

**L.C.B.L. 49/10/2004**

**LOCAL COUNCILS ACT  
(CAP. 363)**

**Advertisements on the Internet  
(Qrendi Local Council) Bye-Laws, 2004**

IN exercise of the powers conferred by articles 33(1)(h), 34, 35(8) and 60 of the Local Councils Act, the Qrendi Local Council has made the following Bye-Laws:-

**1.1** The title of these Bye-Laws is Advertisements on the Internet (Qrendi Local Council) Bye-Laws, 2004. Citation and commencement.

**1.2** These Bye-Laws shall come into force one month after their publication in the Gazette.

**2.1** In these Bye-Laws unless the context otherwise requires:- Interpretation.

“Act” means the Local Councils Act;

“advertisement” includes any commercial or non-commercial promotion;

“Council” means Qrendi Local Council;

“person” means the person who has been authorised by the Council to link with the Council’s Web-page under the provisions of subarticle (2) of article 3 of these Bye-Laws;

“Web-page” means access to information and database via the Internet, known as the World Wide Web (WWW), which Web-page may be advertised on the so-called Web Search Engines.

**2.2** In these Bye-Laws, any expression which is defined in the Act shall have the same meaning as is assigned to it in the Act.

**3.1** The Council shall have a Web-page on the Internet which shall include all information on the Council and the locality which the Council may choose to include. Official Council Web-page.

**3.2** There shall be one official Web-page dedicated exclusively to the Qrendi Local Council:

Provided that the Council may authorise any person to include or link such Web-page on or to another Web-page, either at a charge or at no charge, as the Council may decide.

Authorization in writing.

**3.3** The Council shall give an authorization in writing to the person mentioned in article 3.2.

Penalties.

**3.4** Any person who is found guilty of having breached any provision of articles 3.2 or 3.3 hereof shall, on conviction, be liable to a fine (*ammenda*) of thirty liri (Lm30) together with one lira (Lm1) for every day during which the Council's Web-page is accessible on the offender's Web-page without the written authorisation.

Authorisation for advertising on the Council's Web-page.

**4.1** The Council may contract, in accordance with the regulations and procedures applicable according to the Act, with commercial and non-commercial entities to advertise the Council's Web-page at a charge.

**4.2** The contract mentioned in subarticle (1) of this article is valid for a period of one year which may be renewed for a further period of one year.