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# **SOUTH BANK CORPORATION BY-LAW 1992**

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- **any provisions that have not commenced and are not incorporated in the reprint.**

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## **PART 1—PRELIMINARY**

### **Short title**

1. This by-law may be cited as the *South Bank Corporation By-law 1992*<sup>3-4</sup>.

### **Definitions**

2. In this by-law—

“**authorised person**”, in relation to a power, means a person authorised by the Corporation to exercise the power;

“**liquor**” has the meaning given by the *Liquor Act 1992*;

“**owner**” of a vehicle means, in the case of a vehicle that is required to be registered under the *Transport Infrastructure (Roads) Act 1991* or a similar law of another State or Territory, the person registered as the owner under that Act or law;

“**sign**” includes a moveable sign and a sign marked on a road, footpath, building or other place;

“**site**” has the meaning given by section 3 (The site);

“**traffic**” includes vehicular and pedestrian traffic;

“**vehicle**” has the meaning given by the *Traffic Act 1949*.

### **The site**

3.(1) In this by-law—

“**site**” means the part of the Corporation Area—

- (a) illustrated in the Schedule; and

(b) described more particularly in South Bank Corporation Plan No. 029104/133.

(2) A person may request the Corporation to produce a copy of South Bank Corporation Plan No. 029104/133 for inspection.<sup>1</sup>

(3) The Corporation must promptly comply with a request made under subsection (2).

## **PART 2—REGULATION OF TRAFFIC AND PERSONS ON SITE**

### **Persons authorised to control traffic on the site**

**4.(1)** An authorised person or a police officer may control traffic on the site and, for this purpose, may give directions to persons on the site.

(2) A person on the site must not, without reasonable excuse, fail to comply with a direction given under subsection (1).

Maximum penalty—6 penalty units.

### **Traffic signs**

**5.(1)** The Corporation may erect or mark at a place on the site a sign that regulates any matter relating to the driving, parking or standing of vehicles at the place, including, for example—

- (a) a speed limit; or
- (b) a pedestrian crossing; or
- (c) a place where the driving, parking or standing of a vehicle is restricted or prohibited.

(2) A person on the site must comply with a sign mentioned in this section.

Maximum penalty—4 penalty units.

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<sup>1</sup> The Corporation's office is at 234 Grey St, South Brisbane.

**Signs regulating drinking, restricted areas etc.**

**6.(1)** The Corporation may erect or mark at a place on the site a sign that regulates any matter relating to the presence or conduct of persons at the place, including, for example—

- (a) a place where an unauthorised person may not go; or
- (b) a place where the drinking of liquor is allowed; or
- (c) a place where any other activity is restricted or prohibited.

**(2)** A person must not drink liquor at any place on the site except a place that is indicated by a sign as a place where drinking is allowed.

Maximum penalty—6 penalty units.

**(3)** A person on the site must comply with a sign mentioned in this section.

Maximum penalty—4 penalty units.

**Conduct causing a public nuisance**

**7.** A person must not, on the site—

- (a) be drunk or disorderly; or
- (b) create a disturbance.

Maximum penalty—20 penalty units.

**Removal and detention of illegally parked vehicles**

**8.(1)** An authorised person or a police officer may seize, remove and detain, or cause to be seized, removed and detained, a vehicle that the authorised person believes on reasonable grounds is parked in contravention of this by-law.

**(2)** The vehicle must be detained at a safe place.

**(3)** An authorised person may exercise the powers given under subsection (1) in relation to a vehicle only if—

- (a) the authorised person believes on reasonable grounds that it is necessary or desirable to seize and remove the vehicle, having regard to the safety or convenience of traffic on the site; and

(b) the authorised person—

- (i) cannot immediately locate the driver of the vehicle; or
- (ii) believes on reasonable grounds that the driver of the vehicle is not willing or able to remove the vehicle immediately.

(4) Subject to subsection (5), as soon as is practicable and no later than 14 days after the vehicle is seized, the Corporation must give to the owner of the vehicle a written notice that states—

- (a) where the vehicle is being detained; and
- (b) how the owner may recover the vehicle.

(5) If the owner cannot be ascertained or located within 14 days after the vehicle is seized, the notice may be published in a newspaper circulating generally in the State.

