GOVERNMENT OF ZAMBIA

STATUTORY INSTRUMENT No. 44 of 2000

The Local Government Act (Laws, Volume 16 Cap 281)

The Kazungula District Council (Cattle Levy) By-Laws, 2000

In exercise of the powers contained in sections *sixty-nine* and *seventy-six* of the Local Government Act, the following By-laws are hereby made:

1. These By-laws may be cited as the Kazungula District Council (Cattle Levy) By-laws, 2000.

Title

Interpretation

- 2. In these By-laws, unless the context otherwise requires—
 - " area " means the area under the jurisdiction of the Council;
 - " cattle " means bulls, cows, heifers, calves, oxen, sheep and goats and any part thereof whether dead or alive.
 - "Check-point" means any place within the area designated by the Council for payment of cattle levy by the officers or employees of the Council;
 - " collector " means any officer of the Council authorised to collect revenue for the Council:
 - " Council " means the Kazungula District Council; and
 - "Movement permit" means a permit issued by the Veterinary Officer under the provisions of the Stock Diseases Act.

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3. A person who slaughters cattle within or exports cattle from the area to sell meat thereof, shall pay to the Council a cattle levy at the following rates—

Imposition of cattle levy

- (a) five thousand kwacha per beast, in this case of a bull, cow, heifer or ox;
- (b) one thousand kwacha per beast in case of a goat or a sheep.
- 4. A person shall not sell or export from the area, any cattle for which no cattle levy has been paid to the Council.

No sale or export of cattle without payment of cattle levy Place of payment and collection of chicken levy

- 5. (1) Cattle levy. shall become payable as soon as the stock movement permit has been issued.
- (2) Payment of cattle levy shall be made at any check-point and shall be received by a collector who shall immediately issue an official receipt for each such payment.

Offences and penalties

- 6. (1) A peson who contravenes any of the provisions of these By-laws commits an offence and shall be liable upon conviction—
 - (a) in the case of a first offence, to a fine not exceeding eighty penalty units or to imprisonment for a period not exceeding six months, or to both; and
 - (b) in the case of a second or subsequent offence, to a fine not exceeding sixteen penalty units for every day during which the contravention continues.

Made by the Kazungula District Council this 1st day of January, 2000.

S. Mabote, Council Chairman, Kazungula District Council

M. M. Mainza, Council Secretary, Kazungula District Council

Confirmed by me at Lusaka this 20th day of March ,2000.

Lusaka [mlgh.102/51/67] A. SEJANI,

Minister of Local Government and

Housing