stands and shall pay to the Council the amount of any damages caused to the stadium as a result of its use, by the hirer.
- (3) The applicant shall contain the necessary police permission in any case where the use of the stadium makes such permission necessary.
- (4) In the event of the applicant using the stadium for a period longer than that authorized he shall in addition to any liabilities he is required to meet under condition (1) pay to the Council the sum of Shs. 30/- for each hour or part of an hour he uses the stadium beyond the authorized period.

SCHEDULE "B"

	Shs.
(1) For the hire of the stadium for one whole day or part of a day and an evening for fêtes, shows and other occasions not consisting entirely of games or athletics	250/-
For each subsequent day	100/-
(2) For hire of the stadium for one whole day for games or athletic events only	150/-
For each subsequent day	100/-
(3) For hire of the stadium for one whole day for any meeting, gathering or other event for which no entry fee is charged	100/-
(4) For hire of the stadium per evening	60/-
(5) For hire of the stadium for one event only	40/-
Provided that when the event is an invitation match between a local team and a team from outside Tanga, or two teams from outside Tanga the fee shall be Shs. 80/-.	
(6) For hire of the stadium for one event only if no entry fee is charged ...	25/-

The Common Seal of the Tanga Town Council was affixed hereto in pursuance of a resolution passed at a meeting of the said Council duly convened and held on the twenty-sixth day of September, 1962, and the same was so affixed in the presence of—



W. R. MWAKITANGWE,
Vice-Chairman

J. S. ABERNETHY,
Town Clerk

I APPROVE

Dar es Salaam,
 12th January, 1963

J. M. LUSINDE,
Minister for Local Government