

No. 90

**MINOR OFFENCES ACT
(CHAPTER 30)**

**MINOR OFFENCES
(METHOD AND PROCEDURE OF COMPOUNDING) RULES, 2006**

ARRANGEMENT OF RULES

Rule

1. Citation.
 2. Form.
 3. Payment.
 4. Receipt.
 5. Effect of payment.
 6. Issue of summons.
-

**MINOR OFFENCES ACT
(CHAPTER 30)**

**MINOR OFFENCES
(METHOD AND PROCEDURE OF COMPOUNDING) RULES, 2006**

In exercise of the power conferred by subsection (3) of section 38A of the Minor Offences Act, the Minister of Home Affairs, with the approval of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan, hereby makes the following Rules —

Citation.

1. These Rules may be cited as the Minor Offences (Method and Procedure of Compounding) Rules, 2006.

Form.

2. An offer to compound shall be in such form as the Permanent Secretary of Ministry of Home Affairs may determine.

Payment.

3. (1) When an offer to compound any offence is made and accepted, payment for it shall be made in cash, at the place where the offer was made or at the office or police headquarters of the appropriate Police District specified in the offer to compound.

(2) Subject to sub-rule (3), such payment shall be made within 7 days from the date the offer was made.

(3) On an appeal, the Chairman of any Municipal Board, the District Officer, the Director General of Public Works, the Officer Commanding Police District or the Director of Environment, Parks and Recreation as the case may be, may extend the period referred to in sub-rule (2) to 14 days if he thinks fit.

Receipt.

4. When payment is made in accordance with sub-rule (1) of rule 3, a receipt shall be issued for such payment to the person to whom the offer to compound was made.

Effect of payment.

5. On the payment of such sum of money for the offer to compound, no further proceedings shall be taken against the person who has been reasonably suspected of having committed an offence.

Issue of summons.

6. Any person who —

(a) fails to appear at the office or police headquarters of the appropriate Police District specified in the offer to compound;

(b) fails to make payment within the period referred to in sub-rule (2) or (3) of rule 3; or

(c) furnishes any information which is false or misleading,

shall be issued with a summons.

Made this 19th. day of Ramadan, 1427 Hijriah corresponding to the 12th. day of October, 2006.

PEHIN ORANG KAYA JOHAN PAHLAWAN DATO PADUKA
HAJI AWANG ADANAN BIN BEGAWAN PEHIN SIRAJA KHATIB
DATO SERI SETIA HAJI AWANG MOHD. YUSOF,
Minister of Home Affairs,
Brunei Darussalam.