

HEALTH REGULATIONS NO. 3.⁽¹⁾

PRECAUTIONS AGAINST MALARIA IN TOWNSHIPS AND TOWNS.

1. These Regulations shall be applicable and be in force within the limits of any Township or Town⁽²⁾ now or hereafter proclaimed or declared to come and be brought under the operation of "*The Police Act 1838*," 2 Vic. No. 2⁽³⁾ (Queensland adopted); "*The Police Act of 1848*," 11 Vic. No. 44⁽³⁾ (Queensland adopted) and "*The Police Act of 1855*," 19 Vic. No. 24⁽³⁾ (Queensland adopted).

1A. Before a tank is connected with any premises the owner or occupier thereof shall notify a health officer or sanitary inspector of his intention to effect such connection and thereupon the health officer or sanitary inspector shall inspect the tank and connections and either pass such tank and connections as constructed with sufficient protection against mosquitoes or require that alterations satisfactory to him be made thereto.

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2. The owner or occupier of any premises shall keep all tanks and other receptacles of water upon his premises covered by mosquito proof wire gauze or other sufficient protection against mosquitoes.

3. The owner or occupier of any premises shall keep his premises free of all bottles (whole or broken) tins, cans or other articles in which water is collected or kept or may collect unless the same are corked, covered or kept under shelter in such a way as to prevent the collection of water therein.

4. The owner or occupier shall keep all gutters and down-pipes on his premises in good repair and free of obstruction, so as to prevent

(1) The *Health Regulations No. 3* (made under *The Health Act of 1884* (Queensland adopted) and continued in force by the *Health Ordinance, 1912-1924*), comprise the original *Health Regulations No. 3*, as amended by the other Regulation referred to in the following Table:—

REGULATIONS MADE BY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL.

Description and number and year (if any).	Date on which made by Lieut.-Gov. in Council.	Date on which published in Papua Govt. Gaz.	Date on which took effect.
<i>Health Regulations No. 3</i>	16.5.1910	1.6.1910	1.6.1910 (Papua Govt. Gaz. of 1.6.1910)
<i>Amending Regulation</i> (S.R. 1934, No. 7)	28.6.1934	4.7.1934	4.7.1934 (Papua Govt. Gaz. of 4.7.1934)

(2) For particulars of Towns declared under the *Police Offences Ordinance, 1912-1939*, see the Table printed on p. 1464, and the proclamations printed immediately thereafter.

(3) Repealed and replaced in the Territory by the *Police Offences Ordinance, 1912-1939*.

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the accumulation of water therein, and to allow the ready passages of water from the roofs of buildings.

5. The owner or occupier of any premises shall fill in, and keep filled in, all holes and depressions in the ground thereon in which water collects or may collect.

6. The owner or occupier of any premises shall keep such premises free of all undergrowth, weeds and uncultivated vegetable growth capable of concealing bottles, tins, cans and holes in which water is kept or collected or may collect.

7. Any Health Officer or Sanitary Inspector shall, from time to time, for the purpose of ascertaining whether these Regulations are being carried out, or to remedy any breach thereof, have free ingress in and egress from any premises and any person who refuses him ingress or egress, or who in any way interferes with them shall be guilty of a breach of these Regulations.

8. Any person who commits a breach of these Regulations shall be liable, for a first offence, to a penalty not exceeding Five pounds, and for a subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding Fifty pounds, and proceedings for recovery thereof may be taken before a court of summary jurisdiction.

9. If any owner or occupier of any premises at any time after the First day of June, one thousand nine hundred and ten, fails to comply with the provisions of Regulations, Numbers 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 hereof, or any of them, the Health Officer for the time being of the Township or Town within which such premises are situated, may, if satisfied with the fact of such non-compliance, serve a written notice on such owner or occupier to comply therewith within a time to be specified in the notice. If the person on whom a notice is served makes default in complying with the requisitions thereof within the time specified, the local authority may themselves do all such acts as are necessary to comply therewith, and the expense thereof shall be charged to and paid by the person making default in complying with such notice, provided that any actions taken under this Regulation shall not affect the liability of any person for any breach of the foregoing Regulations.

10. Health Regulations No. 2, made in Executive Council the twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and nine, are hereby repealed.