AKWAPIM SOUTH DISTRICT ASSEMBLY (PUSH TRUCKS) BYE-LAWS, 2017

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred on the AKWAPIM SOUTH DISTRICT ASSEMBLY by section 181 of the Local Governance Act, 2016 (Act 936) these bye-laws are made this 19th day of December, 2017.

License for Push Trucks

1. An owner or a person in possession of a vehicle having four wheels not propelled by mechanical power referred to as "Push Truck" in use for the carriage of goods within the area of authority of the Assembly shall obtain a license for the Push Truck.

Fee

2. The Assembly shall determine the fee which will be fixed by a resolution.

Number plate

3. (1) A push truck for which a license is issued shall have affixed on it a number plate assigned by the Assembly or its authorised agents.

(2) A license shall not be issued under regulation 1 in respect of a push truck which in the opinion of the Assembly is in a condition which poses danger to persons or property.

Disqualification

4. (1) A person below the age of 18 years shall not operate a push truck which is subject to the Bye-laws, and no user of a push truck shall sit on it while it is in motion.

(2) An owner of a push truck shall not allow any person below the age of eighteen years to operate it.

Observe traffic rules

5. A user of a push truck which is subject to these Bye-laws shall observe the normal traffic rules and shall keep close to the right-hand side of the road.

Penalty

6. A person who contravenes this bye-law commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to pay a fine of not less than one hundred penalty units and not more than two hundred and fifty penalty units or a term of imprisonment of not less than six months and not more than twelve months or to both the fine and imprisonment. Forty percent (40%) of fine shall, on payment, be ceded to the Assembly.

Interpretations

7. In these Bye-laws unless the context otherwise requires

"Assembly" means the AKWAPIM SOUTH DISTRICT ASSEMBLY;

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PRESIDING MEMBER **SECRETARY**