THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HAVANT

SEMI-PERMANENT SKIN-COLOURING

Byelaws for the purposes of securing the cleanliness of premises registered under section 15 of the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 and fittings in such premises and registered persons and persons assisting them and the cleansing and, so far as appropriate, sterilisation of instruments, materials and equipment used in connection with the business of semi-permanent skin-colouring, made by THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HAVANT in pursuance of Section 15(7) of the Act.

1. Interpretation:
   a. In these byelaws, unless the context otherwise requires –
      “Client” means any person undergoing treatment;
      “Operator” means any person giving treatment;
      “Premises” means any premises registered under Part VIII of the Act;
      “Proprietor” means any person registered under Part VIII of the Act;
      “Treatment” means any operation in effecting semi-permanent skin-colouring;
      “The treatment area” means any part of the premises where treatment is given to clients.
   b. The Interpretation Act 1978 shall apply for the interpretation of these byelaws as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

2. For the purpose of securing the cleanliness of premises and fittings in such premises a proprietor shall ensure that –
   a. All internal walls, doors, windows, partitions, floors and floor coverings, and ceilings are kept clean and in such good repair as to enable them to be cleaned effectively;
   b. The treatment area is used solely for giving treatment;
   c. The floor of the treatment area is provided with a smooth impervious surface;
   d. All waste materials, and other litters, arising from the treatment should be handled and disposed of as clinical waste in accordance with relevant legislation and guidance as advised by the local authority;
   e. All needles used in treatment are single-use and disposable, as far as is practicable; and are stored and disposed of as clinical waste in accordance with relevant legislation and guidance as advised by the local authority;
   f. All furniture and fittings in the premises are kept clean and in such good repair as to enable them to be cleaned effectively;
a.  A proprietor shall ensure that –

  i.  any operator keeps his hands and nails clean and his nails short;

  ii. any operator wears disposable surgical gloves that have not previously been used with any other client;

  iii. any operator of the premises wears a gown, wrap or protective clothing that is clean and washable, or alternatively a disposable covering that has not previously been used in connection with any other client;

  iv.  any operator keeps any open boil, sore, cut or open wound on an exposed part of his body effectively covered by an impermeable dressing;

  v.  any operator does not smoke or consume food or drink in the treatment area.

b.  A proprietor shall provide –

  i.  suitable and sufficient washing facilities for the sole use of operators, including hot and cold water, sanitising soap or detergent;

  ii.  suitable and sufficient sanitary accommodation for operators.

The COMMON SEAL of THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF HAVANT was hereunto affixed this 17th day of July 2005 in the presence of:

Solicitor to the Council

The foregoing byelaws are hereby confirmed by the Secretary of State for Health on 1st March 2006 and shall come into operation on 1st March 2006

Member of the Senior Civil Service
Department of Health

NOTE – THE FOLLOWING DOES NOT FORM PART OF THE BYELAWS

A.  Proprietors shall take all reasonable steps to ensure compliance with these byelaws by persons working on the premises. Section 16(9) of the Act provides that a registered person shall cause