## [AS PASSED BY THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY]

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further to amend the Provincial Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965.

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Provincial Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965 (WP Ordinance XIX of 1965), in its application to the Islamabad Capital Territory, for the purpose hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

- 1. Short title and commencement:- (1) This Act may be called the Provincial Motor Vehicles (Amendment) Act, 2012.
  - (2) It shall come into force at once
- 2. Amendment of section 116-A, W.P. Ordinance XIX of 1965 In the Provincial Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965 (W.P. Ordinance XIX of 1965), as in force in the Islamabad Capital Territory, in section 116-A, after sub-section (5), the following new sub-section (6), shall be inserted, namely:
  - "(6) The Federal Government may, by notification in official Gazette, amend the provisions of the Twelfth Schedule so as to add any entry thereto, modify any entry therein, or omit any entry therefrom".

## STATEMENT OF OBJECTS AND REASONS

Ordinance, 1965 was made applicable to Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT) through an amendment in Ordinance No.XLI of 2001 dated 18.08.2001. In 12<sup>th</sup> Schedule, there are 71 violations with specific penalties and Islamabad Traffic Police on these violations are issuing challans / penalty tickets to the violators. All other violations of Law /Rules, not otherwise provided in the Schedule are covered under Sl.No. 48 of the Schedule.

However, some violations, accepted internationally as hazardous and potentially dangerous are required to be included in the list of declared traffic violations. Necessary amendment in existing law be made by adding new sub-section (6) to section 116A to the Motor Vehicles Ordinance, 1965 (W.P. Ord. XIX of 1965) applicable to ICT to empower the Federal Government i.e. Ministry of Interior to amend the 12<sup>th</sup> Schedule of the Ordinance. Therefore, this Bill is required to be introduced in the National Assembly to make amendment in the existing law.

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