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WHEREAS, by the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882, it is enacted "that the Council may from time to time make such Bye-Laws as to them seem meet, for the good rule and government of the borough, and for the prevention and suppression of nuisances not already punishable in a summary manner by virtue of any Act in force throughout the borough, and may thereby appoint such fines, not exceeding in any case five pounds, as they deem necessary for the prevention and suppression of offences against the same."

Now, therefore, the Council of the County Borough of Southampton, in pursuance of the powers aforesaid, at a meeting duly held on the 22nd day of November, 1899, at which meeting 36 members of the Council (being more than two-thirds of the whole number of the Council) were present, do hereby make the following Bye-Law, viz. :—

Any Person who shall sound or play upon any musical instrument, or sing in any public place or highway within fifty yards of any dwelling house after being required to desist by an inmate of such house, personally or through his or her servant or through a Constable, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Five Pounds, provided always that this Bye-Law shall not apply to any properly conducted Religious Service.

Given under the Common Seal of the said Council, the 22nd day of November, 1899.

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G. A. E. HUSSEY, *Mayor.*

R. R. LINTHORNE, *Town Clerk.*

Pursuant to "the Municipal Corporations Act, 1882," I, the undersigned Richard Roope Linthorne, Town Clerk of the County Borough of Southampton, do hereby certify and declare that the foregoing is a copy (authenticated by the Common Seal of the said Borough) of a Bye-law duly made by the Council of the said Borough, and that on the 11th day of January, 1900, a copy of such Bye-law, sealed with the Seal of the said Borough, was sent to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, and that on the same day a copy of such Bye-law was also fixed on the Town Hall of the said Borough, and that Her Majesty, within the period of 40 days after a copy of such Bye-law was sent to Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, as aforesaid, did not disallow the said Bye-law or any part thereof.

Dated this 24th day of February, 1900.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "R. R. Linthorne". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish at the end. Below the signature is a horizontal line that is slightly wavy and ends in a small hook.

*Town Clerk.*