

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE, 1961
(Ordinance No. 11 of 1961)

THE BEAUFORT DISTRICT COUNCIL (PLANTING) BY-LAWS, 1982

In exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 50 (1) of the Local Government Ordinance, 1961 [*Ord. No. 11 of 1961.*], the Beaufort District Council with the approval of the Minister has made the following By-laws:

Short title.

1. These By-laws may be cited as the Beaufort District Council (Planting) By-laws, 1982.

Interpretation.

2. In these By-laws:—

- (i) "Head of household" means the person who is the breadwinner or supporter of a family or upon whom his dependants rely for food support and includes a tenant who has rented his house from another person.
- (ii) "surrounding permitted" means an open space available within the land where the house is situated and occupied by the Head of the household.

Requirement to plant crops.

3. Every Head of household shall be responsible to cultivate, in the surrounding permitted, and keep in cultivation the following:-

- (a) At least three beds (12' x 4') of vegetables and any of the cash crops such as tapioca, chilli, calladiu, tomatoes, brinjals, etc.;
- (b) At least two plants of each group of eight various kinds of fruit trees such as jack fruits; passion fruits; durian palanta; mango; rambutan; lemon, etc.;
- (c) At least ten different kinds of decorative plants such as flame of the forest, Hibiscus, and various types of flowers.

4. Where the Head of household has rented out his house to another person, it shall be his responsibility to provide a surrounding permitted within the land where the house rented out is situated for the purpose of allowing his tenant to carry out cultivation of the crops mentioned in By-law 3 of these By-laws.

Penalty.

5. Any person who contravenes any of the provisions of these By-laws shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a fine which may extend up to five hundred ringgit.

Dated at Beaufort, this 5th day of April, 1982.

DATUK TUANKU BALANGGUNG ALHAJ,
Chairman,
Beaufort District Council.

I approve the foregoing By-laws.

Dated at Kota Kinabalu, this 27th day of August, 1982.

AYUB AMAN,
*Minister of Town and Country
Development.*

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