

Government of Trengganu.

N.S. 293/59

WATERS.

ENACTMENT No. 2 OF 1357.

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SULAIMAN BIN ZAINAL ABIDIN,
Sultan of Trengganu.

13th March, 1938.

(12.3.1357).—¹⁹³⁸

An Enactment to provide for the control of Rivers
and Streams.

It is hereby enacted by the Sultan in Council as
follows:—

1. This Enactment may be cited as the Waters Short Title.
Enactment.

2. "River" includes

Interpretation,

(a) a tributary of a river and any other stream
or natural water-course, and

(b) any canal declared by notification in the
Gazette to be subject to the provisions of
this Enactment.

"State land" and "alienated land" have the
meanings borne by those expression, respectively in
the Land Enactment.

3. Subject to the terms of any express grant Property in rivers.
made by or on behalf of the Sultan, the entire property
in and control of all rivers in the State is and shall be
vested in the Sultan.

4. Any person who shall in the State interfere
with the bank of any river may by written order under
the hand of the Commissioner of Lands and Mines be
required to restore the same to the condition in which
it was immediately prior to such interference or to
remove the same in such manner as may be specified
in such order.

*Restoration of river
banks.*

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Subterranean
waters*
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5. (a) No person shall, except under and in
accordance with the terms of a licence issued under
this Enactment:

*Prohibition of acts
affecting rivers
except under licence.*

(i) fell any tree so that it obstructs or inter-
feres with any river;
(ii) in any manner obstruct or interfere with
any river;

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(iii) in any manner dam up any river;

(iii) build any bridge, jetty or landing stage (other than a bath house, latrines or steps) over or beside any river at a point where the width of such river exceeds 20 feet;

(iv) attempt to divert any channel or current in any river or to form islands or to cause change in the banks of any river;

(v) build any retaining wall or construct any revetment along the banks of any river.

(vi) (b) Licences to do any of the acts specified above may be issued by the District Officer or Collector of Land Revenue with the previous approval of the State Secretary. *Ruler in Council.*

(c) Any such licence may be subject to such conditions as may be approved by the State Secretary. All such conditions shall be set out on the licence.

(d) Every such licence shall be subject to such annual fee as the Sultan in Council imposes. The amount of fee and due date for payment shall be stated in the licence. Where such fee remains unpaid for 2 months the licence may be cancelled without payment of compensation. *whether or not the licence is cancelled, any fee that remains unpaid may be recovered by suit.*

6. Where the bank of a river is interfered with, or where any felling, obstruction, interference, or building takes place in contravention of Section 5, the owner and the occupier of the land wherein the bank so interfered with or any part thereof is included and the owner and occupier of the land whereon such tree was felled or which is nearest to such obstruction, interference or building shall in any proceedings under this Enactment be presumed, in the absence of proof to the contrary, to have interfered with the bank, or effected the felling, obstruction, interference, or building, as the case may be.

Prohibition of diversion of water from rivers except under licence.

7. (a) No person shall, except under and in accordance with the terms of a licence issued under this Enactment, by means of any pipe, drain, or channel divert water from any river from its natural course.

(b) Licences to divert water from a river:—

(i) for a private or domestic purposes;

(ii) for industrial and other purposes; may be granted by the District Officer or Collector of Land Revenue with the previous approval of the State Secretary. Such licences may be subject to such conditions and restrictions as the State Secretary may in each case impose. All such conditions and restrictions together with the purpose for which the water is to be used shall be set forth in the licence.

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(c) Every such licence shall be subject to such annual fee as the Sultan in Council imposes. The amount of fee and due date for payment shall be stated in the licence. Where such fee remains unpaid for 2 months the licence may be cancelled without payment of compensation.

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(ca) any fee that remains unpaid may be recovered by suit.

(d) Nothing in this section shall be deemed to apply to any work done for the sole purpose of using water in the cultivation of rice provided that the written permission of the District Officer or Collector of Land Revenue shall have been previously obtained.

8. (i) A licence issued under this Enactment to divert water from a river may extend to authorising the licensee to erect, cut or construct and maintain upon or through any State lands specified in that behalf in the licence any pump likely to divert a river, line of pipes, flume, drain, dam or reservoir and, subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be specified in the licence, to take and use the water therefrom in such quantities and in such manner as in the opinion of the Sultan in Council may be necessary for carrying out the purpose of the licensee.

