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# PROVINCIAL ASSEMBLY OF BALUCHISTAN SECRETARIAT

NOTIFICATION

the 10th July 1974

No. Legis-X-(11)/74. The West Pakistan Finance Act Baluchistan Amendment Bill, 1974 having been passed by the Provincial Assembly of Baluchistan on 29th June 1974 and assented to by the Governor of Baluchistan, is hereby published as an Act of the Provincial Assembly.

THE WEST PAKISTAN FINANCE ACT (BALUCHISTAN AMENDMENT), ACT, 1974.

BALUCHISTAN ACT NO. VII OF 1974.

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to amend the West Pakistan Finance Act, 1964 in its application to the Province of Baluchistan.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend West Pakistan Finance Act, 1964 in its application to the Province of Baluchistan;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

Short title, commencement and extent.

- 1. (1) This Act may be called the West Pakistan Finance Act (Baluchistan Amendment) Act, 1974.
  - (2) It shall come into force atonce.
  - (3) It shall extend to the whole of the Province of Baluchistan except Tribal Areas.

Enhanced Electricity Duty. 2. The Fifth and Sixth Schedules to the West Pakistan Finance Act, 1964 (West Pakistan Act No. XXXIV of 1964) as substituted by section 6 of the West Pakistan Finance Ordinance, 1969 (West Pakistan Ordinance No. VII of 1969) shall be respectively substituted by the Fifth and Sixth Schedules set forth hereunder:—

## (See section 13)

#### RATES OF ELECTRICITY DUTY.

 For energy consumed in respect of premises not falling under article 2 of this schedule, used for:—

 (a) Residential, Office, or commercial purpose. Two and a half paisas for each unit of energy consumed.

(b) Industrial undertakings, Mines, Oil and Gas Fields. One and a half paisas for each unit of energy consumed.

(c) Tube-wells, Irrigation and Agricultural Machinery. One and a half paisas for each unit of energy consumed.

(d) Un-metered supply.

Four paisas for every rupee of flat charge realized by the Licensee provided that no duty shall be levied where such charge does not exceed five rupees during a month.

#### Explanation

Premises which are used wholly or principally for carrying on manufacturing process within the meaning of section 2 of the Factories Act, 1934, shall be deemed to be used for an industrial undertaking.

(e) For energy consumed in respect of all premises where supply is un-metered and no flat rate is applicable.

On the estimated working load at site in accordance with 1 (a),(b) and (c) above.

### (See section 13)

Exemptions from Electricity Duty.

- The Central and the Provincial Government save in respect of premises used for residential purpose.
- Such Autonomous Bodies as may be exempted by Government by means of notification in the offical Gazette.
- 3. Local Authorities in respect of public lighting only.
- 4. Mosques, Churches and other places of public worship.
- 5. All domestic consumers not using more than 20 units in any month.
- Energy consumed (including losses of energy) in generation, transformation and transmission.
- Energy generated by plants having capacity not exceeding 21 K.W.

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