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(LICENSING OF TRADEPERSONS) ORDINANCE, 2006

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*(Under sections 38, 40 and 41 and paragraph 5(n) of Part 2 and paragraph 26 of Part 3 of the Second Schedule of the Local Governments Act, Cap. 243)*

**An Ordinance to regulate the trade of certain trade persons in the City and for connected matters.**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the City of Kampala as follows:

PART I—PRELIMINARY

1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Local Governments (Kampala City Council) (Licensing of Tradepersons) Ordinance, 2006.

Citation

2. This Ordinance applies to trade persons operating within the jurisdiction of the Council.

Application.

3. In this Ordinance unless the context otherwise requires—

Inter-pretation

“Act” means the Local Governments Act;

“City” means the City of Kampala;

“Council” means the Council of the City of Kampala;

“currency point” has the value assigned to it under the First Schedule to this Ordinance.

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PART II—GENERAL

Licence  
required for  
certain  
trades.

4. (1) A person shall not carry on the trade of a laundry person, hairdresser, shoe shiner, watch repairer, newspaper vendor, bread vendor, milk vendor or rubber stamper within the jurisdiction of the Council unless he or she is in possession of a licence issued by the Council, in the form specified in the Second Schedule to this Ordinance.

(2) A licence issued under this Ordinance shall be annual and shall expire at the end of the calendar year in which it is issued.

(3) A licence issued under this Ordinance is not transferable.

Trade  
premises to  
be specified  
in licence,  
etc.

5. (1) Where an applicant for a licence under this Ordinance intends to maintain any premises for the carrying on of his or her trade, he or she shall inform the Council and the premises shall be specified in the licence.

(2) The Council shall not issue a licence under paragraph 4 unless the construction, situation, lighting, ventilation, drainage, sanitary provision and state of repair of the premises are such as to ensure, in the opinion of the Council, sanitary conditions which are in conformity with the Public Health Act.

(3) A person authorised by the Council may, at any time enter and inspect the premises specified in a licence issued under this Ordinance, for the purpose of ascertaining whether the premises, furnishings and appliances are maintained in satisfactory sanitary conditions.

(5) Where at any time, the Council is of the opinion that the premises specified in the licence or the furnishings and appliances are not being maintained in satisfactory sanitary conditions, or have otherwise ceased to be suitable for their purpose, the Council may revoke or suspend the licence for the time the Council may deem fit.

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6. The Council shall fix fees and may vary the fees from time to time as it deems fit, in respect of payments for any licence under this Ordinance. Fees.

7. A person who is suffering from any infectious or communicable disease shall not carry on or be employed in any trade to which this Ordinance applies. Infectious diseases.

8. A person licensed under this Ordinance shall, while carrying on his or her trade, conform to the requirements relating to clothing and cleanliness as the Council may, from time to time prescribe. Requirements as to clothing and cleanliness.

9. (1) A person who contravenes any of the provisions of this Ordinance commits an offence and is liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding two currency points or to a term of imprisonment not exceeding two months or both. Offences and penalties.

(2) The court may, in addition to or in substitution for a penalty provided under subsection (1), revoke or suspend for such time as it deems fit any licence granted under this Ordinance.

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**SCHEDULES.**

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FIRST SCHEDULE

*paragraphs 3 and 9*

CURRENCY POINT

One Currency point is equivalent to twenty thousand Ugandan shillings.

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SECOND SCHEDULE

*Paragraph 4*

The Republic of Uganda

TRADE PERSONS LICENCE

*(The Local Governments (Kampala City Council) (Licensing of Tradepersons) Ordinance, 2006)*

LICENCE: .....

Licence No: .....

Name of licensee: .....

Trade Premises situated at ..... are hereby licensed for trade purposes.

Date of issue .....

This licence expires on the ..... day of ....., 200...

*Town Clerk  
Kampala City Council*

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PASSED by the City Council of Kampala on 3rd day of May, 2005.

I HEREBY signify my hand this 10th day of May, 2005.

**Cross References**

Local Governments Act, Cap. 243

Public Health Act, Cap. 281

JOHN SSEBAANA KIZITO,  
*Mayor, Kampala City Council.*