(6) If the vehicle was parked in contravention of this by-law, the owner of the vehicle must pay to the Corporation the cost of the seizure, removal, detention and return of the vehicle.

(7) In this section—

“**vehicle**” includes anything attached to, or contained in, the vehicle.

### **Disposal of unclaimed vehicles**

**9.(1)** This section applies if the owner of a vehicle detained under section 8 (Removal and detention of illegally parked vehicles) does not recover the vehicle within 2 months after being given a notice under section 8(4) or (5).

(2) The Corporation may, after publishing a notice in a newspaper circulating generally in the State, sell the vehicle by public auction.

(3) The proceeds of the sale must be applied as follows—

- (a) first, in payment of the expenses of the sale;
- (b) secondly, in payment of the cost of the seizure, removal and detention of the vehicle under section 8;
- (c) thirdly, in payment of any balance to the owner.



(4) If the owner cannot be located, the Corporation must, subject to this section, retain the balance of the proceeds for 1 year after the sale.

(5) If the owner, within 1 year after the sale, applies to the Corporation to be paid an amount equal to the balance, the Corporation must pay to the person—

- (a) the amount; and
- (b) interest on the amount, at the rate of 5% per annum, from the day of sale to the day the person is paid.

(6) If the owner has not, within 1 year after the sale, applied under subsection (5) for payment of an amount, the Corporation must pay the amount into the Consolidated Fund.

(7) In this section—

“**vehicle**” includes anything attached to, or contained in, the vehicle.

### **Entry to and exit from the site**

**10.** A person must not enter or exit from the site other than at a place provided for that purpose.

Maximum penalty—4 penalty units.

## **PART 3—CLOSURE OF THE SITE**

### **References to the ‘site’**

**11.** In this Part, a reference to the site includes a part of the site.

### **Closure of the site**

**12.(1)** The Corporation may close the site for a particular period if it considers it necessary or convenient to do so, having regard to—

- (a) the safety of persons or the protection of property on the site; or
- (b) an activity to be conducted on the site; or

(c) any other matter.

(2) Without limiting subsection (1), the Corporation may close the site for a particular period every day.

(3) During a period that the site is closed, the Corporation must display a sign at each entry to the site indicating that the site is closed.

### **Entry to the site when closed**

**13.(1)** A person must not enter the site while it is closed unless permitted to enter under this section.

Maximum penalty—4 penalty units.

(2) The Corporation may, having regard to the reason the site is closed—

(a) instruct an authorised person as to who may enter the site while it is closed, and on what conditions; and

(b) arrange for the authorised person to attend at an entry to the site.

(3) The authorised person must, in accordance with the instructions—

(a) permit or refuse entry to the appropriate persons; and

(b) subject any permission given to a person to the appropriate conditions.

## **PART 4—SECURITY OFFICERS**

### **Corporation may appoint security officers**

**14.(1)** The Corporation may, in writing, appoint a suitable person to be a security officer for the purposes of this by-law.

(2) A security officer—

(a) holds office for the term, and subject to the conditions, specified in the instrument of appointment; and

(b) may resign by writing given to the Corporation.

(3) In this section—

“**suitable person**” means a person who the Corporation Manager is satisfied has the necessary training or experience to be a security officer.

### **Identity cards**

**15.(1)** The Corporation must issue an identity card to each security officer.

(2) The identity card must—

- (a) contain a recent photograph of the security officer; and
- (b) be in a form approved by the Corporation; and
- (c) be signed by the security officer.

(3) A person who ceases to be a security officer must, as soon as practicable, return his or her identity card to the Corporation.

Maximum penalty for subsection (3)—6 penalty units.

### **Proof of authority**

**16.** A security officer must not exercise a power under this by-law in relation to another person without—

- (a) first producing his or her identity card for inspection by the person; or
- (b) having his or her identity card displayed so that it is readily visible.

### **Power to deal with persons causing a public nuisance**

**17.(1)** A security officer who finds a person contravening section 7 (Conduct causing a public nuisance) may direct the person to leave the site or a part of the site.

(2) A person must not, without reasonable excuse, fail to comply with a direction given under subsection (1).

Maximum penalty—6 penalty units.

