

# STATUTORY RULES.

## No. 17 of 1925.

Made under *The Native Regulation Ordinance of 1908.*

The *Native Regulations, 1922* (Statutory Rules No. 3 of 1922), are further amended as follows:—

- (a) By omitting therefrom Sub-regulation (1) of Regulation 71 and inserting the following new sub-regulation in lieu thereof:—

“71. (1) Any native engaged under the Ordinances for the time being relating to native labour who is away from the quarters assigned to him at any time after 9 p.m. and before daylight of the following morning without the written consent of his employer or other sufficient excuse shall be liable upon conviction to a fine not exceeding Ten shillings or in default of payment to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one month or to imprisonment in the first instance for any period not exceeding one month.

A written consent of an employer shall not be valid as an excuse under this sub-regulation for a native to be away from his quarters after the hour of 11 p.m.”

- (b) By omitting from the heading to Regulation 85A the word “Villagers” and substituting the word “Natives” therefor.
- (c) By inserting after Regulation 85B the following new regulation:—

*Loitering, etc., in Towns.*

“85C. No native shall in the Town of Port Moresby—or in any other Town to which the Lieutenant-Governor shall extend the provisions of this regulation by a notice in the *Gazette*—

- (a) loiter upon any footway to the inconvenience of passers by; or  
(b) wilfully obstruct or impede the passing of persons along any carriage way or footway.

A breach of this regulation shall render the offender liable on conviction to a penalty not exceeding Ten shillings or in default to imprisonment for any period not exceeding one month or to imprisonment in the first instance for any period not exceeding one month.”

Made in Executive Council this sixteenth day of November, One thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Executive Council Minute,  
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L. H. HILDER,  
Clerk of Executive Council.

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