

**AZAD GOVERNMENT OF THE STATE OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR  
LAW, JUSTICE AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT,  
MUZAFFARABAD**

Dated the 12th December, 2001

No. LD/Leg/1399-1405/2001. The following Act of the Assembly received the assent of the President on the 10th December, 2001 is hereby published for general information:-

**(ACT IX OF 2001)**

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ACT**

to amend the Antiquities Act, 1986

**WHEREAS** it is expedient to amend the Antiquities Act, 1986 (Act VI of 1986), in the manner hereinafter appearing;

It is hereby enacted as follows:-

1. **Short title and commencement.**- (1) This Act may be called the Antiquities (Amendment) Act, 2001.  
(2) It shall come into force at once.
2. **Amendment of Section 2, Act VI of 1986.**- In the Antiquities Act, 1986 (Act VI of 1986), hereinafter referred to as the said Act, in Section 2, clause (1) shall be substituted as under:-  
“(1) “Director General” means the Director General of Archaeology Government of Azad Jammu & Kashmir, and include an officer authorized by him to exercise or perform all or any of the powers or function of the Director General under this Act.”
3. **General Amendment of Act VI of 1986.**- In the said Act, for the words “Secretary” wherever occurring the words “Director General” shall be substituted.
4. **Repeal.**- The Antiquities (Amendment) Ordinance, 2001 (Ordinance LXX of 2001) is hereby repealed.

**Sd/-(Irshad Ahmed Qureshi)  
Deputy Secretary**