**Power to hand over certain offenders to the police**

**18.** A security officer who finds a person on the site—

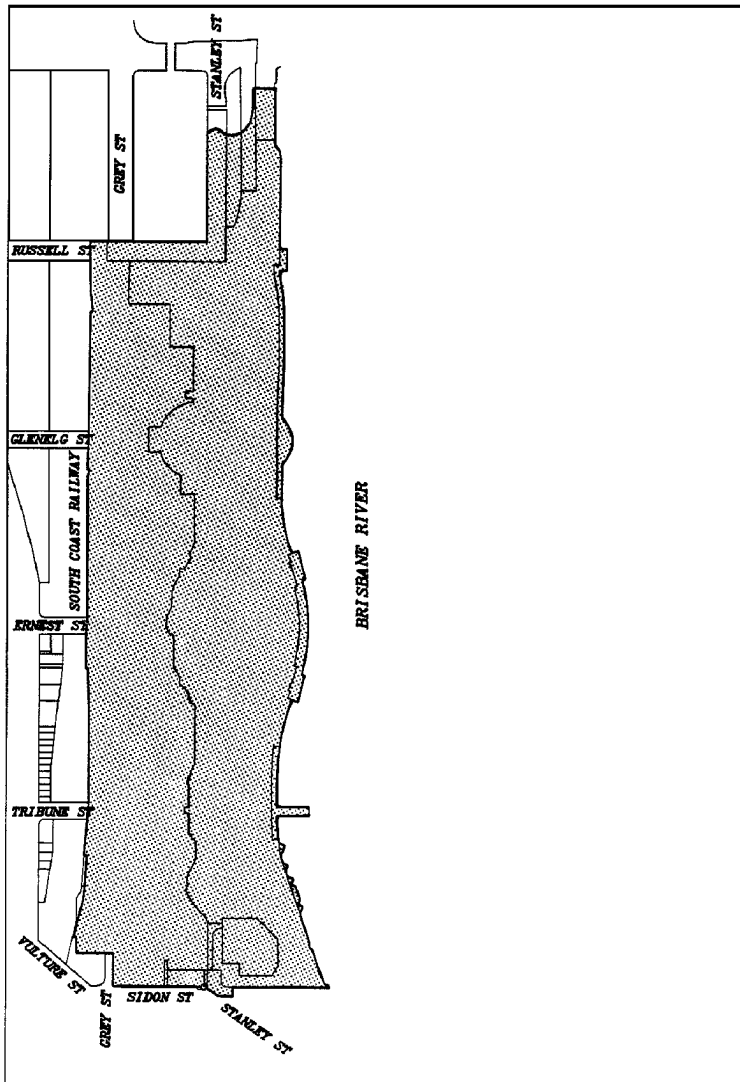
- (a) contravening section 7 (Conduct causing a public nuisance); or
- (b) unlawfully damaging any property;

may take the person immediately to a police officer, using only such force as is reasonable and necessary.

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**2 Date to which amendments incorporated**

This is the day mentioned in section 5(c) of the *Reprints Act 1992*. However, no amendments have commenced operation on or before that day. Future amendments of the *South Bank Corporation By-law 1992* may be made in accordance with this reprint because of section 49 of the *Reprints Act 1992*.

**3 List of legislation**

**South Bank Corporation By-law 1992 SL No. 459**  
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commenced on date of notification

## 4 List of annotations

### Key to abbreviations in list of annotations

<b>RA</b>	=	<b><i>Reprints Act 1992</i></b>
<b>amd</b>	=	<b>amended</b>
<b>ins</b>	=	<b>inserted</b>
<b>om</b>	=	<b>omitted</b>
<b>renum</b>	=	<b>renumbered</b>
<b>sub</b>	=	<b>substituted</b>
<b>Chap</b>	=	<b>Chapter</b>
<b>Pt hdg</b>	=	<b>Part heading</b>
<b>Div hdg</b>	=	<b>Division heading</b>
<b>Sdiv hdg</b>	=	<b>Subdivision heading</b>
<b>hdg prec</b>	=	<b>heading preceding</b>
<b>prov hdg</b>	=	<b>provision heading</b>
<b>cl</b>	=	<b>clause</b>
<b>prev</b>	=	<b>previous</b>
<b>pres</b>	=	<b>present</b>

Provisions not included in reprint, or amended by amendments not included in reprint, are underlined

### **PART 5—MISCELLANEOUS**

Pt hdg      om (see s 37 RA)

#### **Repeal**

s 19      om (see s 40 RA)