

# LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN

## Bye-laws in Respect of Pleasure Grounds, Gardens and Open Spaces

Bye-laws made by the Council of the London Borough of Camden in pursuance of the provisions of sections 12 and 15, and section 15, of the Open Spaces Act, 1906 in relation to the pleasure grounds, gardens and open spaces vested in or maintained by the Council or the Corporation of the London Borough of Camden.

### INTERPRETATION

- Throughout these bye-laws the expression "the Council" means the Council of the London Borough of Camden and the expression "the pleasure grounds" means, except where inconsistent with the context, each of the pleasure grounds, gardens and open spaces named in the First Schedule to these bye-laws.
- An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty in the pleasure ground by a duly authorised employee of the Council or by any person or servant of any person employed by the Council shall not be deemed an offence against these bye-laws.

### DAMAGE AND INJURY

- No person shall in the pleasure ground:
  - carelessly or negligently deface, soil or defile any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground or any building, barrier, railing, post, seat, tombstone or any erection or ornament, or affix thereto in any way any bill, placard or notice;
  - climb any wall or fence in or enclosing the pleasure ground or any tree or any barrier, railing, post, fountain, tombstone, monument or other erection, except those expressly provided for children;
  - wilfully carelessly or negligently remove or displace any barrier, railing, fountain, tombstone, monument, post or seat or any part of any erection or ornament or any implement provided for use in the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.

### TRESPASS

- No person shall in the pleasure ground wilfully break or damage any ice on any pond or lake or, when prohibited by a notice affixed in a conspicuous position near such pond or lake, go or attempt to go upon any such ice, or make or erect to make any ice slide on any footpath or access way.
- No person who has attained the age of 14 years shall enter any part of any area within the pleasure ground which by a notice affixed or set up near thereto shall be set apart by the Council for the exclusive use of persons under the age of 14 years unless accompanying a person permitted to enter that part or area of the pleasure ground;
  - No male person over the age of 14 years shall go or attempt to go into any part of the pleasure ground in contravention of any regulation of the Council specified in a notice exhibited on such part reserving such part for the use of female persons and children under the age of 14 years only.
- The pleasure grounds mentioned in Part I of the Second Schedule to these bye-laws shall be opened at such hours in the forenoon and closed at such hours in the afternoon as are specified in Part II of the said Second Schedule. Provided always that this bye-law shall not be deemed to require the pleasure ground to be opened and closed at the hours herebefore prescribed or any day when, in pursuance of any statutory provision in that behalf, the Council close the pleasure ground to the public.
- On any day on which the pleasure ground to which the foregoing bye-law applies is open to the public a person shall not enter it before the time or enter or remain in it after the time appointed in the foregoing bye-law.

### TRAFFIC

- No person shall in the pleasure ground walk, run, stand, sit or lie upon:
    - any grass, turf or other place, where adequate notice to keep off such grass, turf or other place shall be placed. Provided that such notice shall not apply to more than one-half of the area of the pleasure grounds mentioned in Part I of the Third Schedule of these Bye-laws and to the more than one-fifth of the area of the pleasure grounds mentioned in Part II of the said Third Schedule;
    - any flower bed, or shrub or plant or any ground in course of preparation as a flower bed or for the growth of any tree, shrub or plant.
  - No person shall except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege bring or cause to be brought into the pleasure ground any barrow, truck, machine or vehicle other than:
    - a bicycle, tricycle or any other similar machine;
    - a wheel-chair, perambulator or chaise drawn or propelled by hand and used solely for the conveyance of a child or children or an invalid;
    - in the pleasure grounds specified in the Fourth Schedule to these Bye-laws a mechanically propelled carriage used solely for the conveyance of an invalid.Provided that where the Council set apart a space in the pleasure ground for the use of any class of vehicle, this Bye-law shall not be deemed to prohibit the driving in or to that space by a direct route from the entrance to the pleasure ground of any vehicle of the class for which it is set apart.
  - No person shall except in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege ride any bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine in any part of the pleasure ground except on any area where such activity is expressly permitted;
  - No person over the age of 14 years shall use roller skates in any part of the pleasure ground except on any area where such activity is expressly permitted;
  - No person shall in the pleasure ground drive or in any way use any motor vehicle for the purpose of going or receiving instruction in driving, manning or repairing such vehicle.
- No person who brings a vehicle into the pleasure ground shall ride, wheel or station it over or upon:
    - any flower bed, shrub or plant or any ground in course of preparation as a flower bed or for the growth of any tree, shrub or plant;
    - any part of the pleasure ground where the Council by a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure ground prohibit its being ridden, wheeled or stationed.

