## MUNICIPALITY OF BURNABY

## BY-LAW NO.149...

A By-Law for the Regulation of Pool-Rooms in the Municipality of Burnaby.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of Burnaby enacts as follows :-

- 1. In this By-law, -
  - "Pool" means and includes pool, billiards, bagatelle or other similar game.
  - "Pool-room" means the place kept by an owner, as defined in this By-law and licensed under the terms of the "Trades License By-Law" of the Municipality.
  - "Owner" means and includes any person who as proprietor, lessee or otherwise carries on the business of keeping a pool-room, whether such room be separate from or connected with other premises.
  - "Youth" means any young person under the age of eighteen.
  - "Municipality" shallbe held and construed to mean the Municipality of the District of Burnaby.
- 2. No youth shall be permitted by an owner or other person to be or remain in a pool-room or to play pool or any other game therein.
- 3. Pool-rooms shall be closed at eleven o'clock in the afternoon and be kept closed until six o'clock of the following morning and shall also be kept closed on Sundays. During the hours and times in which pool-rooms must be closed no game of pool shall be played therein and all window-blinds, curtains and shutters therein shall be kept open so that an uninterrupted view of the interior of such pool-room may be had.
- 4. No owner shall :-
  - (a) Permit the shaking of dice or any gambling game or any other game or device of chance to be played

for money, cheques or devices representing money in a pool room, or

- (b) have, keep or operate in a pool-room any mickel-in-the-slot machine or other similar machine, or any machine or device for gambling or for operating or playing with for money, tokens or prizes, or results of any nature or kind whatsoever.
- 5. Every offence against this By-law committed by the employee, servant, agent or workman of an owner shall be deemed to be the offence of the owner, who shall be answerable for and shall be punished for such offence; PROVIDED that nothing herein shall absolve the actual offender from guilt and punishment but he too shall be punished.
- 6. Where a person is charged with an offence against this By-law and the question of a youth's age is material, the youth shall be deemed to be a youth as defined in this By-law unless the contrary is proved.
- 7. All pool-rooms shall be subject to the supervision of the Chief of Police and all or any of the Constables of the said Municipality and the aforesaid Chief of Police and Constables shall have access to the same at all times.
- 8. In the event of a contravention of this By-law by the owner and subsequent conviction of said owner before one or more Justices of the Peace the said Justice or Justices may suspend the license issued to the said owner under the "Trades License By-Law" for a period of three (3) months and in the \*\*\*\* event of a second or further contravention of this By-law by the same owner the Justice or Justices sitting on the case shall have power to, and shall by writing under his or their hands, cancel the said license.

In the event of such cancellation, all the rights of the owner under such license shall, notwithstanding anything in the "Trades License By-Law" contained, forthwith abate and cease absolutely.

- 9. An owner who permits during any suspension of his license any game of pool in a pool-room shall be guilty of any offence against this By-law.
- 10. Where an offence against this By-law has been committed, the offender shall upon summary conviction be liable to a penalty not exceeding Fifty Dollars (\$50.00), in default of payment to distress, and in default of distress to imprisonment (with or without hard labour) not exceeding three months.
- 11. The "Burnaby Bowling Alleys and Pool\*rooms Regulation By-Law 1911" is hereby repealed.
- 12. This By-law may be cited as the "BURNABY POOL-ROOMS BY-LAW, 1913."

DONE AND PASSED in Open Council this 10th. day of February, 1913.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY PASSED this 24th. day of February, 1913.

Grthm. G. Woore,





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