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THE CORPORATION OF THE
TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

By-Law No. 94-32

Being a by-law to regulate, license
and govern transient traders (within
the limits of Municipality).

WHEREAS, Section 236, (16) and (17) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O., 1990, Chapter M.45, as amended, provides that "by-laws may be passed by the councils of towns, townships and villages and cities having a population of less than 100,000 and by police services boards of cities having a population of not less than 100,000 for licensing, regulating and governing transient traders";

AND WHEREAS, Council deems it expedient to regulate, license and govern transient traders within the said limits of the Municipality of Anson, Hindon and Minden;

NOW THEREFORE, the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden enacts as follows:

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1. That for the purposes of this by-law "transient trader" includes any person(s) commencing business, who has/have not resided in the Municipality for at least three (3) months next preceding the time of he/she commencing such business there.
 2. That this by-law does not apply to the sale of the stock of a bankrupt or an insolvent, within the meaning of any bankruptcy or insolvency Act in force in the Province of Ontario, nor to the sale of any stock damaged by or by reason of fire, which is being sold or disposed of within the Municipality in which the business was being carried on at the time of the bankruptcy, insolvency or fire, so long as no goods, wares or merchandise are added to such stock.
 3. That this by-law shall not apply to the sale of a business to a purchaser who continues the business.
 4. That the fee to be paid for a licence in the case of a transient trader shall be three hundred dollars (\$300.00), in any part of the Municipality.
 5. That the fee to be paid for the licence by a farmer, resident in Ontario, who offers for sale only the produce of the farmer's own farm, shall be five dollars (\$5.00).
 6. That the sum paid for a licence shall be credited to the person paying it, or to any purchaser of the business who carries on the business, on account of taxes payable in respect of the business, and in respect of real property taxes on the land used for the purpose of, or in connection with the business if the land is owned by the person carrying on the business, during the year in which the licence was issued and five (5) years thereafter.

7. That every transient trader who carries on business without a licence is guilty of an offence.
8. That every transient trader shall cause the licence to be prominently and permanently displayed in the transient trader's place of business during the full term in which the transient trader is carrying on business as a transient trader and in default thereof is guilty of an offence.
9. That every applicant for a transient trader's licence shall, as part of his application, furnish a statement in writing, containing a full description of the goods, wares or merchandise that the transient trader proposes to sell or offer for sale under such licence.
10. That approval of location of the operation must be granted in writing by both the Municipal Council and the property owner prior to the issuance of such licence.
11. That By-Law No. 78-11 is hereby rescinded in its entirety.

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME, passed, signed and the Corporate Seal attached hereto this 14th day of July, 1994.



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Clerk-Treasurer