

CHAPTER 287.**STURGE PARK.**

(6th May, 1938.)

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1. This Ordinance may be cited as the Sturge Park Ordinance. Short title.

2. In this Ordinance—

Interpretation.

“Sturge Park” means that piece or parcel of land containing five acres formerly part of Grove Estate situate in the Parish of St. Anthony, as the same is set forth bounded and described in the Certificate of Title, in favour of the Government of Montserrat dated the 15th day of May, 1936, and registered in Volume F.I. folio 10 of the Register of Titles of the Montserrat Circuit;

“traffic” means the passage of vehicles of every description, motor cars, motor bicycles, bicycles, tricycles and animals.

3. (1) It shall be lawful for the Administrator in Council to make rules for the protection, management, and good government of Sturge Park (hereinafter referred to as the Park).

Power to make rules.

(2) In particular and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power such rules may—

(a) provide for the appointment of a committee charged with the management and control of the Park, and prescribe the powers duties and procedure of such committee;

(b) regulate the use by the public of the Park, and the times and conditions of admission to the same;

(c) control or prohibit traffic in the Park;

(d) prohibit any interference with or damage to or the destruction of trees, plants, shrubs, fruit, gates, fences or other things within or about the Park.

(3) Rules made under this section shall not have any force or effect until they have been approved by the Legislative Council, and when so approved by resolution shall have the same force and effect as if they were contained in and formed part of this Ordinance. All such rules shall on approval be published in the *Gazette*.

Penalty for
contravening
rules.

4. Any person contravening any rule made under the authority of this Ordinance shall be guilty of an offence and shall be liable on summary conviction before a magistrate to a fine not exceeding forty-eight dollars.

Power to
remove or
arrest.

5. It shall be lawful for any police officer or any other person appointed by the Administrator in that behalf—

(a) to exclude or remove from the Park any person creating a disturbance or behaving in a disorderly or unseemly manner;

(b) to arrest without warrant any person who within his view commits any breach of any rule made under this Ordinance, if the name and address of such person is unknown to such police officer or person, or if such person continues to commit such breach after being warned to desist, and to detain him in custody until he can conveniently be brought before a magistrate to be dealt with according to law.