

THE SARAWAK RIVERS ORDINANCE, 1993
THE SARAWAK RIVERS (RIVERINE TRAFFIC FEES) REGULATIONS, 2007
[Swk. L.N. 29/2007]

(Made under sections 12(2)(k) and 38(1)(r))

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 12(2)(k) and 38(1)(r) of the Sarawak Rivers Ordinance, 1993 [*Cap. 4*], the Majlis Mesyuarat Kerajaan Negeri has made the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the **Sarawak Rivers (Riverine Traffic Fees) Regulations, 2007**, and shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st day of January, 2007.

Imposition of riverine traffic fees

2. The master or agent of any vessel, not exempted under section 35(2)(b) or (3) of the Sarawak Rivers Ordinance, 1993 [*Cap. 4*], entering, navigating through or using any of the rivers declared under section 11 of the Ordinance, or which calls at any port on the foreshores of Sarawak, shall pay to the Sarawak Rivers Board, a riverine traffic fee of 15 sen nett tonnage of that vessel.

Payment and collection

3. Payment shall be made to the Controller of Rivers or any person authorized by him to collect the same.

Surcharge

4. If the riverine traffic fees are not paid by the master or agent of the vessel within seven (7) days after the arrival of the vessel at a port on the foreshores of Sarawak or vessel entering or navigating through the rivers of the State, the Board may impose a surcharge equivalent to 50% of the fees remaining unpaid.

Dated this 28th day of February, 2007.

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