### ANIMALS

- No person shall bring or cause to be brought into the pleasure ground any cattle, sheep, goats or pigs, or any beast of draught or burden unless, in pursuance of an agreement with the Council or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege, he is authorised to do so.
- No person shall cause or suffer any dog belonging to him or in his charge to enter or remain in the pleasure ground, unless such dog be and continue to be under control, and be effectually restrained from causing annoyance to any person, from worrying or disturbing any animal or waterfowl, from entering any lake, pond or ornamental water, and from running over any flower bed or ornamental feature of the pleasure ground. Provided that in the pleasure grounds specified in the Fifth Schedule to these Bye-laws a dog shall not be deemed to be under proper control unless such dog is on a lead.
- No person shall in the pleasure ground wilfully disturb any animal grazing or shall harry, ill-treat, injure or destroy any animal.

### NUISANCES

- No person shall in the pleasure ground:
  - except as hereinafter provided erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure. Provided that this prohibition shall not apply where, upon an application to the Council, the Council grants permission to erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure upon such occasion and for such purposes as are specified in the application;
  - beat, shake, sweep, brush or cleanse any carpet, druggot, rug or mat, or any other fabric retaining dust and dirt;
  - hang, spread or deposit any linen or other fabric for drying or bleaching;
  - operate or play or cause or suffer to be operated or played any wireless, loudspeaker, gramophone, amplifier or similar instrument or musical instrument, which shall be so loud and so continuous or repeated as to be or cause a nuisance or annoyance to any other person using the pleasure ground;
  - (a) sell, offer for sale, exhibit for sale or distribute any book, pamphlet, leaflet, card, bill, advertisement or literature of any kind whatsoever;
  - (b) subject to (a) above, sell, offer for sale, exhibit for sale or distribute any other article or let for hire any article or place any stand, chair or seat for hire, or display any advertisement without the consent of the Council in writing under the hand of the Town Clerk;
  - feed any animal or bird other than an animal belonging to that person. Provided that this prohibition shall apply only to the pleasure grounds specified in the Sixth Schedule to these bye-laws.
- No person shall in the pleasure ground:
  - bathe, wade or wash in any ornamental lake, pond, stream or other water;
  - wilfully, carelessly or negligently foul or pollute any such water;
  - wilfully displace or disturb, injure or destroy any bird's nest or wilfully take, injure or destroy any bird's eggs;
  - take, injure or destroy any bird or spread or use any net or set or use any snare or other engine, instrument or means for the taking, injury or destruction of any bird.
- No person shall in the pleasure ground wilfully obstruct, disturb, interrupt or annoy any other person in the proper use of the pleasure ground or wilfully obstruct, disturb or interrupt any duly authorised employee of the Council in the proper execution of his duty or any person or servant of any person employed by the Council in the proper execution of any work in connection with the laying out or maintenance of the pleasure ground.

### GAMES

- Where the Council set apart any such part of the pleasure ground as may be fixed by the Council, and described in a notice board affixed or set up in some conspicuous position in the pleasure ground, for the purpose of any game specified in the notice board which, by reason of the rules or manner of playing, or for the prevention of damage, danger or discomfort to any person in the pleasure ground may necessitate, at any time during the continuance of the game, the exclusive use by the player or players of any space in such part of the pleasure ground, no person shall in any space elsewhere in the pleasure ground play or take part in any game so specified.

