GOVERNMENT NOTICE No. 2

WATERWORKS ACT

(CAP 72:01)

WATERWORKS (SOUTHERN REGION WATER BOARD)

(AMENDMENT) BY-LAWS, 2018

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 56 of the Waterworks Act, the Southern Region Water Board, with the approval of the Minister of Agriculture, Irrigation and Water Development, make the following By-laws—

Citation

1. These By-laws may be cited as the Waterworks (Southern Region Water Board) (Amendment) By-laws, 2018.

Amendment of by-law 2 to Cap. 72:01 Sub. leg. p. 25

2. The Waterworks (Southern Region Water Board) By-laws (hereinafter referred to as the "principal By-laws") are amended, in by-law 2, by inserting, immediately after the definition of the expression "temporary purpose", the following definition—

"temporary water connexion" means a water connexion temporarily made for a period not exceeding one year for purposes of building, construction or other temporary activity;".

Insertion of new paragraphs (8), (9) and (10) into by-law 96

3. The principal By-laws are amended, in by-law 96, by inserting, immediately after paragraph (7), the following paragraphs as paragraphs (8), (9) and (10) in correct numerical sequence—

"(8) The Board shall include "industrial customer" as an additional customer category that shall be charged appropriately.

(9) Each water connection made by the Board shall always have a non-return valve.

(10) The Board shall have different water deposit fee for a temporary connection that may be used to cover cost in the event that a customer has defaulted.".

Insertion of new by-law 108A

4. The principal By-laws are amended, immediately after by-law 108, by inserting a new by-law 108A as follows—

"By-laws Section

108A. The Board may, at any time, maintain a section to be known as the "By-laws Section" in any of its supply areas or centres which will be mandated to implement the provisions of these By-laws, among other functions".

Amendment of by-law 115

5. The principal By-laws are amended, in by-law 115 paragraph (4)(*b*), by deleting the words "K5,000" and substituting therefor the words "a charge of cost of replacement using prevailing market price".

Amendment of by-law 127 of the principal By-laws

6. The principal By-laws are amended, in by-law 127, by deleting the words "General Manager", and replacing therefor the words "Chief Executive Officer".

Amendment of by-law 99 of the principal By-laws

7. The principal By-laws are amended, in By-law 99, by—

(*a*) inserting, immediately after the By-law designation "99", a paragraph designation "(1)"; and

(*b*) inserting, immediately after the By-law, the following new paragraph as paragraph (2)—

"(2) For each water connection, a water meter shall be fitted at least one metre within a customer's premises.

Replacement of the Third Schedule to the principal By-laws

8. The principal By-laws" are amended, by revoking the Third Schedule, and replacing it with the following Schedule as the Third Schedule—

"THIRD SCHEDULE (by-law 122 (1))

WATER RATES

PART I

	K	t
1. For water supplied through individuals meters—		
(a) consumption up to 4 cubic meters, per month ..	1,285	33
(b) consumption in excess of 4 cubic metres up to and including 15 cubic metres, per cubic metre	338	50
(c) consumption in excess of 15 cubic meres, per cubic metre ..	351	39
2. For water supplied through institutions meters—		
(a) consumption up to 4 cubic metres, per month	3,089	44
(b) consumption in excess of 4 cubic metres up to and including 15 cubic metres, per cubic metre	977	84
(c) consumption in excess of 15 cubic metres, per cubic metre ..	1,108	94
3. For water supplied through commercial and industrial meters—		
(a) for the first 4 cubic metres, per month	3,089	44
(b) consumption in excess of 4 cubic metres up to and including 15 cubic metres, per cubic metre	1,243	57
(c) consumption in excess of 15 cubic metres, per cubic metre ..	1,498	67

PART II

4. For water supplied from kiosks or communal water points, per cubic metre	103	50".

Replacement of the Fourth Schedule to the principal By-laws

9. The principal By-laws are amended in the Fourth Schedule by revoking the Schedule and replacing it with the following Schedule as the Fourth Schedule—

"FOURTH SCHEDULE (By-law 122 (2))

SERVICE CHARGE

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1.	For water supplied through individual meters—		
	(a) traditional housing areas, per month	199	96
	(b) medium density areas, per month	285	94
	(c) low density areas, per month	403	93
2.	For water supplied through institutions meters	1,699	79
3.	For water supplied through commercial and industrial meters . .	2,322	74

OTHER CHARGES

1.	For retesting of meters	6,316	38
2.	For consumer water connection fees	7,579	65
3.	For water deposit	7,579	65.".

Made this 17th day of February, 2018.

Eng. ROBERT HANJAHANJA
Chief Executive Officer

LUTHER MAMBALA
Chairperson

Approved this 26th day of February, 2018.

JOSEPH MWANAMVEKHA
Minister of Agriculture, Irrigation and Water Development

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