

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT ORDINANCE 1961**  
**(No. 11 of 1961)**

**SEMPORNA DISTRICT COUNCIL**  
**(DEALING IN SCRAP) BY-LAWS 1981**  
**(G.N.L 5 of 1982)**

In exercise of the powers conferred upon it by section 50 of the Local Government Ordinance 1961, the Semporna District Council has made the following by-laws:

**1. Citation, application and commencement.**

These by-laws may be cited as the Semporna District Council (Dealing in Scrap) By-laws 1981, shall apply to the township of Semporna and shall come into operation on the 1st day of January 1982.

**2. Interpretation.**

In these By-laws, "dealing in scrap" means the buying of scrap materials of whatever kind except rubber scrap.

**3. Licence for dealing in scrap.**

No person may deal in scrap except in accordance with a licence granted by the Council.

**4. Application for licence.**

An application for a licence shall be in writing and shall state the age of the applicant, the proposed place of business and the kind of scrap he proposes to deal in.

**5. Grant of licence.**

The Council may, in its absolute discretion, grant or refuse a license, or grant a licence subject to such conditions as it thinks fit.

**6. Duration of licence.**

Every licence shall, subject to the provisions of these By-laws, expire on the 31st day of December of the year in which it is granted.

**7. Fee.**

The annual fee for a licence shall be thirty ringgit:

Provided that for any licence granted after the 31st day of January of any year the fee shall be two ringgit and fifty sen for each month or part of a month remaining unexpired in the year.

**8. Register of purchases.**

- (1) Every person licensed to deal in scrap shall maintain a register of purchases made by him.
- (2) Such register shall record the name and address of the person from whom scrap is purchased, the kind of

scrap, the quantity and price paid.

- (3) Such register shall be open to inspection by any authorised officer of the Council at any time during business hours.

**9. Inspection of scrap.**

No scrap in respect of which the Council has notified its intention to inspect shall be removed from the licensee's premises or be treated or otherwise disposed of.

**10. Penalty.**

Any person contravening the provisions of these By-laws shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable to a fine of five hundred ringgit.

**11. Cancellation of licence.**

The Council may cancel or suspend a licence if the licensee or any assistant of the licensee is convicted of any offence under these By-laws.

Dated at Semporna this 23rd day of July 1981.

MOHAMMAD ZULFIKAR,  
*Chairman,*  
*Semporna District Council.*

I approve the foregoing By-laws.

Dated at Kota Kinabalu this 30th day of November 1981.

DATUK YAP PAK LEONG,  
*Minister of Town and Country Development.*

*September 2006*