

**PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH  
NOTIFICATION  
KARACHI, THE 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY, 2009**

**NO.PAS/Legis-B-13/2008-** The Sindh Public Property (Removal of Encroachment) (Amendment) Bill, 2008 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Sindh on 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2008 and assented to by the Governor of Sindh on 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2008 is hereby published as an Act of the Legislature of Sindh.

**THE SINDH PUBLIC PROPERTY (REMOVAL OF ENCROACHMENT)  
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 2008**

**SINDH ACT NO: I OF 2009**

(First published after having received the assent of the Governor of Sindh in the Gazette of Sindh (Extra-Ordinary) dated 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2009.)

**AN  
ACT**

to further amend the Sind Public Property (Removal of Encroachment) Act, 1975.

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to further amend the Sind Public Property (Removal of Encroachment) Act, 1975, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows: -

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| <p><b>1.</b> (1) This Act may be called the Sindh Public Property (Removal of Encroachment) (Amendment) Act, 2008.</p> <p>(2) It shall come into force at once.</p>   | <p><b>Short title and commencement.</b></p>                    |
| <p><b>2.</b> In the Sind Public Property (Removal of Encroachment) Act, 1975, hereinafter called the said Act, in section 2, for clause (f), the following shall be substituted :-</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">"(f) "Council" means a Council as defined in the Sindh Local Government Ordinance, 2001."</p> | <p><b>Amendment of section 2 of Sind Act No.V of 1975.</b></p> |
| <p><b>3.</b> Through out the Act, for the words "Local Council", the word "Council" shall be substituted.</p>   | <p><b>Amendment of section 3 of Sind Act No.V of 1975.</b></p> |

4. In the said Act, in section 3, in sub-section (1), for the words "three days", the words "two days" shall be substituted. **Amendment of section 3 of Sind Act No.V of 1975.**
5. In the said Act, in section 4, in sub-section (1), for the words "seven days", the words "three days" shall be substituted. **Amendment of section 4 of Sind Act No.V of 1975.**
6. In the said Act, in section 5, in sub-section (1), for the words "seven days", the words "three days" shall be substituted. **Amendment of section 5 of Sind Act No.V of 1975.**
7. In the said Act, in section 8, for sub-section (1), the following shall be substituted :- **Amendment of section 8 of Sindh Act No.V of 1975.**
- "(1) Any person responsible for encroachment, may be punished with imprisonment of either description for a term which may extend to five years but not less than one year and with fine which may extend to five lac rupees. "
8. In the said Act, after section 15, the following new section shall be inserted:- **Insertion of section 15-A.**
- "15-A. Government may for the prevention of encroachment on public property and to enforce the provisions of the Act, establish an Anti-Encroachment Force in the prescribed manner." **Establishment of Anti-Encroachment Force.**
9. In the said Act, after section 17, the following shall be added:- **Addition of section 18 in the Sind Act No.V of 1975.**
- "18. The provisions of this Act shall have over-riding effect notwithstanding anything contained in any other law for time being in force." **Act to over-ride other laws.**

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**BY ORDER OF THE SPEAKER  
PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH**

**HADI BUX BURIRO  
SECRETARY  
PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH**