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NOTIFICATION.

Quetta, the 6th November, 1985.

No. LEGIS-III (3)/85. The Baluchistan Speaker's and Deputy Speaker's (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) (Amendment) Bill, 1985 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Baluchistan on 7th October, 1985 and assented to by the Governor of Baluchistan, is hereby published as an Act of the Provincial Assembly.

**THE BALUCHISTAN SPEAKER'S AND DEPUTY SPEAKER'S
(SALARIES, ALLOWANCES AND PRIVILEGES) (AMENDMENT)
ACT, 1985.**

BALUCHISTAN ACT NO. III OF 1985.

(First published after having received the assent of the Governor of Baluchistan in the Baluchistan Gazette (Extra-ordinary) dated 6th November, 1985.)

AN
ACT

to amend the Baluchistan Speaker's and Deputy Speaker's (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1975 (V of 1975).

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Baluchistan Speaker's and Deputy Speaker's (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1975, in the manner hereinafter appearing.

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Baluchistan Speaker's and Deputy Speaker's (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) (Amendment) Act, 1985.

(2) It shall come into force at once and shall be deemed to have taken effect on the 6th day of April, 1985.

Amendment of section 2 of Act V of 1975.

2. In the Baluchistan Speaker's and Deputy Speaker's (Salaries, Allowances and Privileges) Act, 1975, hereinafter referred to as the said Act, for clause (d) of section 2, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“(d) “maintenance” in relation to a Speaker's residence includes the payment of local rates and taxes, water charges, electricity charges upto one thousand rupees per mensem and domestic fuel/gas charges upto five hundred rupees and upto one thousand rupees per mensem during winter i.e. 1st December to 31st March; and in relation to a Deputy Speaker's residence includes the payment of local rates and taxes, water charges and electricity charges upto seven hundred and fifty rupees per mensem and domestic fuel/gas charges upto five hundred rupees per mensem.”

Amendment of section 3 of Act V of 1975.

3. In the said Act, in clause (c) of section 3, for the words “one hundred and twenty maunds in case of Speaker and eighty maunds in case of the Deputy Speaker” the words “four thousand and four hundred and eighty kilogrammes in case of the Speaker and two thousand nine hundred eighty six kilogrammes in case of the Deputy Speaker” shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 5 of Act V of 1975.

4. In the said Act, in section 5, for the words “three thousand rupees and two thousand rupees” the words “five thousand rupees and four thousand rupees” shall be substituted.

Amendment of section 6 of Act V of 1975.

5. In the said Act, for section 6, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“6. Official residence.— (1) The Speaker and the Deputy Speaker shall be entitled without payment of rent, to the use of a residence throughout term of their office and for a period of fifteen days immediately thereafter, and no charge shall fall on them personally in respect of its maintenance.

(2) The Speaker and the Deputy Speaker, shall until official residence is provided to them by Government, be paid the actual expenditure incurred by them on furnished accommodation subject to a maximum of five thousand rupees and four thousand rupees per mensem, respectively.

(3) The residence of the Speaker shall be furnished by Government at a cost not exceeding forty thousand rupees and that of the Deputy Speaker thirty thousand rupees, in accordance with such scale as may be prescribed by Government from time to time:

Provided that spending of the whole of the aforesaid amount on any one item of furnishing shall not be permissible:

Provided further that at the option of the Speaker or the Deputy Speaker, as the case may be, he shall be entitled to a monthly furnishing allowance of two thousand rupees, in lieu of the furnishing of the residence.

(4) Where the Speaker or the Deputy Speaker resides:

(i) in a house hired by Government. No limit.

(ii) in his own house. Seven thousand rupees and four thousand rupees respectively.

(iii) in a rented house occupied by him before his appointment as the Speaker or Deputy Speaker, as the case may be. To be decided on case to case basis.

Insertion of section 6-A in Act V of 1975.

6. In the said Act, after section 6, as so amended, the following new section shall be inserted, namely:—

“6-A. Telephone.— The Speaker and the Deputy Speaker shall be entitled to:—

(a) at the Government expense the facility of telephone at the place where he ordinarily resides, if the installation facility is available at such place; and

(b) (i) the Speaker shall be entitled the use of residential telephone free of charge with no limit;

(ii) the Deputy Speaker shall be entitled the use of telephone upto a limit of one thousand rupees per month?”

Amendment of section 8 of Act V of 1975.

7. In the said Act, for section 8, the following shall be substituted, namely:—

“8. Equipment Allowance.— The Speaker and the Deputy Speaker may draw a sum of rupees three thousand as equipment allowance on appointment as Speaker or Deputy Speaker.”

Amendment of
section 9 of
Act V of 1975.

8. In the said Act, in section 9, —

- (a) in clause (b) of sub-section (2), for the words “one hundred pounds” the words “forty five kilogrammes” shall be substituted.
- (b) in clause (c) of sub-section (5), for the words “three maunds” the words “one hundred and twelve kilogrammes” shall be substituted.
- (c) in clause (a) of sub-section (6), for the words “one rupee per mile” the words “rupee one and twenty paise per kilometre” shall be substituted.

Amendment of
section 10 of
Act V of 1975.

9. In the said Act, for sub-section (1) of section 10 the following shall be substituted, namely :—

“(1) The Speaker and the Deputy Speaker shall during the tour on official duty, be entitled to draw a daily allowance of one hundred and seventy five rupees for the duration of halts:

Provided that half daily allowance shall be admissible for the day of arrival, the day of departure and the day of both arrival and departure.”

Amendment of
section 15 of
Act V of 1975.

10. In the said Act, in section 15, for the words “rupees five hundred and rupees three hundred” the words two thousand rupees and seven hundred and fifty rupees” shall be substituted.

Insertion of
new section 15-A,
in Act V of 1975.

11. In the said Act, after section 15, the following new section shall be inserted, namely :—

“15-A. Discretionary grant.— A sum of rupees twenty five thousand per annum (with conditions for its use) shall be placed at the disposal of the Speaker for making discretionary grants in such manner as may be prescribed.”

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Provincial Assembly of Baluchistan.