THE PUBLIC HEALTH ORDINANCE, 1960 (Ordinance No. 7 of 1960)

SIPITANG DISTRICT COUNCIL (SLAUGHTERHOUSES) BY-LAWS, 1987

In exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 66 and 75 of the Public Health Ordinance, 1960 the Sipitang District Council has made the following By-laws:-

Title and commencement.

1. These By-Laws may be cited as the Sipitang District Council (Slaughterhouses) By-laws, 1987 and shall come into operation on the 1st day of June, 1987.

Approval of slaughter houses.

2. No place shall be used as a slaughter house unless approved by the Council. Such approval may be withdrawn at any time if in the opinion of the Council the premises are found to be unfit for use as a slaughter house.

Cleanliness.

3. Every slaughter house together with the yards, pens, and appurtenances thereto shall be kept in the complete repair and in an efficient sanitary condition and all filth or refuse shall be removed forth-with by the slaughter to the satisfaction of the Council.

Disposal of refuse.

4. All filth or refuse shall be deposited and disposed of only in such place and in such manner as the Council may from time to time direct.

Diseased animals.

- **5.** (1) No diseased animals shall be admitted for slaughter, and the Council may refuse to allow the slaughter or any animal or the dressing of any carcase which by reasons or emaciation is unfit for humans.
 - (2) The Council shall have power to examine any carcase or any animal intended to be slaughtered.
- (3) On such examination the Council may order any animal found to be unfit for human consumption to be killed and may order any carcase so found to be so disposed of as to prevent it being used for humans.

Detention.

6. Only animals brought for slaughter shall be admitted to pens at any slaughter house. The Council may regulate the period for which such animal may be kept therein.

Fees.

7. The following fees shall be levied:-

For the slaughter of cattle/buffalo	\$25.00 per head
For the slaughter of pigs	\$10.00 per head
For the slaughter of goats/sheep	\$ 5.00 per head

Dated at Sipitang, this 16th day of April, 1987.

MAJOR BERNARD LEE, Chairman, Sipitang District Council.

I approve the foregoing By-laws.

Dated at Kota Kinabalu, this 27th day of January, 1988.

DATUK AHMAD BAHROM BIN
DATUK HAJI ABU BAKAR TITINGAN,
Minister of Local Government
and Housing.

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