## Village of Belledune Business Operating Permit By-Law 1994-25

A By-law respecting the development and operating practices of business, industry, calling, profession, or occupation anywhere within the municipality of Belledune.

1. Terms:

a) By-Law - a by-law of the municipality of Belledune # 1994-25

b) <u>Person</u> - any individual representing a sole proprietorship, partnership, corporation or cooperative.

c) Operating Permit - Permission or licence to conduct a business, industry, calling, profession or occupation within the municipal boundaries.

d) Municipality - Village of Belledune, as described in Order in Council 94-12.

e) Applicant - (1b) the person

f) The Clerk - The clerk or clerk treasurer for the Village of Belledune.

g) Grandfather Clause - Any business, industry, calling, profession or occupation already in production or in business as of the third and final reading of this by-law.

h) Restrictions or Qualifications - Council may apply standards of performance without restriction, as criteria for approval.

- 2. Except as here in provided, no person, not being a resident of the municipality of Belledune shall carry on or engage in any business, industry, calling, profession or occupation within the municipality, unless that person first obtains an operating permit from the municipal clerk as defined in this by-law.
- 3. Any business or industry wishing to locate in Belledune must obtain an operating permit before obtaining a building permit from the Belledune District Planning Commission.
- 4. The operating permit will be granted by a majority council vote in favour of the applicant.
- 5. The applicant must apply in writing to the clerk of the Village of Belledune, 931 Main St., Belledune, N.B., for an operating permit. The applicant must submit a detailed proposal clearly identifying the specific operation of the business or industry.
- 6. Council at its discretion may approve the applicant forthwith or may refer the application to the committee of the whole for further evaluation

- 7. Council reserves the right to reject any applicant.
- 8. Council reserves the right to revoke a permit within 90 days of written notices.
- 9. Council may refer the applicants proposal to any number of public processes or forms to better inform the public of their intentions.
- 10. No time limit will be placed on council to approve or reject an application.
- 11. The clerk of the Village of Belledune will advise each applicant in writing stating councils approval or rejection of the applicants proposal. A carbon copy will be forwarded to the Belledune District Planning Commission.
- 12. This by-law provides a grandfather clause to automatically grant an operating permit to existing businesses or industries.
- An operating certificate signed under village seal by the Mayor and the Clerk 13. will be presented to the applicant upon Council approval.
- 14. A revoked permit can be reinstated with a majority vote in Council.
- Council may add certain restrictions or qualifications to any approved operating 15. permit.
- Council may charge a fee for an operating permit, the amount will be set by resolution and a majority vote of Council.
- Council may apply to the provincial court of New Brunswick for an injunction to stop work on any project failing to apply for an operating permit.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Village of Belledune in Council, has caused the Seal of the said Village to be hereunto affixed the 16 TH day of NOVEMBER in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

ninety four.