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GOVERNMENT OF SINDH

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NOTIFICATION

Karachi, the 14th November, 2000.

No. S.LEGIS:1(13)/2000:—The following Ordinance made by the Governor of Sindh is hereby published for general information:—

THE SINDH LOCAL GOVERNMENT ELECTIONS (AMENDMENT)
ORDINANCE, 2000.

SINDH ORDINANCE No. XIII OF 2000.

AN
ORDINANCE

to amend the Sindh Local Government Elections Ordinance,
2000.

WHEREAS, it is expedient to amend the Sindh Local Preamble Government Elections Ordinance, 2000, in the manner hereinafter appearing;

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AND WHEREAS, in pursuance of the Proclamation of Emergency dated 14th October, 1999, and under Article 3 (2) of the Provisional Constitution Order No. 1 of 1999, dated 14th October, 1999, the Governor of a Province is to act on the instructions of the Chief Executive;

AND WHEREAS, under Article 4 of the Provisional Constitution (Amendment) Order No. 9 of 1999, the Governor of a Province may, on the instructions of the Chief Executive of Pakistan, issue and promulgate an Ordinance;

AND WHEREAS, under the Local Government Elections Order, 2000 (No. 8 of 2000), the Chief Executive of Pakistan has been pleased to empower the Chief Election Commissioner to conduct local government elections in the Provinces;

AND WHEREAS, the Governor is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary to take immediate action;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the aforesaid powers and all other powers enabling him in this behalf, the Governor of the Sindh Province, on the instructions of the Chief Executive of Pakistan, is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance:-

Short title and commencement

1. (1) This Ordinance may be called the Sindh Local Government Elections (Amendment) Ordinance, 2000.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Amendment of section 3 of Sindh Ordinance No. X of 2000

2. In the Sindh Local Government Elections Ordinance, 2000, hereinafter referred to as the said Ordinance, in section 3, in sub-section (1), in clause (b), in sub-clause (i), after the word "dehs", the commas and the words or, in the case of areas where settlement of lands under the Sindh Land Revenue Act, 1967, has not taken place, one or more population census villages," shall be added.

Amendment of section 6 of Sindh Ordinance No. X of 2000.

3. In the said Ordinance, in section 6, in sub-section (2), in clause (b), after the word "workers", the words "subject to a minimum of one seat" shall be added.

In the said Ordinance, in section 7, in sub-section (2), in clause (b), for the word "workers", the words "subject to a minimum of one seat" shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 7 of Sindh Ordinance No. X of 2000.

In the said Ordinance, for section 9, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

Amendment of section 9 of Sindh Ordinance No. X of 2000.

"9. Special minority seats. In a local area where the population of minorities is in excess of ten percent of the total population of that area, the seats mentioned in the preceding sections shall be allocated in such manner as the Government may determine."

6. In the said Ordinance, in section 13, -

Amendment of section 13 of Sindh Ordinance No. X of 2000.

(i) for sub-section (2), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(2) The union shall be the multimember ward for election of members of a union council, other than Union Nazim and Naib Nazim."; and

(ii) sub-section (3) shall be omitted.

Karachi,

Dated:- 13th November, 2000.

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Law Department

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