# **ADUR DISTRICT COUNCIL**

## **BYELAWS**

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at

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- 1. Throughout these byelaws the expression "the Council" means the Adur District Council and the expression "the pleasure ground" means the pleasure ground at Mill Hill aforesaid and for the purposes of identification only shown edged red on the plan deposited at the offices of the Secretary and Solicitor to the Council.
- 2. An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty in the pleasure 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 in the pleasure ground
  - (i) fly any model aircraft driven by the combustion of petrol vapour or other combustible substances:
  - (ii) take off, fly or land any glider or (except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause) any other aircraft.
- 4. A person shall not in the pleasure ground
  - (i) wilfully, carelessly, or negligently soil or defile any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or any building, barrier, railing, post, or seat, or any erection or ornament;
  - (ii) climb any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or any tree, or any barrier, railing, post or other erection;
  - (iii) wilfully, carelessly, or negligently remove or displace any barrier, railing, post or seat, or any part of any erection or ornament, or any implement provided for use in the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.
- 5. 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 into the pleasure ground any cattle, sheep, goats or pigs or any beast of draught or burden.
- 6. (i) A person shall not, except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege bring or cause to be brought into the pleasure ground any barrow, truck, machine or vehicle other than
  - (a) a wheeled bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine;

(b) a wheel-chair or perambulator 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 in the pleasure 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 pleasure ground of any vehicle of the class for which it 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 in any part of the pleasure ground.
- 7. A person who brings a vehicle into the pleasure ground shall not wheel or station it over or upon
  - (i) any flower bed, shrub, or plant, or any ground in course of preparation as a flower bed, or for the growth of any tree, shrub or plant;
  - (ii) any part of the pleasure ground where the Council by a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure ground prohibit its being wheeled or stationed.
- 8. A person shall not affix any bill, placard, or notice, to or upon any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground, or to or upon any tree, or plant, or to or upon any part of any building, barrier, or railing, or of any seat, or of any other erection or ornament in the pleasure ground.
- 9. A person shall not cause or suffer any dog belonging to him or in his charge to enter or remain in the pleasure ground, unless such dog be and continue to be under proper control, and be effectually restrained from causing annoyance to any person, and from worrying or disturbing any animal or waterfowl, and from entering any ornamental water.
- 10. Where the Council set apart any such part of the pleasure ground as may be fixed by the Council, and described in a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure 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 in the pleasure ground may necessitate, at any time during the continuance of the game, the exclusive use by the player or players of any space in such part of the pleasure ground a person shall not in any space elsewhere in the pleasure 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 a space.
- 11. A person resorting to the pleasure ground and playing or taking part in any game for which the exclusive use of any space in the pleasure ground has been set apart shall –

- (i) not play on the space any game other than the game for which it is set apart;
- in preparing for playing and in playing, use reasonable care to prevent undue interference with the proper use of the pleasure ground by other persons;
- (iii) when the space is already occupied by other players not begin to play thereon without their permission;
- (iv) where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match, not play on that space later than a quarter of an hour before the time fixed for the beginning of the match unless he is taking part therein;
- (v) except where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match in which he is taking part, not use the space for a longer time than two hours continuously, if any other player or players make known to him a wish to use the space.
- 12. A person shall not in any part of the pleasure ground which may have been set apart by the Council for any game play or take part in any game when the state of the ground or other cause makes it unfit for use and a notice is set up in some conspicuous position prohibiting play in that part of the pleasure ground.
- 13. A person shall not in the pleasure ground
  - (i) except as hereinafter provided erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building, or other structure:
    - Provided that this prohibition shall not apply where upon an application to the Council they grant permission to erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building, or other structure, upon such occasion and for such purpose as are specified in the application;
  - (ii) hang, spread, or deposit any linen or other fabric for drying or bleaching;
  - (iii) 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 in the pleasure ground such commodity or article.

- 14. A person shall not in the pleasure ground wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt, or annoy any other person in the proper use of the pleasure 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 any work in connection with the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.
- 15. Every person who shall offend against any of these byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds.
- 16. Every person who shall infringe any byelaw for the regulation of the pleasure 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 -
  - (i) 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:
  - (ii) 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 in the pleasure ground of the person infringing the byelaw may result in another infraction of a byelaw, or that the removal of such person from the pleasure ground is otherwise necessary as a security for the proper use and regulation thereof.

The COMMON SEAL of the Adur
DISTRICT COUNCIL was hereunto
affixed this Eighth day of August
one thousand nine hundred and
seventy five in the presence of:)

C. ROBINSON

Chairman of the Council

R. E. WESTBROOK

Assistant Secretary (Administration)

The foregoing byelaws are hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall come into operation on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of July 1977.

## R. F. D. SHUFFREY

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State An Assistant Under Secretary of State

Home Office, QUEEN ANNE'S GATE.

11 July 1977

#### ADUR DISTRICT COUNCIL

#### **Byelaws**

Made under Section 164 of the Public Health Act, 1875, by the Adur District Council with respect to the Pleasure Ground at Mill Hill, Shoreham-by-Sea in the County of Sussex.

Byelaw 1 of the series of byelaws with respect to the said Pleasure Ground which was made by the Adur District Council on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1975 and confirmed by one of Her Majesty's Assistant Under Secretaries of State on the 11<sup>th</sup> July 1977 is hereby amended by the insertion of the words "dated 1 July 1980" after the word "plan" in such byelaw No. 1.

Byelaw 3(ii) of the series of byelaws with respect to the said Pleasure Ground which was made by the Adur District Council on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1977 and confirmed by one of Her Majesty's Assistant Under Secretaries of State on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September 1977 which repealed and replaced byelaw 3(ii) made by the Adur District Council on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1975 and confirmed by one of Her Majesty's Assistant Under Secretaries of State on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1977 is hereby amended by the deletion therefrom of the word "fly" and of the words "(except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause)" and by the addition thereto, after the words "take off or" of the rods "(except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause)".

The series of byelaws with respect to the said Pleasure Ground made by the Adur District Council on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1975 and confirmed by one of Her Majesty's Assistant Under Secretaries of State on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1977 and amended as aforesaid are hereby further amended by the addition thereto of the following byelaw which shall be read and construed as one with the series of byelaws aforesaid

"3(iii) except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause, fly any glider manned or unmanned, weighing in total more than 4 kilogrammes, or any other aircraft manned or unmanned weighing in total more than 4 kilogrammes, so as to cause a nuisance or annoyance to other persons in the pleasure ground."

THE COMMON SEAL of the ADUR DISTRICT COUNCIL was hereunto affixed this Fourth day of March one thousand nine hundred and eightyone in the presence of:-

F M G STADEN

Secretary and Solicitor

The foregoing byelaw is hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall come into operation on the Twentieth day of May One thousand nine hundred and eighty-one

Seal

G I de DENEY

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State

An Assistant Under Secretary of State

Home Office QUEEN ANNE'S GATE

14<sup>th</sup> May 1981

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3(ii) take off, fly or land any glider, manned or unmanned weighing in total more than 4 kilogrammes or (except in the case of accident or other sufficient cause) any other aircraft manned or unmanned weighing in total more than 4 kilogrammes.

| THE COMMON SEAL of the ADUR                     | ) |
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| DISTRICT COUNCIL was hereunto                   | ) |
| affixed this 3 <sup>rd</sup> day of August 1977 | ) |
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Secretary

The foregoing byelaw is hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

Seal

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State As Assistant Under Secretary of State

Home Office LONDON SW1

15<sup>th</sup> September 1977