BOROUGH OF FOLKESTONE

BYELAW

for the good rule and government of the Borough

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Town Clerk,
Folkestone.
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of the good rule and government of the Borough of Folkestone made by the Council of the Borough in pursuance of Section 249 of the Local Government Act, 1933, at a meeting of the Council held on the Sixth day of October, One thousand nine hundred and sixty five.

As to Wireless Sets, Gramophones etc

1. Any person who by operating or causing or suffering to be operated any wireless set, gramophone, amplified or similar instrument –

   (a) in or on any street or public place or in or in connection with any shop, business premises or other place which adjoins any street or public place and to which the public are admitted, makes or causes or suffers to be made any noise which is so loud and so continuous or repeated as to give reasonable cause for annoyance to other persons, or
   (b) in any other premises makes or causes or suffers to be made any noise which is so loud and so continuous or repeated as to cause an annoyance to occupiers or inmates of any premises in the neighbourhood, shall be guilty of an offence :

Provided that:-

(i) no proceedings shall be taken under this byelaw against any person in respect of anything done in any premises referred to in paragraph (b) thereof unless the nuisance does not cease before the expiration of a fortnight from the date of the service on that person of a notice alleging a nuisance, signed by not less than three householders residing within hearing of the instrument in question,

(ii) this byelaw shall not apply to any wireless set, gramophone, amplifier or similar instrument used by a police constable in the execution of his duty.

2. In this byelaw the expression “public place” includes any park, pleasure ground or other like place to which the public are admitted and any part of a beach to which the public are admitted.

3. Any person offending against this byelaw shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding £5.

4. The byelaw No. 5 in the series of byelaws with respect to the good rule and government of the Borough made by the Council on 2nd January, 1935 is hereby repealed.

The Common Seal of the Mayor
Aldermen and Burgesses of the
Borough of Folkestone was affixed
hereto by order of the Council of
said Borough in the presence of:-

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The Secretary of State this day confirmed the foregoing byelaw and fixed the date on which it is to come into operation as the first day of June, 1966.

R J GUPPY
An Assistant Under Secretary of State.

WHITEHALL,
29th April, 1966.