

**STREET WORKS ACT
(CHAPTER 320A, SECTION 53)**

**STREET WORKS
(ADVERTISEMENTS ON ROAD STRUCTURES, ROAD
RELATED FACILITIES AND PUBLIC STREETS)
REGULATIONS**

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[31st October 2003]

Citation

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Street Works (Advertisements on Road Structures, Road Related Facilities and Public Streets) Regulations.

Definitions

- 2.** In these Regulations, unless the context otherwise requires —
- “advertisement” means any advertisement (however affixed or displayed) that is visible to the public or any section thereof and includes any notice, sign, label or circular and any announcement, notification or intimation;
- “approved space” means any space on or at a road structure, road related facility or public street designated by the Authority as an approved space under regulation 4 (2).

Application

3. These Regulations shall not apply to any exhibition of advertisements for the purpose of any of the following events:

- (a) the National Day Parade;
- (b) the National Day Rally;
- (c) the Prime Minister's National Day Message;
- (d) any Parliamentary proceedings or the Budget Speech and Debate;
- (e) any General Election, By-Election or Presidential Election;
- (f) any State Funeral.

No advertisement on road structure, road related facility and public street

4.—(1) Except as permitted by any other written law, no person shall affix or display, or cause to be affixed or displayed, any advertisement on or at any road structure, road related facility or public street other than —

- (a) at an approved space in accordance with guidelines as may be issued by the Authority from time to time; or
- (b) with the written permission of the Authority and in accordance with the terms and conditions of that written permission.

(2) The Authority may designate any space on or at a road structure, road related facility or public street as an approved space by placing or erecting on or at such space a sign in accordance with the diagrams set out in the First Schedule.

(3) An application for written permission under paragraph (1) (b) shall be made to the Authority in such form or manner as the Authority may require and shall be accompanied by —

- (a) such particulars as the Authority may specify; and
- (b) the appropriate fee specified in the Second Schedule.

(4) The Authority may, in granting written permission under paragraph (1) (b), impose such terms and conditions as the Authority thinks fit.

(5) The Authority may in its discretion waive, in whole or in part, the fee referred to in paragraph (3) (b).

(6) Any person who contravenes paragraph (1) shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on conviction to a fine not exceeding \$2,000 and, in the case of a continuing offence, to a further fine not exceeding \$100 for every day or part thereof during which the offence continues after conviction.

(7) The Authority shall not be liable for any damage to or loss of any advertisement affixed to or displayed on any road structure, road related facility or public street.

Removal of advertisement

5.—(1) Where the Authority or any person authorised by the Authority finds any advertisement affixed or displayed on or at any road structure, road related facility or public street in contravention of regulation 4 (1), the Authority or such person may remove and dispose of the advertisement, or cause the advertisement to be removed and disposed of, in such manner as the Authority or such person, as the case may be, thinks fit.

(2) Where an advertisement has been removed from a road structure, road related facility or public street under paragraph (1), the Authority may recover any cost reasonably incurred by it in connection with such removal and the cost of reinstatement of the road structure, road related facility or public street, as the case may be, from —

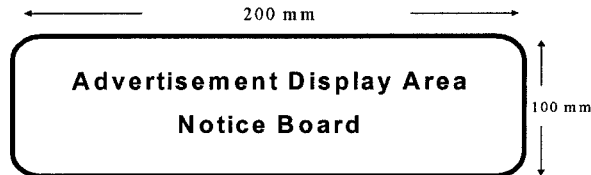
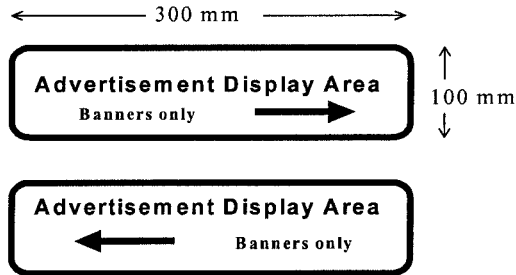
- (a) the person who affixed or displayed the advertisement;
- (b) the person who caused the advertisement to be affixed or displayed; or
- (c) the person on whose behalf the advertisement is affixed or displayed.

(3) Notwithstanding paragraph (1), the Authority may remove or dispose of, or cause to be removed or disposed of, any advertisement on or at any approved space as and when the Authority thinks fit, and no person shall be entitled to any compensation in respect of such removal or disposal.

FIRST SCHEDULE

Regulation 4 (2)

SIGNS



SECOND SCHEDULE

Regulation 4 (3)

FEES

1. The fee to display an advertisement for a period of 12 months shall be as follows:

(a) for any animated billboard —

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| (i) that has an area of not more than 10 square metres | \$225 per advertisement; |
| (ii) that has an area of more than 10 square metres | \$30 per square metre or part thereof. |

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| (b) for any balloon sign or skysign | \$40 per square metre or part thereof. |
| (c) for any other advertisement — | |
| (i) that has an area of up to 1 square metre | \$120 per advertisement; |
| (ii) that has an area of more than 1 square metre | \$120 for the first square metre and \$20 for each additional square metre or part thereof. |

2. Where more than one face of any advertisement, animated billboard, balloon sign or skysign is displayed, an additional fee shall be payable at the appropriate rate specified in paragraph 1 for every face of the advertisement, animated billboard, balloon sign or skysign which is displayed.

3. Where any sign, notice, representation or other visual device is displayed on any free-standing advertising structure, the fee shall be payable at the rate specified in paragraph 1 (c).

4. Subject to paragraphs 5 and 6, where any written permission is granted for the display of an advertisement for a period of less than 12 months, the fee shall be payable on a pro-rata basis.

5. Where the period for the grant of any written permission for the display of an advertisement consists of or includes any part of a month, that part shall be regarded as one month.

6. Where the fee payable under these Regulations includes any fraction of a dollar, the fraction shall be regarded as a dollar.

7. In this Schedule —

“advertising structure” means any frame, panel, hoarding, object or other structure that is designed or used primarily for the display of any advertisement;

“animated billboard” means an advertisement that displays, at any one time, one or more advertisements consisting of visual moving pictures or that are otherwise able to move or change colour due to the use of electrical, mechanical or other sources of power;

“balloon sign” means an advertisement that is inflated, tethered to and suspended above any road structure, road related facility or public street;

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“free-standing advertising structure” means any advertising structure that is capable of standing on its own, whether or not it is affixed to the ground on one or more supports;

“skysign” means any advertising structure that is displayed on or above a road structure, road related facility or public street.

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