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PART I

Acts, Ordinances, President's Orders and Regulations

SENATE SECRETARIAT

Islamabad, the 10th August, 2023

No. F. 9(40)/2023-Legis.—The following Act of *Majlis-e-Shoora* (Parliament) received the assent of the President on 9th August, 2023 and is hereby published for general information:—

ACT No. LV OF 2023

An Act further to amend the Zakat and Ushr Ordinance, 1980

WHEREAS it is expedient further to amend the Zakat and Ushr Ordinance, 1980 (XVIII of 1980), for the purposes hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:—

1. **Short title and commencement.**—(1) This Act shall be called the Zakat and Ushr (Amendment) Act, 2023.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

(715)

Price: Rs. 5.00

[1574(2023) Ex.Gaz.]

2. **Amendment of section 2, Ordinance XVIII of 1980.**—In the Zakat and Ushr Ordinance, 1980 (XVIII of 1980), hereinafter referred to as the said Ordinance, in section 2, after clause (x), the following new clause (xa) shall be inserted, namely:—

“(xa) ‘Division concerned’ means the Division to which the business of this Ordinance stands allocated;”.

3. **Amendment of section 13, Ordinance XVIII of 1980.**—In the said Ordinance, in section 13, in sub-section (1), for the expression “, Religious Affairs, Zakat, Ushr and Minorities Affairs Division”, the words “of the Division concerned” shall be substituted.

4. **Amendment of section 22, Ordinance XVIII of 1980.**—In the said Ordinance, in section 22,—

- (a) in sub-section (1), for the expression “ a Division to be known as the Religious Affairs, Zakat, Ushr and Minorities Affairs Division”, the words “the Division concerned” shall be substituted; and
- (b) in sub-section (2), for the expression “Religious Affairs, Zakat, Ushr and Minorities Affairs Division”, the words “ the Division concerned” shall be substituted.

MOHAMMAD QASIM SAMAD KHAN,
Secretary.