VIOLATIONS TO PUBLIC DECENCY AND PENALTIES

| | | PENALTY | | |
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| | VIOLATION | FIRST-TIME VIOLATION | REPEATED VIOLATION | REMARKS |
| 1 | Indecent behavior that includes an act of sexual nature. | 3,000 | 6,000 | For every person engaging in such behavior |
| 2 | Playing music in high volume inside a residential area and a complaint is made by one or more residents, without obtaining a prior approval. | 500 | 1,000 | |
| 3 | Playing music during prayer times. | 1,000 | 2,000 | |
| 4 | Non-removal of pet feces by its owner. | 100 | 200 | |
| 5 | Littering in non-designated areas and spitting. | 500 | 1,000 | |
| 6 | Occupying the seats and facilities designated for the elderly and the disabled. | 200 | 400 | |
| 7 | Bypassing barriers to access public places. | 500 | 1,000 | |
| 8 | Wearing improper clothing in public places. Dress code for visitors of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia shall be in accordance with the standards set for such purpose. | 100 | 200 | |
| 9 | Wearing underwear and sleepwear. | 100 | 200 | |
| 10 | Wearing in public places clothing that bear profane language or obscene images or symbols. | 100 | 200 | |
| 11 | Wearing in public places clothing that bear language, images, or symbols that encourage discrimination or racism, or promote porn or drug use. | 500 | 1,000 | |
| 12 | Writing or drawing, or any other similar act, on public transportation vehicles and on public walls without authorization. | 100 | 200 | |
| 13 | Placing slogans or images on public transportation vehicles that encourage racism or promote porn or drug use. | 100 | 200 | |
| 14 | Placing commercial labels and distributing flyers in public places without permission. | 100 | 200 | |
| 15 | Igniting fires in non-designated areas in parks and public places. | 100 | 200 | |
| 16 | Any act, whether physical or verbal, that may harm, frighten, or endanger any individual in a public place. | 100 | 200 | |
| 17 | Skipping waiting lines in public places, unless permitted. | 50 | 100 | |
| 18 | Exposing people in public places to harmful lighting, such as laser beams, that may harm, frighten, or endanger such people. | 100 | 200 | |
| 19 | Taking pictures or videos, without permission, people, traffic accidents, crimes, or other incidents. | 1,000 | 2,000 | Pictures or videos taken shall be deleted. |

General Provisions

- Persons authorized for the identification and recording of violations and imposition of fines as provided for in these Regulations are policemen.
- Penalties shall not be imposed on any behavior not provided for in the violations table.
- Each violator shall bear the costs of rectifying the violation.
- Any person harmed by the violation shall have the right to file a lawsuit.
- In case of multiple violators in a single violation, the prescribed fine shall be imposed on each violator.
- In case of multiple violations, the violator shall be subject to the fines prescribed for each violation, in accordance with these Regulations.
- Any person against whom a penalty decision is issued, in accordance with these Regulations, may file a grievance before the Public Decency Circuit at the Specialized Administrative Court (Board of Grievances).