- A person resorting to the pleasure ground and playing or taking part in any game for which the exclusive use of any space in the pleasure ground has been set apart shall:
  - not play on the space any game other than the game for which it is set apart;
  - in preparing for playing and in playing, use reasonable care to prevent undue interference with the proper use of the pleasure ground by other persons;
  - when the space is already occupied by other players not begin to play thereon without their permission;
  - where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match, not play on that space later than a quarter of an hour before the time fixed for the beginning of the match unless he is taking part therein;
  - except where the exclusive use of the space has been granted by the Council for the playing of a match in which he is taking part, not use the space for a longer time than two hours continuously, if any other player or players make known to him a wish to use the space.
- Notwithstanding anything contained in Byelaws 17 and 18 above no person shall in the pleasure grounds specified in the Seventh Schedule to these Bye-laws play or take part in any ball games.
- No person shall in any part of the pleasure ground which may have been set apart by the Council for any game play or take part in any game when the state of the ground or other cause makes it unfit for use and a notice is set up in some conspicuous position prohibiting play in that part of the pleasure ground.
- No person who has attained the age of 14 years shall use any sand pit, swing, or other apparatus in the pleasure ground which by a notice affixed or set up near thereto shall be set apart by the Council for the exclusive use of persons under the age of 14 years.

### PUBLIC MEETING

- No person shall in the pleasure ground deliver, utter or read or maintain the right to deliver, utter or read any public speech, lecture, prayer, scripture, sermon or address of any kind or description whatsoever or hold or cause or take part in any public meeting except between sunrise and sunset and on the site or sites approved by the Council and defined by notice boards.

### OFFENDERS, PENALTIES, ETC.

- Every person who shall infringe any bye-law for the regulation of the pleasure ground may be removed therefrom by any officer of the Council, or by any constable, in any one of the several cases hereinafter specified that it is to say:
  - Where the infraction of the bye-law is committed within the view of such officer or constable, and the name and residence of the person infringing the bye-law are unknown to and cannot be readily ascertained by such officer or constable;
  - Where the infraction of the bye-law is committed within the view of such officer or constable and, from the nature of such infraction or from any other fact of which such officer or constable may have knowledge or of which he may be credibly informed, there may be reasonable grounds for belief that the continuance in the pleasure ground of the person infringing the bye-law may result in another infraction of a bye-law or that the removal of such person from the pleasure ground is otherwise necessary as a security for the proper use and regulation thereof.
- Every person who shall offend against any of these bye-laws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding fifty pounds.

### REPEAL OF FORMER BYELAWS

The Bye-laws particulars of which are set out in the Eighth Schedule to these bye-laws are hereby repealed.

### THE FIRST SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS, GARDENS AND OPEN SPACES TO WHICH THESE BYE-LAWS APPLY

**PART I**  
Pleasure grounds, gardens and open spaces in respect of which bye-laws are made under sections 12 and 15 of the Open Spaces Act, 1906.  
Antrim Grove Gardens  
Borrowdale (Regents Park Estate, Robert Street Area) Gardens  
Castle Haven Gardens  
Cecil Rhodes House Gardens  
College Gardens  
Goldington Crescent Gardens  
Highgate Road Enclosure  
Islip Street Gardens  
Judd Street Gardens  
Lismore Circus Gardens  
Munster Square (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Pond Square Gardens  
Red Lion Square Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Spencer Rise Gardens  
West End Green  
Whitfield Close Gardens

### THE FIRST SCHEDULE PART II

Pleasure grounds, gardens and open spaces in respect of which bye-laws are made under Section 15 of the Open Spaces Act, 1906.  
Argyle Square Gardens  
Bloomsbury Square Gardens  
Brunswick Square Gardens  
Camden Gardens  
Camden Square Gardens  
Canteloves Gardens  
Chalcot Square Gardens  
Euston Square East  
Euston Square West  
Fortune Green Gardens  
Hamstead Road (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Harrington Square Gardens

### THE SECOND SCHEDULE PART I

Pleasure grounds to which bye-law 6 applies  
Antrim Grove Gardens  
Argyle Square Gardens  
Brunswick Square Gardens  
Camden Gardens  
Camden Square Gardens  
Canteloves Gardens  
Chalcot Square Gardens  
College Gardens  
Euston Square (East and West) Hamstead Road Gardens  
Harrington Square  
Islip Street Gardens  
Kilburn Grange  
Lismore Circus Gardens  
Munster Square Gardens  
Oakley Square Gardens  
Regents Square Gardens  
Roche Terrace Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. Giles' Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Spencer Rise Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens  
Waterloo Park  
Whitfield Street Gardens

