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PREVENTION OF DISEASE ORDINANCE

(CAP. 36)

Irrigation of Crops (Health Precautions) Regulations, 1988

IN EXERCISE of the powers conferred by section 43 of the Prevention of Disease Ordinance, the Minister for Social Policy, on the advice of the Council of Health, has made the following regulations:—

Citation.

1. These regulations may be cited as the Irrigation of Crops (Health Precautions) Regulations, 1988.

Prohibition of irrigation with sewage.

2. No person may irrigate any field, where crops intended for human consumption are, or may be, cultivated, with any sewage or sewage contaminated water.

Seizure and destruction.

3. It shall be lawful for the Superintendent to order the seizure and/or destruction of crops which have been irrigated with sewage or sewage contaminated water.

Saving.

4. The provisions of regulations 2 and 3 of these regulations shall not apply to any field irrigated with effluent from sewage which has been treated and purified at a Government-run sewage treatment plant in respect of such crops which the Superintendent has approved could be cultivated in such field.

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