Licence to divert
water may authorise
interference with
State land or
alienated land.

aliens land

(ii) A licensee so authorised as aforesaid may enter upon the State lands or alienated lands so specified as aforesaid for the purposes expressed in such licence and carry out all or any of the works thereby sanctioned and exercise all or any of the rights thereby granted; provided that he shall be liable to make compensation to the owner or lawful occupier of any alienated land upon which such work shall be carried out or such rights exercised.

The amount of any compensation payable under either of the two last preceding sections shall, if not settled by agreement between the parties concerned, be assessed in the manner provided by "Land Acquisition Enactment."

9. Where alienated land is affected by any authority under Section 8 contained in a licence to divert water from a river, the Collector or the Commissioner of Lands and Mines, as the case may be, having custody of the Register wherein the title to such land is recorded shall, on production to him of such licence, make in the said Register an entry of the grant of the licence and the period thereof and shall certify on the licence that such entry has been made and shall on proof to his satisfaction of the revocation of any licence whereof an entry has been made as aforesaid make in the said Register an entry of such revocation.

Record of licence on
titles affected.

10. No licensee under this Enactment shall exempt any person from liability in respect of any damage occasioned by such person to the property of the State or of any person.

Liability for damage.

Revocation and
alteration of licences.

11. There shall be power at any time

- (a) without cause assigned to revoke or alter, or to vary the period, terms or conditions of, any licence granted under this Enactment upon payment to the licensee of compensation for any damage which he may sustain in respect of such revocation, alteration or variation;
- (b) to revoke without compensation any licence on breach by the licensee of any condition or restriction to which the licence is subject or on conviction of the licensee of offence punishable under this Enactment.

Penalties.

12. Any person who shall contravene the provisions of this Enactment shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$1,000 or in default of any payment to imprisonment of either kind which may extend to 6 months.

Add.
Liability of employer.

13. For the purposes of this Enactment every person shall be liable for every act and omission of any agent or servant employed by him acting within the scope of such employment in the same manner and to the same extent as if such act or omission were done or committed by such first mentioned person; but so that nothing in this section shall affect the liability of such agent or servant.

Duties and powers
of Penghulu.

14. It shall be the duty of any Penghulu who discovers any breach of the provisions of this Enactment to report such breach to the District Officer or Collector of Land Revenue and such Penghulu is empowered to order the immediate clearing of any tree from a river or to stop any work being done without the issue of a licence.

Rules

15. (i) The Sultan in Council may make Rules, not inconsistent with this Enactment,

- (a) to prescribe fees payable in respect of licences granted under this Enactment;
- (b) to restrict to particular areas or rivers the issue by District Officers of licences, or specified kinds of licences under Section 5, and Section 7 and section 7A;
- (c) All such Rules shall be published in the Gazette and shall thereupon have the force of law.

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Repealing.

16. Upon the coming into force of this Enactment the provisions of law contained hereunder shall be repealed.

Enactment 3 of 1854.

Perenggan P.U. 9/1969 dated 7.8.1969.

ENACTMENT SUNGAI
(Bil. 2 Tahun 1357)

PERATURAN ENACTMENT SUNGAI (BAYARAN LESEN) 1969.

PADA menjelaskan kuasa yang diberi oleh Seksyen 15(1) Enactment Sungai Bil. 2 tahun 1357 maka Majlis Mesyuarat Kerajaan dengan ini membuat peraturan yang berikut :

1. Peraturan ini bolehlah di-maklumkan Peraturan Enactment Sungai (Bayaran Lesen) 1969 dan hendaklah di-sifatkan berjalan kuat-kuasa pada 18hbulan Jun, 1969.