### THE SECOND SCHEDULE PART II

Hours of opening and closing applicable to the pleasure grounds set out in Part I  
**(a) Hours of Opening**  
All the pleasure grounds set out in Part I shall be open to the public from the hour of 7.30 a.m. with the exception of St. Pancras Gardens which shall be open to the public from the hour of 7.00 a.m.

**(b) Hours of Closing**  
The hours of closing applicable to all pleasure grounds set out in Part I shall be as follows:-  
Mid-November to mid-January 5.00 p.m.  
Mid-January to first week in February 5.30 p.m.  
Second and third week in February 6.00 p.m.  
Third and fourth week in February 6.30 p.m.  
First three weeks in March 7.00 p.m.  
Last week in March and first week in April 7.30 p.m.  
Last three weeks in April 8.00 p.m.  
First three weeks in May 8.30 p.m.  
Last week in May and first two weeks in June 9.00 p.m.  
Last two weeks in June and all July 9.30 p.m.  
First two weeks in August 9.00 p.m.  
Last two weeks in August 8.30 p.m.  
First two weeks in September 8.00 p.m.  
Last two weeks in September 7.30 p.m.  
First week in October 7.00 p.m.  
Second and third week in October 6.30 p.m.  
Last week in October 6.00 p.m.  
First two weeks in November 5.30 p.m.

### THE THIRD SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS TO WHICH BYE-LAW 8(i) APPLIES

**PART I**  
Harrington Square Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens  
Russell Square Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens

**PART II**  
Antrim Grove Gardens  
Argyle Square Gardens  
Borrowdale (Regents Park Estate, Robert Street Area) Gardens  
Camden Gardens  
Camden Square Gardens  
Canteloves Gardens  
Castle Haven Gardens  
Cecil Rhodes House (Pancras Road opposite St. Pancras Gardens) Gardens  
Chalcot Square Gardens  
College Gardens  
Euston Square (East and West) Fortune Green Gardens  
Goldington Crescent Gardens  
Highgate Road Enclosure  
Islip Street Gardens  
Judd Street Gardens  
Kilburn Grange  
Lismore Circus Gardens  
Munster Square (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Pond Square Gardens  
Regents Square Gardens  
Roche Terrace Gardens  
Russell Square Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Waterloo Park

### THE SIXTH SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS TO WHICH BYE-LAW 14(vi) APPLIES

Bloomsbury Square Gardens  
Russell Square Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. George's Terrace Gardens  
St. Giles High Street (Churchyard) Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens

### THE FIFTH SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS TO WHICH BYE-LAW 12 APPLIES

Antrim Grove Gardens  
Bloomsbury Square Gardens  
Borrowdale (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Brunswick Square Gardens  
Camden Gardens  
Camden Square Gardens  
Canteloves Gardens  
Chalcot Square Gardens  
College Gardens  
Euston Square East  
Goldington Crescent Gardens  
Hamstead Road (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Harrington Square Gardens  
Highgate Road Enclosure  
Islip Street Gardens  
Judd Street Gardens  
Kilburn Grange  
Lismore Circus Gardens  
Munster Square (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Oakley Square Gardens  
Regents Square Gardens  
Roche Terrace Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. Giles High Street (Churchyard) Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens  
Whitfield Street Gardens

