THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NANAIMO BY-KAW NO. 654.



A BY-LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THE CLOSING OF DRUG SHOPS AND STATIONERY SHOPS WITHIN THE CITY OF NANAIMO, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE "SHOPS REGULATION ACT".

WHEREAS an application has been received praying for the passing of a By-Law requiring the closing of drug shops and stationery shops within the Municipality; and

WHEREAS the Municipal Council is satisfied that the application is signed by not less than three-fourth's in number of the licensed occupiers of shops within the Municipality under municipal licenses issued in respect of those shops belonging to each of the classes to which the application relates; and

WHEREAS it is required that the application be complied with.

THEREFORE the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Nanaimo enacts as follows:-

- 1. Every drug shop and every stationery shop shall close at 7:00 p.m. of every week-day excepting Saturdays, and at 9:30 p.m. of every Saturday, and shall remain closed continuously from such respective times until midnight of every such day, PROVIDED HOWEVER that if any public holiday on which such shops are required to close shall be a Saturday, then such shops shall be allowed to remain open until 9:30 p.m. of the Friday immediately preceding.
- 2. For the purpose of this By-Law stationery shops shall include shops for the sale of bound and loose-leaf books of every description, office supplies (excluding furniture), novelties, souvenirs, burnt leather goods, printed cards, note paper, school supplies, photographic supplies and toys, but shall not include the sale of post cards, periodicals, magazines and newspapers.
- 3. This By-Law shall come into full force and effect upon the Fifth day of November, 1942, and shall be published by posting a certified copy thereof in the lobby at the entrance to the City Hall, Bastion Street, Nanaimo, B. C., and which shall remain posted for a period of thirty days from the Thirty-first day of October, 1942.
- 4. This By-Law may be cited as "THE DRUG SHOPS AND STATIONERY SHOPS EARLY CLOSING BY-LAW NO. 654, 1942".

PASSED by the Municipal Council on the Thirteenth day of October, 1942.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED on the Twenty-sixth day of October, 1942.

MAYOR.

CITY CLERK.