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2. Bayaran yang di-konjak bagi lesen² yang di-keluarkan di-bawah Seksyen 5, 7 dan 7A Enactment Sungai Bil. 2 tahun 1357 ada-lah seperti berikut. >> Seksyen 5, 7 dan 7A

(a) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(i)
dan Seksyen 5(a)(ii) — Perchuma

(b) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(iii)

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| (i) Bagi sabut jambatan | — \$200.00 setahun |
| (ii) Bagi sabut tumbatan | — \$100.00 setahun |
| (iii) Bagi Pengkalan | — Perchuma |

(c) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(iv) — \$75.00 setahun

(d) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(v) — Perchuma

(e) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 7(b)(i) — \$20.00 setahun

(f) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 7(b)(ii) — \$360 setahun T.P. 7/73

(g) Lesen di-bawah Seksyen 7A — \$360 setahun 7/73

3. (1) Lesen² yang di-keluarkan di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(i); 5(a)(ii); 5(a)(iv) dan 5(a)(v) ada-lah seperti Borang I.

BORANG I

LESEN DI-JAWAH ENACTMENT SUNGAI 1357

[Seksyen 5(a)(i); 5(a)(ii); 5(a)(iv) dan 5(a)(v)]

Lesen ini di-keluarkan kepada
di-alamat di-bawah Seksyen 5(a)(i)/
5(a)(ii)/5(a)(iv)/5(a)(v) Enactment Sungai Bil. 2 tahun
1357 se-lama bulan mulai daripada hari-
bulan , 19..... hingga bulan
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Kenyataan Tempat

Bandar/Lukim/Kampung.

Daerah

Tarikh.....

..... Pegawai Polesen

- 2 -

Bayaran bagi lesen ini ada-lah (Ringgit)
Lesen ini di-keluarkan terti' alok kepada sharat? yang
berikut -

- (1) Pelesen hendak-lah patoh kepada semua arahan Pegawai Pelesen;
 - (2) Lesen ini tidak boleh di-pindah kepada lain? orang atau
badan;
 - (3) Pelesen hendak-lah menohon kebenaran atau kelulusan
dari pegawai? yang berkenan jika di-kehendaki oleh
maka? undang?;
 - (4) Lesen ini akan luput jika pelesen mati atau pembubaran
badan perkongsian atau Sharikat yang pada masa itu
berhak menerima faedah-nya;
 - (5) Lesen ini boleh di-batalkan dengan serta sorte tanpa
bayaran ganti rugi tetkala melanggar sebarang sharat?
yang di-kemukakan itu.
- (ii) Lesen yang di-keluarkan di-bawah Bekhen 5(a)(iii)
ada-lah seperti Borang 2 berikut :

BORANG 2
LESEN DI-BAWAH ENACTMENT BUNGAI 1357
[Bekhen 5(a)(iii)]

Lesen ini di-keluarkan kepada
di-alamat di-bawah Bekhen 5(a)(iii).
(Jambatan/tambatan/penghalan) Enactment Bungai Bil. 2 tahun
1357 selama..... bulan mulai daripada..... haribulan
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19.....

Kenyataan Tempat.
Bandar/mukim/Kampung.
Daerah.

Tarikh.....
Pegawai Pelesen

Bayaran bagi lesen ini ada-lah(Ringgit.....)
Lesen ini di-keluarkan terti' alok kepada sharat? yang
berikut -

- (1) Pelesen hendak-lah patoh kepada semua arahan yang
di-keluarkan oleh Pegawai Pelesen dari semasa ka-
semasa;
- (2) Lesen ini tidak boleh di-pindah kepada lain? orang
atau badan;
- (3) Pelesen hendak-lah menohon kebenaran atau kelulusan
dari pegawai? yang berkenan jika di-kehendaki oleh
maka? undang?;

- (4) Lesen ini akan luput jika pelesen mati atau pembubaran badan perkongsian atau surikat yang pada masa itu berhak menerima faedah-nya;
 - (5) Tertakalok kapada surat 6 jambatan/tambatan/pengkalan hendak-lah di-buka kapada orang ramai;
 - (6) Pelesen tidak boleh mengenakan bayaran bagi pengguna2 jambatan/tambatan/pengkalan melainkan dengan kebenaran Pegawai Polsen;
 - (7) Semua perbalahan atau pertelingkahan berkaitan dengan kegunaan jambatan/tambatan/pengkalan hendak-lah di-rojokkan kapada Pegawai Pelesen. Keputusan Pegawai pelesen ada-lah mu'tamad;
 - (8) Lesen ini boleh di-batalkan dengan serta merta tanpa bayaran ganti rugi tatkala melanggar sebarang surat yang di-kenakan.
- (iii) Lesen yang di-keluarkan di-bawah Sekshen 7 ada-lah seperti seerti Borang 3 berikut:

BORANG 3
LESEN DI-BAWAH ENACTMENT SUNGAI 1357
[Sekshen 7(b)]

Lesen ini di-keluarkan kapada
di-alamat di-bawah Sekshen 7(b)(i)/
7(b)(ii) Enactment Sungai Bil. 2 tahun 1357 selama
bulan mulai daripada haribulan , 19...
Ringga haribulan 19.....

Kenyataan Tempat.
Bandar/Mukim/Kampung.
Daerah.

Tarikh.....
Pegawai Polesen

Payaran bagi lesen ini ada-lah \$.....(Ringgit.....)
Lesen ini di-keluarkan tertakalok kapada surat2 yang berikut -

- (1) Ayer sungai hendak-lah di-gunakan sa-mata2 untuk pergunaan
- (2) Pelesen hendak-lah menggunakan pipe, drain atau channel bagi mengubahkan perjalanan ayer dari sungai ku-kawasan yang di-lulus ini.
- (3) Pipe, drain atau channel ini hendak-lah sentiasa di-jagai oleh Pelesen dan Pelesen ada-lah bertanggungjawab jika berlaku apa2 kerosakan atau kemalangan kapada orang atau badan surikat atau harta2 benda di-keliling kawasan Pelesen.

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BORANG 4

LESEN DI BAWAH ENAKMEN SUNGAI, 1357
(Seksyen 7A)

Lesen ini dikeluarkan kepada
di alamat
di bawah seksyen 7A Enakmen Sungai Bil.2 tahun 1357 selama
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..... 19 hingga haribulan
..... 19

Kenyataan Tempat.
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Daerah.

Lesen ini untuk tujuan:

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Tarikh

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Pegawai Pelesen

Syarat lesen ini adalah £.....(Ringgit.....)

- (1) Setiausaha Kerajaan boleh mengenakan sebarang syarat-syarat dan sekatan-sekatan sebagaimana yang difikirkan nya menasabah ke atas lesen yang dikeluarkannya itu.
- (2) Lesen yang dikeluarkan di bawah seksyen 7A dalam Enakmen ini adalah sah bagi satu tahun kalendar.
- (3) Pelesen hendaklah patuh kepada semua arahan-arahan yang dikeluarkan oleh Pegawai Pelesen dari semasa ke semasa.
- (4) Lesen ini tidak boleh dipindah kepada lain-lain orang atau badan.
- (5) Lesen ini akan luput jika Pelesen mati atau pembubaran badan, perkongsian atau syarikat yang pada masa itu berhak menerima faedahnya.
- (6) Lesen ini boleh dibatalkan dengan serta merta tanpa gantirugi tatkala melanggar sebarang syarat-syarat yang dikenakan.

- 4) Pelesen hendak-lah patoh kapada semua arahan2 yang di-keluarkan oleh Pegawai Pelesen dari semasa ku-semasa.
 - 5) Pelesen hendak-lah memohon kebenaran dari Pegawai2 yang berkenaan jika dikehendaki oleh mana2 Undang2.
 - 6) Lesen ini tidak boleh di-pindahkapada lain2 orang atau badan.
 - 7) Lesen ini akan luput jika Pelesen mati atau pembuboran badan perkongsian atau Shar kat yang pada masa itu berhak menerima faedahnya.
 - 8) Lesen ini boleh di-batalkan dengan sorta merta tanpa bayaran ganti rugi tatkala melanggar sebarang shurat2 yang di-kemukakan itu.
- (v) - Lesen yang di-kelihalkan di bawah ketiga-tiga (3) adalah seperti berang 4 berikut:
Pemboritahu harta Kerajaan Bil. 242 bertarikh 24hb Oktober,
dengan ini di-batalkan.

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Tarikh 18hb bulan Jun, 1969.
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WAN ABD'L MANAN BIN CHIK,
Setia Usaha Majlis Hoshurat, Tr.