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**Borough of Southampton.**

**BYELAWS**

**for the regulation of  
Premises used in connection with  
the business of a Hairdresser or  
Barber in the County Borough of  
Southampton.**

**Scaled by the Council 18th May, 1938.**

**Allowed by the Minister of Health 25th May, 1938.**

**R. RONALD H. MEGGESON,**

*Town Clerk.*

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# BYELAWS

Made by the Mayor Aldermen and Burgesses of the Borough of Southampton acting by the Council pursuant to section 53 of the Southampton Corporation Act, 1937, for the purpose of securing the cleanliness of any premises in the Borough of Southampton registered under that section and used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a hairdresser or barber and of the instruments towels and materials used in such premises.

1. For the purpose of securing the cleanliness of the premises registered under section 53 of the Southampton Corporation Act, 1937, and used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a hairdresser or barber every person carrying on such a business shall in every part of the premises so used cause—

- (a) the surface of all internal walls partitions and ceilings and the underside of the roof of any room where there is no ceiling to be kept at all times in such repair and to be so painted distempered whitewashed papered or similarly treated in manner appropriate to each such surface and to be so cleansed at such intervals as to maintain the same in a cleanly condition ;

- (b) the floor of every room to be cleansed at least once during every day on which business is carried on ;
- (c) the floor to be swept as often as may be necessary to prevent the accumulation of hair clippings, neck wool or other litter ;
- (d) a sufficient number of covered receptacles to be provided and all hair clippings, neck wool or other litter swept from the floor or otherwise accumulating in connection with the business to be placed therein. He shall cause every such receptacle to be emptied as often as may be necessary and at least once during every day upon which business is carried on ;
- (e) every chair or seat to be cleansed as often as may be necessary ;
- (f) every shelf, fitting or table on which instruments, towels or materials are placed to be kept clean ;
- (g) every washbasin and all fixtures and fittings used in connection therewith to be kept clean.

2. For the purpose of securing the cleanliness of the instruments, towels and materials used in premises registered under section 53 of the Southampton Corporation Act, 1937, and used for the purpose of carrying on the business of a hairdresser or barber a person carrying on such a business shall cause—

- (a) each metal instrument to be cleansed before use upon each person ;

- (b) each hairbrush, comb or other similar instrument used in the business to be thoroughly washed at least once daily and otherwise kept clean ;
- (c) each shaving brush, sponge or other article similarly used and each shaving mug or other similar utensil to be cleansed immediately after use for each person so as to ensure that no dirt, soap, lather or other matter remains adhering thereto ;
- (d) where neck wool or other material is used any one piece of such wool or material to be used for not more than one person ;

PROVIDED that if a material other than wool is used which is capable of being cleansed this byelaw shall not operate so as to prevent the subsequent use of any one piece of material after being cleansed ;

- (e) any styptic, not applied by means of a spray or upon fresh cotton wool or other clean material to be clean ;
- (f) soap, other than liquid or powdered or tube soap or shaving cream, to be thoroughly rinsed before use for each separate person ;
- (g) every towel or other similar article used in connection with the business to be clean ;
- (h) paper or linen placed on the back of the chair or head rest to be clean ;
- (i) a fresh supply of water for each person to be used for shaving, lathering or washing.

The Corporate Seal of the Mayor  
Aldermen and Burgesses of the  
Borough of Southampton was  
hereunto affixed the 18th day of  
May, 1938, in the presence of

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*(Signed)*

G. E. H. PRINCE,

*Mayor.*

*(Signed)*

R. RONALD H. MEGGESON,

*Town Clerk.*

The foregoing byelaws are hereby  
confirmed by the Minister of  
Health this twenty-fifth day of  
May, 1938, and shall come into  
operation on the first day of July,  
1938.

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*(Signed)*

F. SLATOR,

*Assistant Secretary,  
Ministry of Health.*