

**Office of the Secretary Nagar Panchayat
Gagret, Distt-UNA (H.P)**

Notification

NO. 580-582 NP/GGT/Bye-Laws

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The following Bye- Laws made by the Nagar Panchayat Gagret for regulation the Posting of Bills Hoardings. Advertisement Sign boards, in exercise of the power conferred by section 202(0) read with section 217 of the Himachal Pradesh Municipal Act, 1994(13 of 1994) having been confirmed by State Govt.as required under section 217 of the aforesaid Act are here by published for general information, namely-

**BYE- LAWS TO REGULATE POSITING OF
BILLS,HOARDINGS,ADVERTISEMENTS OF NAGAR PANCHAYAT GAGRET.**

1. Short title commencement and applications :- these Bye-Laws may be called the Nagar Panchayat Gagret.

(Regulation of posting of bills and fixing of advertisement hoardings, sign boards etc) Bye-Laws, 2013.

- (1) They shall come into force of the date of their publication in the Rajpatra, Himachal Pradesh.
- (2) They shall apply to Gagret Nagar Panchayat area.

2. Definitions:-

In these bye laws unless the context otherwise requires:-

- (a) "Act" means the Himachal Pradesh, Municipal Act 1994
- (b) "Bills" means any poster, notice and advertisement printed on paper of board or painted on Hoardings, Sign Boards or walls etc. and hung on poles etc.
- (c) "Nagar Panchayat" means the Nagar Panchayat Gagret.
- (d) "Schedule" means the schedule indicating the rate in respect of sign Boards.

- 3.** Prohibition of sticking, fixing hanging or painting bills, posters, advertisement, notice etc:-No person shall without the written permission of the Secretary Nagar Panchayat Gagret stick, fix or hung or cause to be fixed stick ,or hung or paint bills ,posters ,advertisements ,notice ,over any place or property whether private or public in public street or road in contravention of the following conditions:-
- i.** Hoarding shall not be allowed in the required width the National/State High ways and other scheduled roads as they cause traffic hazard and are against the instructions of the Govt. of India and Hon'ble Himachal Pradesh High Court.
 - ii.** No Hoarding, advertisements shall be put on the valley side above the road level (including on the roofs of buildings) to preserve the aesthetics, scenic beauty and the views of hills.
 - iii.** No hoardings, advertisements shall be put at the place where it affects, endangers the growth of flora,
 - iv.** No boarding shall be located in thickly wooded area and no wire of any kind shall be placed on trees,
 - v.** No hoarding advertisements shall exceed dimension size of 16 sq. meters,
 - vi.** No hoarding advertisement shall be against the guidelines of the PWD,
 - vii.** No Hoardings advertisements shall be located near a water source,
 - viii.** No hoarding advertisement shall be in the form of writing engraving nailing and carving on any natural animated or inanimate object,
 - ix.** No hoarding advertisement shall be located to the road. No hoardings advertisement should be located on a sharp "U" turn and blind turns, and.
 - x.** The beauty of nature formatting such as hills ,rivers ,trees and rocks shall not be destroyed by indiscriminate installation of commercial advertisements.

4. Exemptions:-

Subject to the conditions mentioned in Bye-Laws 3 private boards may be erected on respective promises by Govt. Offices, Association or mercantile firms, for posting their own notices, advertisements etc.

Prohibition of displaying indecent pictures or language shall not be allowed Secretary, Nagar Panchayat Gagret shall be authority to decide as to the decency or otherwise of the advertisements and the appeared against the decision shall be made to the President Nagar Panchayat Gagret whose decision shall be final.

5. Fee for permission:-

(i) fee @ Rs. 300/- per sqm .shall be payable for every permission granted under Bye-Laws no. 3 above per annum.

(ii) Cloth Banners @ Rs.100/-per month per banner.

6. When a person desires to remove the advertisement, he will put the space as it was before.

7. Penalties:-

Whoever contravenes any of these Bye-Laws shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Five thousand Rupees and when the contravention is a continuing one, with further fine which may extend to Rupees 200/- for every day, after the first day during which such contravention continues.

By Order

Sd/-

Secretary,

Nagar Panchayat,

Gagret. Distt.Una(H.P.)