### THE FOURTH SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS TO WHICH BYE-LAW 9(i)(c) APPLIES

Argyle Square Gardens

### THE EIGHTH SCHEDULE PARTICULARS OF BYELAWS REPEALED BY THE FOREGOING BYELAWS

Byelaws made by the Council of the Metropolitan Borough of St. Pancras  
The byelaws relating to St. Pancras Gardens, St. Andrew's Gardens, St. George's Gardens, St. James' Gardens, St. Martin's Gardens and Lismore Circus Gardens, made on 29th April 1903 and approved by the Secretary of State on 18th June, 1903.  
The byelaws relating to Cumberland Market Open Space made on 24th October, 1923, and confirmed by the Secretary of State of 6th November, 1923.  
The byelaws relating to Clarence Gardens, Munster Square Gardens and Whitfield Gardens made on 28th April, 1935 and confirmed by the Minister of Health on 3rd May, 1935.  
Byelaws made by the Council of the Metropolitan Borough of Holborn  
Byelaws relating to Red Lion Square made on 23rd July, 1933 and approved by the Secretary of State on 5th August, 1933.  
Byelaws relating to the Burial Ground adjoining the Church of St. Giles-in-the-Fields made on 23rd February, 1949 and confirmed by the Secretary of State on 4th April, 1949.  
Byelaws relating to Russell Square and Bloomsbury Square Gardens made on 28th October, 1953, and confirmed by the Secretary of State on 29th December, 1953.  
Byelaws made by the Council of the Metropolitan Borough of Hampstead  
Byelaws relating to Fortune Green Open Space made on 23rd June, 1955, and confirmed by the Secretary of State on 5th October, 1955.  
Byelaws relating to Iverson Road Children's Playground made on the 23rd June, 1955, and confirmed by the Secretary of State of 5th October, 1955, as amended on 25th February, 1960, and 27th July, 1961, with amendments confirmed by the Secretary of State on 18th June, 1960, and 5th October, 1961 respectively.  
Byelaws relating to Sumatra Road Open Space made on 23rd January, 1958 and confirmed by the Secretary of State on 3rd March, 1959.

### THE COMMON SEAL OF THE MAYOR ALDERMEN AND BURGESSES OF THE LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN was hereto affixed by Order on the 18th day of October 1973

R. COLLINS  
(signed)  
MAYOR  
B. H. WILSON  
(signed)  
TOWN CLERK

The Secretary of State this day confirmed the foregoing byelaws and fixed the date on which they are to come into operation as the first day of March, 1974.

K. P. WITNEY  
(signed)  
An Assistant Under Secretary  
of State

Home Office  
WHITEHALL,  
28th January, 1974

### THE SEVENTH SCHEDULE PLEASURE GROUNDS TO WHICH BYE-LAW 19 APPLIES

Antrim Grove Gardens  
Camden Gardens  
Castle Haven Gardens  
Chalcot Square Gardens  
College Gardens  
Euston Square East  
Goldington Crescent Gardens  
Hamstead Road (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Harrington Square Gardens  
Highgate Road Enclosure  
Islip Street Gardens  
Judd Street Gardens  
Kilburn Grange  
Lismore Circus Gardens  
Munster Square (Regents Park Estate) Gardens  
Oakley Square Gardens  
Regents Square Gardens  
Roche Terrace Gardens  
St. Andrew's Gardens  
St. George's Gardens  
St. Giles High Street (Churchyard) Gardens  
St. James' Gardens  
St. Martin's Gardens  
St. Pancras Gardens  
Spencer Rise Gardens  
Tavistock Square Gardens  
West End Green  
Whitfield Close Gardens

Bye-Laws made under Section 12 and Section 15 of the Open Spaces Act 1906 by the London Borough of Camden in relation to the Pleasure Grounds, Gardens and Open Spaces vested in or maintained by the Council or Corporation of the London Borough of Camden.

The series of Bye-Laws with respect to the Pleasure Grounds, Gardens and Open Spaces made by the London Borough of Camden on the 18th day of October 1973 and confirmed by the Secretary of State on the 28th day of January 1974 are hereby extended as follows:

