NOTIFICATION

Dated Quetta, the 25th June, 2018

No.PAB/Legis; V(22)/2018. The Balochistan Public Service Commission (Amendment) Bill No 22 of 2018, originally passed by the Provincial Assembly of the Balochistan on 30th April, 2018 was sent to the Governor Balochistan for assent. The Governor retimed the Bill for reconsideration by the Assembly. The Provincial Assembly of Balochistan after reconsideration, again passed the Bill on the 30th May, 2018. The Bill was again sent to the Governor for assent on 30 May, 2018. Since the Governor has not assented to the Bill within the stipulated period of ten days, the same is deemed to have been assented to in terms of clause (3) of Article 116 of the Constitution, and is published as an Act of the Balochistan Provincial Assembly.

THE BALOCHISTAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION (AMENDMENT) ACT No. X OF 2018.

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to further amend the Balochistan Public Service Commission Act, 1989 (Act II of 1989) to bring it in conformity with the Article 242 of the Constitution of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, 1973 as amended under Constitution (Eighteenth Amendment Act, 2010 (Act No. X of 2010).

Preamble.

WHEREAS, it s expedient further to amend the Balochistan Public Service Commission Act, 1989 (Act No. II of 1989), for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows: -

Short Title, and commencement

1. (1) This Act may be called the Balochistan Public Service Commission (Amendment) Act, 2018.

It shall come into force at once.

Amendment of Section 3, Act II of 1989

- 2. In the Balochistan Public Service Commission Act, 1989 (Act II of 1989), in section 3,-
- (1) in sub-section (1), for the words "in consultation with" appearing after the word "Governor" the words "on the advice of" shall be substituted.
- (2) After sub-section (3), the following new sub-sections shall be added, namely:-
 - "(3-A). The Governor may within fifteen days require the Chief Minister to reconsider such advice, whether generally or otherwise, and the Governor shall, within ten days, act in accordance with the advice tendered after reconsideration.
 - (3-B). If the Governor somehow omits to require the Chief Minister to reconsider such advice or after such reconsideration omits to act in accordance with the advice so reconsidered, after lapse of fifteen days or ten days as the case may be, such advice shall be deemed to have been acted upon in the manner so tendered or reconsidered.
 - (3-C). The question whether any, and if so what, advice was tendered to the Governor by the Chief Minister, shall not be inquired into or by any court, tribunal or other authority."

(SHAMS-UD-DIN) Secretary