

**PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH  
NOTIFICATION  
KARACHI, THE 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2015**

**NO.PAS/Legis-B-28/2015**-The Karachi Water and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Bill, 2015 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Sindh on 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2015 and assented to by the Governor of Sindh on 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2015 is hereby published as an Act of the Legislature of Sindh.

**THE KARACHI WATER AND SEWERAGE BOARD (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2015**

**SINDH ACT NO.XLII OF 2015**

**AN  
ACT**

to amend the Karachi Water and Sewerage Board Act,1996.

**WHEREAS** to provide and maintain the safe and secure water supply for drinking and domestic use to residents of Karachi, it is expedient to assure smooth and uninterrupted flow from the source to destination and take stern action against water theft, illegal hydrants, outlet connections and damaging to water trunks, it is expedient to amend the Karachi Water and Sewerage Board Act,1996, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

**Preamble.**

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. (1) This Act may be called the Karachi Water and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Act,2015.

**Short title and commencement.**

(2) It shall come into force at once.

2. In the Karachi Water and Sewerage Board Act,1996, after section 14, the following new section shall be inserted:-

**Insertion of new section 14-A in Sindh Act No.X of 1996.**

“14-A. (1) If any person who –

- (a) damages, punctures water trunk mains ranging from eighteen inch dia to eighty four inch dia, canals, pumping stations, conduits, siphons, reservoirs and chambers of the Board for any purpose including selling of water or taking illegal connections;
- (b) establishes illegal hydrant for industrial, commercial or residential use; and
- (c) encroaches upon the land of the Board;

shall be punished with imprisonment of either description for a term which may extend to ten years and with fine which may extend to rupees one million or with both.

(2) The offences committed under sub-section (1) shall be cognizable.

(3) The offences punishable under sub-section (1) shall be tried by the Sessions Court.”.

3. The Karachi Water and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Ordinance, 2015 is hereby repealed.

**Repeal.**

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

**G.M.UMAR FAROOQ  
SECRETARY  
PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF SINDH**