

**THE AZAD JAMMU AND KASHMIR
PRESIDENT'S GRATUITY ACT, 1963
(Act VII of 1963)**

*(Passed under Government Order No. 473/63,
Dated 19th November, 1963)*

WHEREAS it is necessary to make provision for the payment of a gratuity to persons who have held the office of the President of the Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir:-

It is hereby enacted as follows :-

1. **Short title and commencement:-** (1) This Act may be called the Azad Jammu and Kashmir President's Gratuity Act, 1963.

(2) It shall come into force at once.
 2. **Amount and conditions of gratuity:-** There shall be payable to every person who, having held the office of the President of the Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir for a continuous period of not less than three years, whether before or after the coming into force of this Act, and not having been removed for misconduct, has ceased to hold such office, a gratuity of ten thousand rupees.
 3. **The gratuity to be charged on the State Revenue:-** The gratuity payable under section 2 shall be charged on the revenues of the Azad Government of the State of Jammu and Kashmir.
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