

COMMONWEALTH OF DOMINICA

BY-LAW No. 3 of 1991.

MADE by the St. Joseph Village Council under Section 18 of the Village Councils Ordinance(a) in order to prevent and control the straying of animals in the Village Council District.

(Gazetted 3rd October, 1991.)

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| <p>1. This By-Law may be cited as the—</p> <p>ST. JOSEPH VILLAGE COUNCIL CONTROL OF ANIMALS BY-LAW, 1991.</p> | <p>Short title.</p> |
| <p>2. In this By-Law—</p> <p>“Animal” means bull, bullock, heifer, cow, horse, donkey, mule, pig, sheep, goat or any other animal other than a dog or cat; and</p> <p>“road” means any street, public path, public footpath, or public track.</p> | <p>Interpretation.</p> |
| <p>3. Animals should not be</p> <p>(a) kept at large without sufficient control on any village road;</p> <p>(b) tied near any village road or in such a manner as to endanger users of the road or to be conducive to blockage of any drain or damage to any road;</p> <p>(c) tied or allowed to stray on, in or near any river, beach or river bed.</p> | <p>Control of animals.</p> |
| <p>4. The Clerk of the Council or any authorised agent thereof may impound any animal found in contravention of the provisions of section 3.</p> | <p>Power to impound.</p> |
| <p>5.—(1) The owner or keeper of any animal found at large or in contravention of Section 3 is guilty of an offence.</p> <p>(2) Any person who obstructs the Clerk of the Council or its authorised agent in the exercise of the power conferred upon him under Section 4 of this By-Law is guilty of an offence.</p> | <p>Liability of owner or keeper.</p> |
| <p>6. The owner or keeper or any animal found contravening the provisions of Section 3 or any person acting as aforementioned in Section 5 (2) of this By-Law shall be liable, on summary conviction, to a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.</p> | <p>Penalty.</p> |

(a) L. of Dom. 1961, Cap. 190

Made by the St. Joseph Village Council this 12th day of August, 1988.

RADCLIFFE J. RICHARDS
*Chairman,
St. Joseph Village Council.*

Confirmed by the Minister this 10th day of September, 1991.

HENRY GEORGE
*Minister for Community Development
and Social Affairs.*

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