- The aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chalton Street Open Space, Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, St. Benet's Church Site and Talacre Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in Part I of the First Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- The aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in Part II of the First Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 6 of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, Talacre Road Open Space and Montpelier Gardens which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in the Second Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 8(i) of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, St. Benet's Church Site and Chalton Street Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in Part I of the Third Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 8(i) of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in Part II of the Third Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 9(i) (c) of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, St. Benet's Church Site, Chalton Street Open Space, Talacre Road Open Space, Rochester Terrace Gardens, Hawley Road Open Space, Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in the Fifth Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 12 of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, St. Benet's Church Site, Chalton Street Open Space, Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in the Fifth Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 14(vi) of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, St. Benet's Church Site, Chalton Street Open Space, Rochester Terrace Gardens, Hawley Road Open Space, Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in the Sixth Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.
- Bye-Law 19 of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws shall be extended to apply to the Open Spaces and Gardens known as Chaston Street Open Space, Queen Square Gardens, St. Benet's Church Site, Brunswick Square Gardens, Montpelier Gardens and Hartland Road Open Space which names shall be added to the list of Pleasure Grounds in the Seventh Schedule of the aforesaid series of Bye-Laws.

THE COMMON SEAL OF THE MAYOR  
ALDERMEN AND BURGESSES OF THE  
LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN was  
hereto affixed by Order  
this 5th day of May 1978

R. W. G. HUMPHREYS  
(signed)  
MAYOR

F. NICKSON  
(signed)  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE AND  
TOWN CLERK

The foregoing byelaws are hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State and shall come into operation on the date hereof.

R. F. D. SHUFFREY  
(signed)  
An Assistant Under Secretary  
of State

Signed by authority of the  
Secretary of State

Home Office  
LONDON SW1

17 October 1978

This is a true copy of the byelaws as confirmed and amended by the Criminal Law Act 1977.

### LONDON BOROUGH OF CAMDEN

#### SUMMARY OF BYELAWS

These byelaws regulate the use of the pleasure grounds referred to in the 1st Schedule to the byelaws, of which this ground is one.  
It is an offence to infringe these byelaws, for which the penalty, on conviction by a Magistrates Court, is a fine of up to £50.  
Within the grounds it is an offence to:  
damage, destroy, remove or climb on anything in or on the open space.  
Break ice on ponds or lakes or go on any ice.  
Enter any part of the ground reserved for children under 14, unless you are under 14, enter any area reserved for females and children under 14.  
Use any sand pit or equipment reserved for children under 14, unless you are under 14.  
Enter a pleasure ground at any time when it is closed, opening and closing time of these grounds which can be closed are shown in the 2nd Schedule to the byelaws.  
Go on any area where there is a notice to keep off that area, or any flower beds.  
Bring into the ground any barrow, truck, machine or vehicle other than a bicycle or similar, a hand-propelled wheelchair or a pram and, in certain grounds, a mechanically-propelled wheelchair.  
Ride a bicycle or similar machine unless this is expressly permitted.  
Use roller skates if you are over 14, unless this is expressly permitted.  
Use a motor car for the purpose of instruction.  
Take any vehicle over any flower beds or any area where such a vehicle is prohibited by notice.  
Bring into the ground any animals other than ordinary domestic pets.  
Allow any dog in your control to be a nuisance, either to people or animals and birds, or to go in any water or destroy any flowers, (if this ground is mentioned in the 5th Schedule to the byelaws, then all dogs must be kept on leads in the ground).  
Disturb, injure or destroy any animal, bird, bird's egg or nest.  
Erect any structure in the ground without the Council's written permission.  
Clean or dry any article.  
Use any radio or musical instrument or similar thing so loud as to be a nuisance to the others.  
Sell or exhibit any written matter.  
Sell or exhibit or hire any other item without the Town Clerk's written consent.  
If this ground is mentioned in the 5th Schedule to byelaws, feed any animal unless it belongs to you.  
Go in or pollute any water.  
Obstruct any Council employee or disturb or annoy any person using the ground.  
If this ground is mentioned in the 7th Schedule to the byelaws, play any ball games in the ground.  
In any other ground, where any area is set apart for playing games, play such games in any other area of the ground.  
Where an area is set aside for any game, play any other game in that area.  
Unless you are playing in a match for which exclusive use of the area has been started, use that area for longer than 2 hours.  
Use any such area where a notice prohibits its use owing to the ground being unfit.  
Make any speech or hold any meeting except as permitted by the Council by notice.

FOR FULL DETAILS OF OFFENCES, YOU SHOULD READ THE BYELAWS.  
THIS IS ONLY A SUMMARY.