

## **Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly (Control of Mills) Bye-laws, 1995**

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly by section 79 of the Local Government Act, 1993 (Act 462) these bye-laws are hereby made:

1. No person shall operate a mill within the Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly's area of authority without first obtaining
  - a) A development permit for the site from the Town Planning development of the K.M.A., and
  - b) A building permit from the Engineers Department of KMA.
2. No person shall operate a mill without a licence from the Department of the KMA
3. (1) The permit fee for operating a mill shall be determined in accordance with the fee fixing resolution of KMA.  
(2) The permit shall expire on 31st day of December of the year of issue.
4. (1) No person shall use a room or structure as a mill if
  - a) It is less than 4.2 metres long 3.6 metres wide and less than metres high from floor level; and
  - b) The floor is not made of concrete or others approved impervious material; and
  - c) The walls are not fly proof.
5. No person shall use a mill as a living or bedroom.
6. A mill shall be opened to the public only between the hours of 4.a.m. and 7 p.m.
7. No proprietor or person in charge of a mill shall allow any person suffering from an infectious disease to be present at the mill site.
8. A person who contravenes any provisions of these Bye-Laws commits an offence and is liable on summary conviction to a fine of exceeding ₵200,000.00 or in default to a term of imprisonment not exceeding 6 month or both.
9. Any Bye-laws on control of mills in force immediately before the passage of these Bye-laws are hereby revoked.
10. In these Bye-Laws unless the context otherwise requires- "K.M.A. means Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly" "mill" means any building or structure with machinery for grinding com pepper, cassava, groundnut or other foodstuff.

Made at a meeting of the Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly held on the 28th December 1995.

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*Presiding Member*

*Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly*

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*Metropolitan Co-ordinating Director*

*and Secretary to KMA*

Approved by the Regional Co-ordinating Council, Ashanti on behalf of the Ministry of Local Government.

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*Regional Co-ordinating Director and Secretary to R.CC*